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<b>Board: 1</b>	♠ KQ	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ762	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 5	
HCP: 12+2	♣ K6543	

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<b>Board: 2</b>	♠ A654	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ K9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ82	
HCP: 17+1	♣ J3	

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<b>Board: 3</b>	♠ K2	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AT9	
HCP: 20	♣ AQ87	

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<b>Board: 4</b>	♠ AT653	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 84	West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ JT972	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ	♠ 97				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KJ762	♥ A84	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ 5	♦ AKQ82	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 19+1	♣ K6543	♣ AQ9	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
Contract: 6♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 2	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A654	♠ KT983		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ K9	♥ AQJ73	Pass	4♠	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 17+1	♦ AKQ82	♦ -	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5NT
South HCP: 16+2	♣ J3	♣ AQ2	Pass	6♠ <sup>4</sup>	All Pass	
Contract: 6♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !S			
			3. 1 out of 4			
			4. no !S queen			

Board: 3	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K2	♠ AQ985		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ3	♥ K6	Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 20	♦ AT9	♦ K8543	All Pass			
South HCP: 12+2	♣ AQ87	♣ 6	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 6NT South						

Board: 4	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT653	♠ 98				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 84	♥ KQ	1♥	1♠	2♥	3♦
North HCP: 9+2	♦ A	♦ KQ9763	Pass	4♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ JT972	♣ AQ8	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♣ North						

**Board: 1**      ♠ 97      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A84      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AKQ82

HCP: 19+1      ♣ AQ9

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**Board: 2**      ♠ KT983      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQJ73      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ -

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AQ2

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**Board: 3**      ♠ AQ985      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ K8543

HCP: 12+2      ♣ 6

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**Board: 4**      ♠ 98      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ      West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQ9763      East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AQ8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ	♠ 97				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KJ762	♥ A84	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ 5	♦ AKQ82	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 19+1	♣ K6543	♣ AQ9	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
Contract: 6♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 2	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A654	♠ KT983		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ K9	♥ AQJ73	Pass	4♠	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 17+1	♦ AKQ82	♦ -	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5NT
South HCP: 16+2	♣ J3	♣ AQ2	Pass	6♠ <sup>4</sup>	All Pass	
Contract: 6♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !S			
			3. 1 out of 4			
			4. no !S queen			

Board: 3	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K2	♠ AQ985		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ3	♥ K6	Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 20	♦ AT9	♦ K8543	All Pass			
South HCP: 12+2	♣ AQ87	♣ 6	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 6NT South						

Board: 4	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT653	♠ 98				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 84	♥ KQ	1♥	1♠	2♥	3♦
North HCP: 9+2	♦ A	♦ KQ9763	Pass	4♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ JT972	♣ AQ8	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♣ North						

<b>Board: 5</b>	♠ KJ972	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 75	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AKT86	

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<b>Board: 6</b>	♠ A	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ86432	
HCP: 18+3	♣ AKJ5	

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<b>Board: 7</b>	♠ AK5	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ 75	West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJT986	
HCP: 16+2	♣ A2	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 5	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KJ972	♠ Q53				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 9	♥ KQT32	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 75	♦ AKQ8	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ AKT86	♣ 5	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 5 ♠ North			Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 6	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A	♠ KQ9874		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 7	♥ KQT42	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 18+3	♦ AQ86432	♦ -	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 10+3	♣ AKJ5	♣ 73	Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5NT
Contract: 5NT South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

Board: 7	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK5	♠ 82		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 75	♥ AQJ96	2 ♠	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
North HCP: 16+2	♦ AJT986	♦ 2	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+2	♣ A2	♣ QJ764				
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 5**      ♠ Q53      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQT32      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKQ8

HCP: 16+1      ♣ 5

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**Board: 6**      ♠ KQ9874      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KQT42      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ -

HCP: 10+3      ♣ 73

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**Board: 7**      ♠ 82      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQJ96      West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ 2

HCP: 10+2      ♣ QJ764

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 5	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KJ972	♠ Q53				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 9	♥ KQT32	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 75	♦ AKQ8	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ AKT86	♣ 5	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 5 ♠ North			Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 6	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A	♠ KQ9874		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 7	♥ KQT42	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 18+3	♦ AQ86432	♦ -	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 10+3	♣ AKJ5	♣ 73	Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5NT
Contract: 5NT South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

Board: 7	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK5	♠ 82		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 75	♥ AQJ96	2 ♠	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
North HCP: 16+2	♦ AJT986	♦ 2	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+2	♣ A2	♣ QJ764				
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 8**      ♠ Q5      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ QT8      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKJ7

HCP: 17      ♣ KQ65

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**Board: 9**      ♠ AK952      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ4      West (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ -

HCP: 12+2      ♣ 98654

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**Board: 10**      ♠ QJT96      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 6      West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AK972

HCP: 10+2      ♣ 98

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**Board: 11**      ♠ QT982      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 5      West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ AT962      East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 8+2      ♣ Q3

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 8

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q5	♠ KT872		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ QT8	♥ AKJ432	Pass	1NT	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 17	♦ AKJ7	♦ 32	Pass	4♥	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 11+3	♣ KQ65	♣ -	Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 9

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK952	♠ T84				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ4	♥ A7652	2♦	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12+2	♦ -	♦ A3	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 98654	♣ AKJ	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♠ South						

### Board: 10

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJT96	♠ K2				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 6	♥ AQ7	1♠	Pass	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 10+2	♦ AK972	♦ Q	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 16+3	♣ 98	♣ KQ76432	Pass	6♣	All Pass	
Contract: 6♣ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1			

### Board: 11

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QT982	♠ K				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 5	♥ AQ7	1♥	1♠	3♥	Pass
North HCP: 8+2	♦ AT962	♦ Q8754	Pass	4♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ Q3	♣ AJT8	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♦ North						

**Board: 8**      ♠ KT872      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKJ432      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 32

HCP: 11+3      ♣ -

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**Board: 9**      ♠ T84      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A7652      West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ A3

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AKJ

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**Board: 10**      ♠ K2      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ7      West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q

HCP: 16+3      ♣ KQ76432

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**Board: 11**      ♠ K      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ7      West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ Q8754      East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AJT8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 8

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q5	♠ KT872		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ QT8	♥ AKJ432	Pass	1NT	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 17	♦ AKJ7	♦ 32	Pass	4♥	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 11+3	♣ KQ65	♣ -	Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 9

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK952	♠ T84				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ4	♥ A7652	2♦	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12+2	♦ -	♦ A3	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 98654	♣ AKJ	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♠ South						

### Board: 10

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJT96	♠ K2				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 6	♥ AQ7	1♠	Pass	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 10+2	♦ AK972	♦ Q	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 16+3	♣ 98	♣ KQ76432	Pass	6♣	All Pass	
Contract: 6♣ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1			

### Board: 11

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QT982	♠ K				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 5	♥ AQ7	1♥	1♠	3♥	Pass
North HCP: 8+2	♦ AT962	♦ Q8754	Pass	4♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ Q3	♣ AJT8	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♦ North						

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<b>Board: 12</b>	♠ A8752	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ K9653	West (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ QT	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 5	
<b>Board: 13</b>	♠ AT7632	RHO opens the bidding 1♣.
Dealer: West	♥ T84	You bid next.
Vul: E-W	♦ 743	East (LHO) Doubles 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 4+2	♣ 5	West (RHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.
<b>Board: 14</b>	♠ AK865	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ A64	East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ J9	West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 18+1	♣ AQ7	West (RHO) Doubles 5♥ if possible.
<b>Board: 15</b>	♠ AKJT97	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ 87	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJT	
HCP: 17+2	♣ KJ	

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## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 12**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8752	♠ Q				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ K9653	♥ AQJT74	2♦	3♦	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 9+2	♦ QT	♦ A96	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 18+2	♣ 5	♣ AJ3	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

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

**Board: 13**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AT7632	♠ KJ95	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♠	X	4♠
Vul: E-W	♥ T84	♥ 75	X	All Pass		
North HCP: 4+2	♦ 743	♦ Q65		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 10	♣ 5	♣ A864				
Contract: 4♠ X South						

**Board: 14**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK865	♠ QJ432		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	X
Vul: E-W	♥ A64	♥ -	3♥	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 18+1	♦ J9	♦ QT865	X	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AQ7	♣ K98	All Pass			
Contract: 6♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

**Board: 15**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ AKJT97	♠ 4		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	2♠		
Vul: None	♥ 87	♥ KQJ64	Pass	3NT	All Pass			
North HCP: 17+2	♦ AJT	♦ Q9742		1. 16+ HCP				
South HCP: 8+2	♣ KJ	♣ 97						
Contract: 3NT North								

**Board: 12**      ♠ Q      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQJT74      West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ A96

HCP: 18+2      ♣ AJ3

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**Board: 13**      ♠ KJ95      LHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: West      ♥ 75      Partner bids next.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q65      East (RHO) Doubles 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 10      ♣ A864      West (LHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.

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**Board: 14**      ♠ QJ432      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ -      East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ QT865      West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 8+2      ♣ K98      West (LHO) Doubles 5♥ if possible.

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**Board: 15**      ♠ 4      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KQJ64      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ Q9742

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 97

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**Board: 12**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8752	♠ Q				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ K9653	♥ AQJT74	2♦	3♦	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 9+2	♦ QT	♦ A96	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 18+2	♣ 5	♣ AJ3	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

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

**Board: 13**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AT7632	♠ KJ95	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♠	X	4♠
Vul: E-W	♥ T84	♥ 75	X	All Pass		
North HCP: 4+2	♦ 743	♦ Q65		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 10	♣ 5	♣ A864				
Contract: 4♠ X South						

**Board: 14**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK865	♠ QJ432		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	X
Vul: E-W	♥ A64	♥ -	3♥	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 18+1	♦ J9	♦ QT865	X	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AQ7	♣ K98	All Pass			
Contract: 6♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

**Board: 15**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ AKJT97	♠ 4		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	2♠		
Vul: None	♥ 87	♥ KQJ64	Pass	3NT	All Pass			
North HCP: 17+2	♦ AJT	♦ Q9742		1. 16+ HCP				
South HCP: 8+2	♣ KJ	♣ 97						
Contract: 3NT North								

**Board: 16**      ♠ Q9      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKT832

HCP: 19+2      ♣ AK42

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**Board: 17**      ♠ AQ92      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 863      East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ K      West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AK742

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**Board: 18**      ♠ AQ3      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ QJT97532      West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ K

HCP: 16+4      ♣ A

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**Board: 19**      ♠ AK987      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 97      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKT962

HCP: 14+3      ♣ -

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### Board: 16

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ Q9

#### South:

♠ AKT52

#### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ K

♥ JT954

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

North HCP: 19+2

♦ AKT832

♦ Q9

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♥

South HCP: 10+2

♣ AK42

♣ 8

Pass 4♠ All Pass

Contract: 4♠ North

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 17

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ AQ92

#### South:

♠ K

#### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 2♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: E-W

♥ 863

♥ J

3♥ Pass Pass 4♣

North HCP: 16+1

♦ K

♦ J6432

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣

South HCP: 8+3

♣ AK742

♣ QJT965

All Pass

Contract: 5♣ South

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. limit raise or better in !C

### Board: 18

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ AQ3

#### South:

♠ 96

#### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ QJT97532

♥ -

2♠ 3♥ Pass 3NT

North HCP: 16+4

♦ K

♦ QJ964

Pass 4♥ All Pass

South HCP: 9+3

♣ A

♣ KQJ543

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 19

Dealer: South

#### North:

♠ AK987

#### South:

♠ QT5

#### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ 97

♥ AKQT8

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♠

North HCP: 14+3

♦ AKT962

♦ 83

Pass 5♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

South HCP: 18+1

♣ -

♣ AK2

Pass 5NT Pass 6♣<sup>4</sup>

Contract: 7♠ North

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 1 out of 4

4. !S queen and !C king

**Board: 16**      ♠ AKT52      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ JT954      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q9

HCP: 10+2      ♣ 8

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**Board: 17**      ♠ K      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ J      East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ J6432      West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 8+3      ♣ QJT965

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**Board: 18**      ♠ 96      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ -      West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ QJ964

HCP: 9+3      ♣ KQJ543

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**Board: 19**      ♠ QT5      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKQT8      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 83

HCP: 18+1      ♣ AK2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 16

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ Q9

#### South:

♠ AKT52

#### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ K

♥ JT954

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

North HCP: 19+2

♦ AKT832

♦ Q9

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♥

South HCP: 10+2

♣ AK42

♣ 8

Pass 4♠ All Pass

Contract: 4♠ North

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 17

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ AQ92

#### South:

♠ K

#### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 2♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: E-W

♥ 863

♥ J

3♥ Pass Pass 4♣

North HCP: 16+1

♦ K

♦ J6432

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣

South HCP: 8+3

♣ AK742

♣ QJT965

All Pass

Contract: 5♣ South

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. limit raise or better in !C

### Board: 18

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ AQ3

#### South:

♠ 96

#### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ QJT97532

♥ -

2♠ 3♥ Pass 3NT

North HCP: 16+4

♦ K

♦ QJ964

Pass 4♥ All Pass

South HCP: 9+3

♣ A

♣ KQJ543

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 19

Dealer: South

#### North:

♠ AK987

#### South:

♠ QT5

#### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ 97

♥ AKQT8

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♠

North HCP: 14+3

♦ AKT962

♦ 83

Pass 5♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

South HCP: 18+1

♣ -

♣ AK2

Pass 5NT Pass 6♣<sup>4</sup>

Contract: 7♠ North

Pass 7♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 1 out of 4

4. !S queen and !C king

**Board: 20**      ♠ AKJT      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ Q92      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AQ

HCP: 20      ♣ A632

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**Board: 21**      ♠ 63      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AT853

HCP: 11+2      ♣ KQT73

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**Board: 22**      ♠ K      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 9      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ KJ9763

HCP: 9+3      ♣ Q9843

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 20

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJT	♠ 4		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ Q92	♥ KT753	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 20	♦ AQ	♦ K4	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 9+2	♣ A632	♣ K9875	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♥ South			Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
			Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♥
				All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !H queen and !S king

### Board: 21

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 63	♠ KQ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ Q	♥ AKT543	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11+2	♦ AT853	♦ K64	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 19+2	♣ KQT73	♣ A8				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						2. artificial

### Board: 22

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K	♠ AT6				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 9	♥ AKJ3	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9+3	♦ KJ9763	♦ AQ5	Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 22	♣ Q9843	♣ KJ7	Pass	6♣	All Pass	
Contract: 6♣ North						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial
						3. Minor Suit Transfers after 2NT
						4. automat

<b>Board: 20</b>	♠ 4	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KT753	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K4	
HCP: 9+2	♣ K9875	

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<b>Board: 21</b>	♠ KQ	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K64	
HCP: 19+2	♣ A8	

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<b>Board: 22</b>	♠ AT6	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ5	
HCP: 22	♣ KJ7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 20

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 20  
South HCP: 9+2  
Contract: 6♥ South

### North:

♠ AKJT  
♥ Q92  
♦ AQ  
♣ A632

### South:

♠ 4  
♥ KT753  
♦ K4  
♣ K9875

### W N E S

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. !H queen and !S king

### Board: 21

Dealer: South  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 11+2  
South HCP: 19+2  
Contract: 3NT North

### North:

♠ 63  
♥ Q  
♦ AT853  
♣ KQT73

### South:

♠ KQ  
♥ AKT543  
♦ K64  
♣ A8

### W N E S

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

### Board: 22

Dealer: South  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 9+3  
South HCP: 22  
Contract: 6♣ North

### North:

♠ K  
♥ 9  
♦ KJ9763  
♣ Q9843

### South:

♠ AT6  
♥ AKJ3  
♦ AQ5  
♣ KJ7

### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>  
Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT  
Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♣<sup>4</sup>  
Pass 6♣ All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
3. Minor Suit Transfers after 2NT  
4. automat

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<b>Board: 23</b>	♠ 42	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ875	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ954	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 5	

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<b>Board: 24</b>	♠ 97654	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ	
HCP: 9+3	♣ KJ9854	

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<b>Board: 25</b>	♠ T5	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQT	East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A9	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AQJ963	

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<b>Board: 26</b>	♠ A9754	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKT65	
HCP: 12+2	♣ J6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 23**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 42	♠ AKJ6				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ QJ875	♥ K64	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AQ954	♦ J32	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 16	♣ 5	♣ KJ7	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ South			All Pass			
				1. 16+ HCP		
				2. artificial		

**Board: 24**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 97654	♠ AK8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ -	♥ KQT6	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9+3	♦ AJ	♦ Q2	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ9854	♣ AT73	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♠
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	5♥	Pass	6♦ <sup>3</sup>
			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
				1. 16+ HCP		
				2. artificial		
				3. 3 out of 4		

**Board: 25**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ T5	♠ AKJ92		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	X
Vul: None	♥ KQT	♥ 76	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 16+2	♦ A9	♦ JT832	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AQJ963	♣ 7		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT North						

**Board: 26**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A9754	♠ KJ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 8	♥ KJ3	Pass	1♠	3♥	3NT
North HCP: 12+2	♦ AKT65	♦ QJ973	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ J6	♣ KQ5		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT South						

**Board: 23**      ♠ AKJ6      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K64      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ J32

HCP: 16      ♣ KJ7

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**Board: 24**      ♠ AK8      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQT6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ Q2

HCP: 18      ♣ AT73

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**Board: 25**      ♠ AKJ92      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 76      East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ JT832

HCP: 9+2      ♣ 7

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**Board: 26**      ♠ KJ      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KJ3      East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ QJ973

HCP: 16+1      ♣ KQ5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 23**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 42	♠ AKJ6				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ QJ875	♥ K64	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AQ954	♦ J32	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 16	♣ 5	♣ KJ7	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ South			All Pass			
				1. 16+ HCP		
				2. artificial		

**Board: 24**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 97654	♠ AK8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ -	♥ KQT6	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9+3	♦ AJ	♦ Q2	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ9854	♣ AT73	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♠
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	5♥	Pass	6♦ <sup>3</sup>
			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
				1. 16+ HCP		
				2. artificial		
				3. 3 out of 4		

**Board: 25**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ T5	♠ AKJ92		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	X
Vul: None	♥ KQT	♥ 76	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 16+2	♦ A9	♦ JT832	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AQJ963	♣ 7		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT North						

**Board: 26**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A9754	♠ KJ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 8	♥ KJ3	Pass	1♠	3♥	3NT
North HCP: 12+2	♦ AKT65	♦ QJ973	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ J6	♣ KQ5		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT South						

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<b>Board: 27</b>	♠ KQT98	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 7	
HCP: 9+3	♣ KJ9764	

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<b>Board: 28</b>	♠ A96	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQJT6	East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T5	
HCP: 18+2	♣ A8	

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<b>Board: 29</b>	♠ QT732	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 9+2	♣ KQ873	

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<b>Board: 30</b>	♠ 754	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ96	East (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ32	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 27**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ KQT98

**South:**

♠ A5

**W N E S**

 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ 4

♥ KT632

 Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

North HCP: 9+3

♦ 7

♦ AKJ5

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♦

South HCP: 17+1

♣ KJ9764

♣ Q2

Pass 3NT All Pass

Contract: 3NT North

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 28**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ A96

**South:**

♠ K8532

**W N E S**

 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♣

3 ♠

Vul: N-S

♥ AKQJT6

♥ 83

 Pass 4 ♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♦

North HCP: 18+2

♦ T5

♦ AKQ87

 Pass 4NT Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

South HCP: 15+2

♣ A8

♣ K

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

Contract: 6 ♠ North

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

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

**Board: 29**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ QT732

**South:**

♠ KJ

**W N E S**

 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ Q98

♥ 52

 Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♦

North HCP: 9+2

♦ -

♦ AKT853

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

South HCP: 16+2

♣ KQ873

♣ AJ5

1. 16+ HCP

Contract: 2 ♠ North

2. artificial

**Board: 30**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ 754

**South:**

♠ AJ986

**W N E S**

 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦

1 ♠

Vul: N-S

♥ AQJ96

♥ K

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

North HCP: 16+1

♦ KQ32

♦ 6

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT

South HCP: 12+3

♣ A

♣ KJ8653

 Pass 5 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♠

Contract: 5 ♠ South

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

**Board: 27**      ♠ A5      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KT632      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AKJ5

HCP: 17+1      ♣ Q2

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**Board: 28**      ♠ K8532      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 83      East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQ87

HCP: 15+2      ♣ K

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**Board: 29**      ♠ KJ      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 52      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AKT853

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AJ5

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**Board: 30**      ♠ AJ986      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K      East (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 6

HCP: 12+3      ♣ KJ8653

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 27	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQT98	♠ A5				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 4	♥ KT632	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9+3	♦ 7	♦ AKJ5	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 17+1	♣ KJ9764	♣ Q2	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 28	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A96	♠ K8532		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♣	3♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQJT6	♥ 83	Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 18+2	♦ T5	♦ AKQ87	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 15+2	♣ A8	♣ K	Pass	6♠	All Pass	
Contract: 6♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. limit raise or better in !S			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 29	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QT732	♠ KJ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q98	♥ 52	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9+2	♦ -	♦ AKT853	Pass	2♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ KQ873	♣ AJ5	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 2♠ North			2. artificial			

Board: 30	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 754	♠ AJ986		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♦	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AQJ96	♥ K	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 16+1	♦ KQ32	♦ 6	Pass	3♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 12+3	♣ A	♣ KJ8653	Pass	5♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠
Contract: 5♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

**Board: 31**      ♠ 2      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KJ542      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A98542

HCP: 8+3      ♣ 3

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**Board: 32**      ♠ KT75      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AJT      East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ K

HCP: 16+1      ♣ KQ653

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**Board: 33**      ♠ 3      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AT876      West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q2

HCP: 8+2      ♣ QT932

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**Board: 34**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K4      West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ AJT32

HCP: 10+3      ♣ QT9763

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 31	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 2	♠ AKQ3				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KJ542	♥ 83	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 8+3	♦ A98542	♦ KQJ6	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
South HCP: 19	♣ 3	♣ A52	Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♦ South			Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♦
			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 32	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT75	♠ A9862		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♥	1 ♠
Vul: E-W	♥ AJT	♥ 95	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♣
North HCP: 16+1	♦ K	♦ AQJ98	Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 11+2	♣ KQ653	♣ 9	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 33	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: South	♠ 3	♠ AQ96				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>		
Vul: N-S	♥ AT876	♥ KQ943	1 ♦	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>		
North HCP: 8+2	♦ Q2	♦ KT6	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3NT		
South HCP: 18+1	♣ QT932	♣ A	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. limit raise or better in !H					
			3. Splinter					

Board: 34	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AKJT5				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>		
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ AJ32	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT		
North HCP: 10+3	♦ AJT32	♦ Q7	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣		
South HCP: 20+1	♣ QT9763	♣ AJ	Pass	6 ♣	All Pass			
Contract: 6♣ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. strength cue bid					

**Board: 31**      ♠ AKQ3      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 83      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQJ6

HCP: 19      ♣ A52

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**Board: 32**      ♠ A9862      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 95      East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AQJ98

HCP: 11+2      ♣ 9

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**Board: 33**      ♠ AQ96      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ943      West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KT6

HCP: 18+1      ♣ A

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**Board: 34**      ♠ AKJT5      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AJ32      West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ Q7

HCP: 20+1      ♣ AJ

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Board: 31	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 2	♠ AKQ3				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KJ542	♥ 83	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 8+3	♦ A98542	♦ KQJ6	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
South HCP: 19	♣ 3	♣ A52	Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♦ South			Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♦
			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 32	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT75	♠ A9862		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♥	1 ♠
Vul: E-W	♥ AJT	♥ 95	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♣
North HCP: 16+1	♦ K	♦ AQJ98	Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 11+2	♣ KQ653	♣ 9	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 33	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: South	♠ 3	♠ AQ96				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>		
Vul: N-S	♥ AT876	♥ KQ943	1 ♦	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>		
North HCP: 8+2	♦ Q2	♦ KT6	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3NT		
South HCP: 18+1	♣ QT932	♣ A	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. limit raise or better in !H					
			3. Splinter					

Board: 34	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AKJT5				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>		
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ AJ32	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT		
North HCP: 10+3	♦ AJT32	♦ Q7	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣		
South HCP: 20+1	♣ QT9763	♣ AJ	Pass	6 ♣	All Pass			
Contract: 6♣ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. strength cue bid					

<b>Board: 35</b>	♠ Q7542	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQJ83	
HCP: 12+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 36</b>	♠ Q6542	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 7	West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT	East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ KT642	

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<b>Board: 37</b>	♠ 97542	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJT95	
HCP: 9+2	♣ A4	

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Board: 35	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q7542	♠ AJT6				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT3	♥ KQJ	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
North HCP: 12+2	♦ KQJ83	♦ 74	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 16	♣ -	♣ KQ63	Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 5 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !S			
			3. 1 out of 4			

Board: 36	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q6542	♠ AK93				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 7	♥ AJ8	2 ♥	X	3 ♥	3 ♠
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AT	♦ KQ873	Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♣
South HCP: 17+1	♣ KT642	♣ 5	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 5 ♠ North			Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 37	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 97542	♠ A63				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 5	♥ AQJ87	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AJT95	♦ Q6	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
South HCP: 17+1	♣ A4	♣ KJ5	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♠
Contract: 4 ♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 35**      ♠ AJT6      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQJ      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ 74

HCP: 16      ♣ KQ63

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**Board: 36**      ♠ AK93      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AJ8      West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQ873      East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 17+1      ♣ 5

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**Board: 37**      ♠ A63      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQJ87      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q6

HCP: 17+1      ♣ KJ5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 35	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q7542	♠ AJT6				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT3	♥ KQJ	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
North HCP: 12+2	♦ KQJ83	♦ 74	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 16	♣ -	♣ KQ63	Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 5 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !S			
			3. 1 out of 4			

Board: 36	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q6542	♠ AK93				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 7	♥ AJ8	2 ♥	X	3 ♥	3 ♠
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AT	♦ KQ873	Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♣
South HCP: 17+1	♣ KT642	♣ 5	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 5 ♠ North			Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 37	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 97542	♠ A63				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 5	♥ AQJ87	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AJT95	♦ Q6	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
South HCP: 17+1	♣ A4	♣ KJ5	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♠
Contract: 4 ♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 38**      ♠ 3      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AT73      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AQT7

HCP: 18      ♣ AKJ8

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**Board: 39**      ♠ AKJ73      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ QT973      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q

HCP: 12+2      ♣ 64

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**Board: 40**      ♠ A8652      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ -

HCP: 13+3      ♣ AT8642

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### Board: 38

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 3	♠ K7652		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT73	♥ Q	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 18	♦ AQT7	♦ K96542	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 8+3	♣ AKJ8	♣ 5	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♦ North			Pass	6♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 39

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJ73	♠ 982				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ QT973	♥ K2	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12+2	♦ Q	♦ AK62	All Pass			
South HCP: 16	♣ 64	♣ KQJ8				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♠ South						

### Board: 40

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8652	♠ K9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KQ	♥ AJ87642	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13+3	♦ -	♦ AK6	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17+3	♣ AT8642	♣ Q	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♥ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 7♥ North			Pass	5NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥ <sup>4</sup>
			Pass	7♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

<b>Board: 38</b>	♠ K7652	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K96542	
HCP: 8+3	♣ 5	

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<b>Board: 39</b>	♠ 982	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ K2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK62	
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ8	

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<b>Board: 40</b>	♠ K9	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ87642	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK6	
HCP: 17+3	♣ Q	

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### Board: 38

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 3	♠ K7652		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT73	♥ Q	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 18	♦ AQT7	♦ K96542	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 8+3	♣ AKJ8	♣ 5	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♦ North			Pass	6♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 39

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJ73	♠ 982				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ QT973	♥ K2	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12+2	♦ Q	♦ AK62	All Pass			
South HCP: 16	♣ 64	♣ KQJ8				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♠ South						

### Board: 40

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8652	♠ K9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KQ	♥ AJ87642	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13+3	♦ -	♦ AK6	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17+3	♣ AT8642	♣ Q	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♥ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 7♥ North			Pass	5NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥ <sup>4</sup>
			Pass	7♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

**Board: 41**      ♠ 64      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KQ98      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AKQ52

HCP: 17+1      ♣ K3

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**Board: 42**      ♠ Q43      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A73      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ K76

HCP: 17      ♣ AKJ5

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**Board: 43**      ♠ KT863      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ -      East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ KJ8

HCP: 12+2      ♣ KQ543

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**Board: 44**      ♠ 72      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 8      West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ AQT42

HCP: 9+2      ♣ QJ652

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### Board: 41

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 64	♠ AKQJT2		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ98	♥ 3	Pass	1NT	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 17+1	♦ AKQ52	♦ 3	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 10+3	♣ K3	♣ 98652	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♠
Contract: 5♠ South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 42

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q43	♠ KT		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Vul: E-W	♥ A73	♥ QJ986	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K76	♦ AQJ43	Pass	5♥ <sup>2</sup>	All Pass	
South HCP: 13+2	♣ AKJ5	♣ 3				
Contract: 5♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

### Board: 43

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT863	♠ AJQ42				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ -	♥ AK8	Pass	1♠	3♥	5♣ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 12+2	♦ KJ8	♦ AQ943	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7♠
South HCP: 20+2	♣ KQ543	♣ -	All Pass			
Contract: 7♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !S			
			3. 1 out of 4			

### Board: 44

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 72	♠ KJ8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 8	♥ AKJ653	2♠	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AQT42	♦ 87	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+2	♣ QJ652	♣ A8				
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Rubensohl after 1m			

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<b>Board: 41</b>	♠ AKQJT2	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 3	
HCP: 10+3	♣ 98652	

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<b>Board: 42</b>	♠ KT	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ986	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQJ43	
HCP: 13+2	♣ 3	

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<b>Board: 43</b>	♠ AQJ42	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AK8	East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ943	
HCP: 20+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 44</b>	♠ KJ8	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJ653	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 87	
HCP: 16+2	♣ A8	

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### Board: 41

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 64	♠ AKQJT2		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ98	♥ 3	Pass	1NT	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 17+1	♦ AKQ52	♦ 3	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 10+3	♣ K3	♣ 98652	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♠
Contract: 5♠ South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 42

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q43	♠ KT		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Vul: E-W	♥ A73	♥ QJ986	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K76	♦ AQJ43	Pass	5♥ <sup>2</sup>	All Pass	
South HCP: 13+2	♣ AKJ5	♣ 3				
Contract: 5♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

### Board: 43

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT863	♠ AJQ42				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ -	♥ AK8	Pass	1♠	3♥	5♣ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 12+2	♦ KJ8	♦ AQ943	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7♠
South HCP: 20+2	♣ KQ543	♣ -	All Pass			
Contract: 7♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !S			
			3. 1 out of 4			

### Board: 44

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 72	♠ KJ8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 8	♥ AKJ653	2♠	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AQT42	♦ 87	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+2	♣ QJ652	♣ A8				
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Rubensohl after 1m			

**Board: 45**      ♠ Q98763      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ T      West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ K

HCP: 10+3      ♣ AJ965

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**Board: 46**      ♠ 642      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K8      East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AK6

HCP: 16+1      ♣ KQJ85

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**Board: 47**      ♠ K      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KJ98652

HCP: 19+3      ♣ AKQ

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**Board: 48**      ♠ AK8      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K3      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ T5

HCP: 17+2      ♣ AQJT62

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**Board: 45**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q98763	♠ A5				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ T	♥ AQ2	1♦	3♠	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 10+3	♦ K	♦ AJ653	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 18+1	♣ AJ965	♣ K87		All Pass		
Contract: 6♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

**Board: 46**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 642	♠ AKQ98		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ K8	♥ QT963	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AK6	♦ 873		All Pass		
South HCP: 11+2	♣ KQJ85	♣ -	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♠ South						

**Board: 47**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K	♠ QT		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Vul: E-W	♥ K6	♥ A9754	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 19+3	♦ KJ98652	♦ AQ743	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12+2	♣ AKQ	♣ 2	Pass	6♦	All Pass	
Contract: 6♦ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1			

**Board: 48**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK8	♠ QJ943		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K3	♥ AQ98754	Pass	2♣	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17+2	♦ T5	♦ 3		All Pass		
South HCP: 9+4	♣ AQJT62	♣ -	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♥ South			2. artificial			

**Board: 45**      ♠ A5      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ2      West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ AJ653

HCP: 18+1      ♣ K87

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**Board: 46**      ♠ AKQ98      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ QT963      East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 873

HCP: 11+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 47**      ♠ QT      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A9754      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AQ743

HCP: 12+2      ♣ 2

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**Board: 48**      ♠ QJ943      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ98754      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 3

HCP: 9+4      ♣ -

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**Board: 45**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q98763	♠ A5				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ T	♥ AQ2	1♦	3♠	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 10+3	♦ K	♦ AJ653	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 18+1	♣ AJ965	♣ K87		All Pass		
Contract: 6♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

**Board: 46**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 642	♠ AKQ98		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ K8	♥ QT963	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AK6	♦ 873		All Pass		
South HCP: 11+2	♣ KQJ85	♣ -	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♠ South						

**Board: 47**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K	♠ QT		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Vul: E-W	♥ K6	♥ A9754	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 19+3	♦ KJ98652	♦ AQ743	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12+2	♣ AKQ	♣ 2	Pass	6♦	All Pass	
Contract: 6♦ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1			

**Board: 48**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK8	♠ QJ943		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K3	♥ AQ98754	Pass	2♣	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17+2	♦ T5	♦ 3		All Pass		
South HCP: 9+4	♣ AQJT62	♣ -	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♥ South			2. artificial			

**Board: 49**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A8763      West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ K52      West (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

HCP: 10+2      ♣ K9842

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**Board: 50**      ♠ K8754      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 8      West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ 3

HCP: 9+3      ♣ AQ9653

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**Board: 51**      ♠ AJ7      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AJ85      East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KJ

HCP: 17      ♣ KT82

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**Board: 52**      ♠ JT7      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ JT875      East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKT84

HCP: 9+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 49**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AKQ76				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ A8763	♥ -	1♥	Pass	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 10+2	♦ K52	♦ A97	2♥	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ K9842	♣ QJT65				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						

**Board: 50**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K8754	♠ 9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ AKJ	1♠	3♣	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 9+3	♦ 3	♦ KQT975	Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17+2	♣ AQ9653	♣ KJ4	Pass	4♠	Pass	5♣
Contract: 5♣ South						All Pass
						1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 51**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJ7	♠ Q		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♠	3♦ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AJ85	♥ QT7632	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ	♦ A8642				1. 16+ HCP
South HCP: 9+3	♣ KT82	♣ J				2. Rubensohl after 1m
Contract: 4♥ North						

**Board: 52**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT7	♠ Q62				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ JT875	♥ AKQ9	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♣	3NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AKT84	♦ Q2				All Pass
South HCP: 17	♣ -	♣ A764				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT South						2. artificial

<b>Board: 49</b>	♠ AKQ76	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ -	West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A97	West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
HCP: 16+2	♣ QJT65	

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<b>Board: 50</b>	♠ 9	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJ	West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQT975	
HCP: 17+2	♣ KJ4	

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<b>Board: 51</b>	♠ Q	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ QT7632	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A8642	
HCP: 9+3	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 52</b>	♠ Q62	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ9	East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q2	
HCP: 17	♣ A764	

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**Board: 49**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AKQ76				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ A8763	♥ -	1♥	Pass	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 10+2	♦ K52	♦ A97	2♥	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ K9842	♣ QJT65				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						

**Board: 50**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K8754	♠ 9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ AKJ	1♠	3♣	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 9+3	♦ 3	♦ KQT975	Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17+2	♣ AQ9653	♣ KJ4	Pass	4♠	Pass	5♣
Contract: 5♣ South						All Pass
						1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 51**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJ7	♠ Q		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♠	3♦ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AJ85	♥ QT7632	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ	♦ A8642				1. 16+ HCP
South HCP: 9+3	♣ KT82	♣ J				2. Rubensohl after 1m
Contract: 4♥ North						

**Board: 52**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT7	♠ Q62				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ JT875	♥ AKQ9	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♣	3NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AKT84	♦ Q2				All Pass
South HCP: 17	♣ -	♣ A764				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT South						2. artificial

**Board: 53**      ♠ KQ96      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A43      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AQ92

HCP: 18      ♣ K7

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**Board: 54**      ♠ QJT97      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KJ632      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ A

HCP: 11+2      ♣ 84

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**Board: 55**      ♠ KJT863      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ T      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AQ974

HCP: 10+3      ♣ 8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 53

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ96	♠ AJT87		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ A43	♥ 2	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ92	♦ 84	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 11+2	♣ K7	♣ AQT92	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♦
Contract: 7♠ South			Pass	6♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7♠
			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. A=0/5 or 3/5
5. !S queen and !C king

### Board: 54

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJT97	♠ AK84				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KJ632	♥ Q5	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ A	♦ Q52	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 20	♣ 84	♣ AKQ2	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 55

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KJT863	♠ AQ7				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ T	♥ K84	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 10+3	♦ AQ974	♦ K	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 21+2	♣ 8	♣ AKQT65	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	

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

<b>Board: 53</b>	♠ AJT87	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 84	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AQT92	

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<b>Board: 54</b>	♠ AK84	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q52	
HCP: 20	♣ AKQ2	

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<b>Board: 55</b>	♠ AQ7	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ K84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K	
HCP: 21+2	♣ AKQT65	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 53

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ96	♠ AJT87		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ A43	♥ 2	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ92	♦ 84	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 11+2	♣ K7	♣ AQT92	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♦
Contract: 7♠ South			Pass	6♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7♠
			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. A=0/5 or 3/5
5. !S queen and !C king

### Board: 54

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJT97	♠ AK84				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KJ632	♥ Q5	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ A	♦ Q52	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 20	♣ 84	♣ AKQ2	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 55

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KJT863	♠ AQ7				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ T	♥ K84	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 10+3	♦ AQ974	♦ K	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 21+2	♣ 8	♣ AKQT65	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	

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

**Board: 56**      ♠ AQ943      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A96      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ 5

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AQ83

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**Board: 57**      ♠ AJT64      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 4      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ K9532

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 96

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**Board: 58**      ♠ A764      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AJ85      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ K96

HCP: 16      ♣ A7

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Board: 56	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ943	♠ 6		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ A96	♥ KJ8432	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 16+1	♦ 5	♦ AQ943	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 13+3	♣ AQ83	♣ K	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7♥
Contract: 7♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			
			3. no !H queen			

Board: 57	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJT64	♠ Q75			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	
Vul: N-S	♥ 4	♥ AKT832	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8+2	♦ K9532	♦ A	Pass	2♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 19+2	♣ 96	♣ AQ4	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♠
Contract: 6♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 58	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A764	♠ 2		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AJ85	♥ QT963	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ K96	♦ A2	Pass	3♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 9+2	♣ A7	♣ QJT64	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Super acceptance after NT			

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<b>Board: 56</b>	♠ 6	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ8432	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ943	
HCP: 13+3	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 57</b>	♠ Q75	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT832	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	
HCP: 19+2	♣ AQ4	

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<b>Board: 58</b>	♠ 2	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ QT963	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A2	
HCP: 9+2	♣ QJT64	

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Board: 56	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ943	♠ 6		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ A96	♥ KJ8432	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 16+1	♦ 5	♦ AQ943	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 13+3	♣ AQ83	♣ K	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7♥
Contract: 7♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			
			3. no !H queen			

Board: 57	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJT64	♠ Q75				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 4	♥ AKT832	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8+2	♦ K9532	♦ A	Pass	2♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 19+2	♣ 96	♣ AQ4	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♠
Contract: 6♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 58	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A764	♠ 2		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AJ85	♥ QT963	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ K96	♦ A2	Pass	3♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 9+2	♣ A7	♣ QJT64	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Super acceptance after NT			

**Board: 59**      ♠ KJ875      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A9      East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ AQ83

HCP: 17+1      ♣ K7

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**Board: 60**      ♠ KT532      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q3      East (LHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AQ832

HCP: 11+2      ♣ 2

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**Board: 61**      ♠ J32      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ -      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AQJT2

HCP: 10+2      ♣ QT985

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**Board: 62**      ♠ A6543      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A      West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ 84

HCP: 12+2      ♣ KJ976

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### Board: 59

Dealer: North

### North:

♠ KJ875

### South:

♠ 3

### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♥ 3♠<sup>2</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ A9

♥ Q6

Pass 3NT All Pass

North HCP: 17+1

♦ AQ83

♦ KJT75

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 12+2

♣ K7

♣ AQ543

2. Rubensohl after 1m

Contract: 3NT North

### Board: 60

Dealer: South

### North:

♠ KT532

### South:

♠ AQ86

### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ Q3

♥ A8

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

North HCP: 11+2

♦ AQ832

♦ T76

Pass 2♥ X 3♠<sup>3</sup>

South HCP: 16

♣ 2

♣ AQT9

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♠

Contract: 4♠ South

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 61

Dealer: South

### North:

♠ J32

### South:

♠ A54

### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ -

♥ AKT863

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

North HCP: 10+2

♦ AQJT2

♦ 5

Pass 3NT All Pass

South HCP: 18+2

♣ QT985

♣ AK7

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 62

Dealer: South

### North:

♠ A6543

### South:

♠ K

### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ A

♥ KQT93

1♦ 1♠ Pass 2♥

North HCP: 12+2

♦ 84

♦ AQ653

Pass 3♣ All Pass

South HCP: 18+2

♣ KJ976

♣ A5

1. 16+ HCP

Contract: 3♣ North

**Board: 59**      ♠ 3      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ Q6      East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ KJT75

HCP: 12+2      ♣ AQ543

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**Board: 60**      ♠ AQ86      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A8      East (RHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ T76

HCP: 16      ♣ AQT9

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**Board: 61**      ♠ A54      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKT863      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ 5

HCP: 18+2      ♣ AK7

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**Board: 62**      ♠ K      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQT93      West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ AQ653

HCP: 18+2      ♣ A5

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### Board: 59

Dealer: North

### North:

♠ KJ875

### South:

♠ 3

### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♥ 3♠<sup>2</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ A9

♥ Q6

Pass 3NT All Pass

North HCP: 17+1

♦ AQ83

♦ KJT75

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 12+2

♣ K7

♣ AQ543

2. Rubensohl after 1m

Contract: 3NT North

### Board: 60

Dealer: South

### North:

♠ KT532

### South:

♠ AQ86

### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ Q3

♥ A8

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

North HCP: 11+2

♦ AQ832

♦ T76

Pass 2♥ X 3♠<sup>3</sup>

South HCP: 16

♣ 2

♣ AQT9

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♠

Contract: 4♠ South

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 61

Dealer: South

### North:

♠ J32

### South:

♠ A54

### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ -

♥ AKT863

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

North HCP: 10+2

♦ AQJT2

♦ 5

Pass 3NT All Pass

South HCP: 18+2

♣ QT985

♣ AK7

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 62

Dealer: South

### North:

♠ A6543

### South:

♠ K

### W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ A

♥ KQT93

1♦ 1♠ Pass 2♥

North HCP: 12+2

♦ 84

♦ AQ653

Pass 3♣ All Pass

South HCP: 18+2

♣ KJ976

♣ A5

1. 16+ HCP

Contract: 3♣ North

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<b>Board: 63</b>	♠ Q98643	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AT542	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 3	
HCP: 9+3	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 64</b>	♠ J82	LHO opens the bidding 1♣.
Dealer: East	♥ K8653	Partner bids next.
Vul: Both	♦ 853	West (RHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 4+1	♣ 92	

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<b>Board: 65</b>	♠ 76532	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 5	
HCP: 9+3	♣ AKT954	

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<b>Board: 66</b>	♠ KJT	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ JT765	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AJ942	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 63	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q98643	♠ AJ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AT542	♥ J97	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9+3	♦ 3	♦ AK8542	Pass	2♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ K	♣ QJ				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 2♠ North						2. artificial

Board: 64	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ J82	♠ 96			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ K8653	♥ AJT974	X	3♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 4+1	♦ 853	♦ K976				
South HCP: 8+2	♣ 92	♣ 3				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3♥ North						

Board: 65	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 76532	♠ A			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	
Vul: N-S	♥ Q	♥ AJT7	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9+3	♦ 5	♦ AKQJ3	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 19+1	♣ AKT954	♣ 732	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

Board: 66	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KJT	♠ AQ3			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	
Vul: Both	♥ -	♥ Q942	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ JT765	♦ AK4	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 17	♣ AJ942	♣ QT7	All Pass			
Contract: 5♣ South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial
						3. Texas

**Board: 63**      ♠ AJ      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J97      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AK8542

HCP: 16+2      ♣ QJ

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**Board: 64**      ♠ 96      RHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: East      ♥ AJT974      You bid next.

Vul: Both      ♦ K976      West (LHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 3

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**Board: 65**      ♠ A      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AJT7      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQJ3

HCP: 19+1      ♣ 732

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**Board: 66**      ♠ AQ3      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q942      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AK4

HCP: 17      ♣ QT7

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Board: 63	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q98643	♠ AJ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AT542	♥ J97	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9+3	♦ 3	♦ AK8542	Pass	2♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ K	♣ QJ				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 2♠ North						2. artificial

Board: 64	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ J82	♠ 96			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ K8653	♥ AJT974	X	3♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 4+1	♦ 853	♦ K976				
South HCP: 8+2	♣ 92	♣ 3				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3♥ North						

Board: 65	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 76532	♠ A			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	
Vul: N-S	♥ Q	♥ AJT7	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9+3	♦ 5	♦ AKQJ3	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 19+1	♣ AKT954	♣ 732	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

Board: 66	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KJT	♠ AQ3			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	
Vul: Both	♥ -	♥ Q942	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ JT765	♦ AK4	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 17	♣ AJ942	♣ QT7	All Pass			
Contract: 5♣ South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial
						3. Texas

**Board: 67**      ♠ AQ7      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KQ84      West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ 3

HCP: 16+1      ♣ KQ986

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**Board: 68**      ♠ AQ874      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ T8742      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q4

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 3

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**Board: 69**      ♠ 86      LHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: East      ♥ -      Partner bids next.

Vul: None      ♦ AKJT8643      West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

HCP: 11+4      ♣ QJ3      East (LHO) Doubles 5♦ if possible.

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**Board: 70**      ♠ J      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKQJ987      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q9

HCP: 19+3      ♣ AQT

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Board: 67	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ7	♠ JT		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQ84	♥ -	2♠	3♣	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 16+1	♦ 3	♦ KQ9862	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 11+3	♣ KQ986	♣ AJ532	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Splinter			
			4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1			

Board: 68	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ874	♠ J53				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ T8742	♥ A96	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ Q4	♦ AKT	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 17	♣ 3	♣ AJ96	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠
Contract: 4♠ North			Pass	4♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 69	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ 86	♠ 932			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass
Vul: None	♥ -	♥ QJT65	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	5♦	X	All Pass
North HCP: 11+4	♦ AKJT8643	♦ 7				
South HCP: 3+1	♣ QJ3	♣ T765	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 5♦ X North			2. artificial			

Board: 70	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J	♠ AQT92		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQJ987	♥ 6	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 19+3	♦ Q9	♦ AK7532	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+3	♣ AQT	♣ K	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 6NT North			2. solo suit			

**Board: 67**      ♠ JT      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ -      West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ KQ9862

HCP: 11+3      ♣ AJ532

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**Board: 68**      ♠ J53      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A96      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKT

HCP: 17      ♣ AJ96

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**Board: 69**      ♠ 932      RHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: East      ♥ QJT65      You bid next.

Vul: None      ♦ 7      West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

HCP: 3+1      ♣ T765      East (RHO) Doubles 5♦ if possible.

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**Board: 70**      ♠ AQT92      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AK7532

HCP: 16+3      ♣ K

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Board: 67	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ7	♠ JT		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQ84	♥ -	2♠	3♣	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 16+1	♦ 3	♦ KQ9862	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 11+3	♣ KQ986	♣ AJ532	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Splinter			
			4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1			

Board: 68	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ874	♠ J53				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ T8742	♥ A96	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ Q4	♦ AKT	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 17	♣ 3	♣ AJ96	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠
Contract: 4♠ North			Pass	4♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 69	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ 86	♠ 932			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass
Vul: None	♥ -	♥ QJT65	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	5♦	X	All Pass
North HCP: 11+4	♦ AKJT8643	♦ 7				
South HCP: 3+1	♣ QJ3	♣ T765	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 5♦ X North			2. artificial			

Board: 70	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J	♠ AQT92		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQJ987	♥ 6	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 19+3	♦ Q9	♦ AK7532	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+3	♣ AQT	♣ K	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 6NT North			2. solo suit			

<b>Board: 71</b>	♠ 72	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ KT643	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 8	
HCP: 8+2	♣ KQT83	

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<b>Board: 72</b>	♠ 72	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQJ82	East (LHO) Doubles 1♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ	
HCP: 16+2	♣ K82	

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<b>Board: 73</b>	♠ 6	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ9874	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJT52	
HCP: 8+3	♣ J	

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**Board: 71**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 72	♠ KQJT8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KT643	♥ A7	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 8+2	♦ 8	♦ AJ42	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KQT83	♣ J9	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

**Board: 72**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 72	♠ KQ865		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	X	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKQJ82	♥ -	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16+2	♦ QJ	♦ A7	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+3	♣ K82	♣ QT9743	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

**Board: 73**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 6	♠ AQ85				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ QJ9874	♥ K63	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+3	♦ KJT52	♦ A63	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ J	♣ A94	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial
						3. Texas

**Board: 71**      ♠ KQJT8      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A7      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AJ42

HCP: 16+1      ♣ J9

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**Board: 72**      ♠ KQ865      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ -      East (RHO) Doubles 1♣ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ A7

HCP: 11+3      ♣ QT9743

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**Board: 73**      ♠ AQ85      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K63      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ A63

HCP: 17      ♣ A94

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**Board: 71**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 72	♠ KQJT8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KT643	♥ A7	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 8+2	♦ 8	♦ AJ42	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KQT83	♣ J9	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

**Board: 72**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 72	♠ KQ865		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	X	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKQJ82	♥ -	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16+2	♦ QJ	♦ A7	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+3	♣ K82	♣ QT9743	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

**Board: 73**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 6	♠ AQ85				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ QJ9874	♥ K63	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+3	♦ KJT52	♦ A63	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ J	♣ A94	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial
						3. Texas

**Board: 74**      ♠ AK      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ7      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ QJ942

HCP: 17+1      ♣ J92

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**Board: 75**      ♠ 74      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AK9      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ K6542

HCP: 17+1      ♣ AK7

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**Board: 76**      ♠ K9      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 4      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KQT85

HCP: 8+2      ♣ T8432

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 74

Dealer: North  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 17+1  
South HCP: 15+3  
Contract: 7♥ South

### North:

♠ AK  
♥ AQ7  
♦ QJ942  
♣ J92

### South:

♠ -  
♥ KJT952  
♦ AK765  
♣ A7

### W N E S

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

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

### Board: 75

Dealer: North  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 17+1  
South HCP: 13+2  
Contract: 3NT North

### North:

♠ 74  
♥ AK9  
♦ K6542  
♣ AK7

### South:

♠ AK863  
♥ 52  
♦ A  
♣ Q8432

### W N E S

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

### Board: 76

Dealer: South  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 8+2  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 3NT North

### North:

♠ K9  
♥ 4  
♦ KQT85  
♣ T8432

### South:

♠ A876  
♥ A83  
♦ A9  
♣ AQJ9

### W N E S

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

<b>Board: 74</b>	♠ -	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT952	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK765	
HCP: 15+3	♣ A7	

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<b>Board: 75</b>	♠ AK863	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 52	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	
HCP: 13+2	♣ Q8432	

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<b>Board: 76</b>	♠ A876	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ A83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A9	
HCP: 19	♣ AQJ9	

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### Board: 74

Dealer: North  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 17+1  
South HCP: 15+3  
Contract: 7♥ South

### North:

♠ AK  
♥ AQ7  
♦ QJ942  
♣ J92

### South:

♠ -  
♥ KJT952  
♦ AK765  
♣ A7

### W N E S

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

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

### Board: 75

Dealer: North  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 17+1  
South HCP: 13+2  
Contract: 3NT North

### North:

♠ 74  
♥ AK9  
♦ K6542  
♣ AK7

### South:

♠ AK863  
♥ 52  
♦ A  
♣ Q8432

### W N E S

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

### Board: 76

Dealer: South  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 8+2  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 3NT North

### North:

♠ K9  
♥ 4  
♦ KQT85  
♣ T8432

### South:

♠ A876  
♥ A83  
♦ A9  
♣ AQJ9

### W N E S

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

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<b>Board: 77</b>	♠ -	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ9752	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ QT653	
HCP: 12+3	♣ KJ	

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<b>Board: 78</b>	♠ T7543	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K9	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AKT75	

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<b>Board: 79</b>	♠ -	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT97	West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ QT976	
HCP: 10+2	♣ KT8	

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<b>Board: 80</b>	♠ KQ973	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q9432	West (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ K	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 63	

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Board: 77	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AKQ8654				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQ9752	♥ K6	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12+3	♦ QT653	♦ AJ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 21+3	♣ KJ	♣ AT	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 7♥ South			Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠
			Pass	6♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7♥
			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			
			3. !H queen and !C king			

Board: 78	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T7543	♠ AK				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 3	♥ KQ764	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ K9	♦ A83	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ AKT75	♣ J63	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 79	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ KJ975				1♣ <sup>1</sup>		
Vul: N-S	♥ KQT97	♥ -	1♥	Pass	Pass	2♠		
North HCP: 10+2	♦ QT976	♦ AKJ	Pass	3♦	All Pass			
South HCP: 19+2	♣ KT8	♣ AQJ52	1. 16+ HCP					
Contract: 3♦ North								

Board: 80	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ973	♠ AJ54				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ Q9432	♥ KT7	2♦	3♦	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 10+2	♦ K	♦ 2	All Pass			
South HCP: 17+1	♣ 63	♣ AKQT7	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♣ South						

**Board: 77**      ♠ AKQ8654    You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K6            The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AJ

HCP: 21+3      ♣ AT

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**Board: 78**      ♠ AK            You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ764       The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ A83

HCP: 17+1      ♣ J63

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**Board: 79**      ♠ KJ975       You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ -            West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKJ

HCP: 19+2      ♣ AQJ52

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**Board: 80**      ♠ AJ54       You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KT7        West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 2

HCP: 17+1      ♣ AKQT7

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Board: 77	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AKQ8654				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQ9752	♥ K6	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12+3	♦ QT653	♦ AJ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 21+3	♣ KJ	♣ AT	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 7♥ South			Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠
			Pass	6♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7♥
			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			
			3. !H queen and !C king			

Board: 78	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T7543	♠ AK				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 3	♥ KQ764	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ K9	♦ A83	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ AKT75	♣ J63	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 79	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ KJ975				1♣ <sup>1</sup>		
Vul: N-S	♥ KQT97	♥ -	1♥	Pass	Pass	2♠		
North HCP: 10+2	♦ QT976	♦ AKJ	Pass	3♦	All Pass			
South HCP: 19+2	♣ KT8	♣ AQJ52	1. 16+ HCP					
Contract: 3♦ North								

Board: 80	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ973	♠ AJ54				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ Q9432	♥ KT7	2♦	3♦	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 10+2	♦ K	♦ 2	All Pass			
South HCP: 17+1	♣ 63	♣ AKQT7	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♣ South						

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<b>Board: 81</b>	♠ T	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJ985	
HCP: 10+2	♣ KQ963	

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<b>Board: 82</b>	♠ 63	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 6	
HCP: 15+2	♣ AJ854	

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<b>Board: 83</b>	♠ AQJ7	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A73	
HCP: 23	♣ KQ	

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<b>Board: 84</b>	♠ AKJT	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AK74	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q65	
HCP: 17	♣ T8	

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Board: 81	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T	♠ A843				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ Q4	♥ AK652	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ QJ985	♦ K76	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 18+1	♣ KQ963	♣ A	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 82	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 63	♠ AKJ4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AKQJ2	♥ 83	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15+2	♦ 6	♦ AK54	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 17	♣ AJ854	♣ QT6	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 6NT North						

Board: 83	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJ7	♠ KT854		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKT5	♥ 7	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 23	♦ A73	♦ Q5	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 9+2	♣ KQ	♣ A8653	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♠
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Super acceptance after NT			
			4. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 84	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJT	♠ 32		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ AK74	♥ 3	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 17	♦ Q65	♦ AJT98	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 13+2	♣ T8	♣ AKJ54	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♦
Contract: 6♦ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1			

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<b>Board: 81</b>	♠ A843	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AK652	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K76	
HCP: 18+1	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 82</b>	♠ AKJ4	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK54	
HCP: 17	♣ QT6	

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<b>Board: 83</b>	♠ KT854	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q5	
HCP: 9+2	♣ A8653	

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<b>Board: 84</b>	♠ 32	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJT98	
HCP: 13+2	♣ AKJ54	

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Board: 81	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T	♠ A843				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ Q4	♥ AK652	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ QJ985	♦ K76	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 18+1	♣ KQ963	♣ A	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 82	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 63	♠ AKJ4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AKQJ2	♥ 83	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15+2	♦ 6	♦ AK54	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 17	♣ AJ854	♣ QT6	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 6NT North						

Board: 83	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJ7	♠ KT854		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKT5	♥ 7	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 23	♦ A73	♦ Q5	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 9+2	♣ KQ	♣ A8653	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♠
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Super acceptance after NT			
			4. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 84	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJT	♠ 32		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ AK74	♥ 3	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 17	♦ Q65	♦ AJT98	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 13+2	♣ T8	♣ AKJ54	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♦
Contract: 6♦ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1			

**Board: 85**      ♠ K      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KT954      West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AT532

HCP: 10+2      ♣ 93

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**Board: 86**      ♠ T      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ JT985

HCP: 8+2      ♣ KQJ83

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**Board: 87**      ♠ AKQ7      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AT6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQ92

HCP: 18      ♣ 85

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**Board: 88**      ♠ A95      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A97      East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ QJ7

HCP: 16      ♣ AJ96

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Board: 85	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K	♠ Q75				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KT954	♥ AQ876	1 ♠	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ AT532	♦ K9	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 93	♣ KQ6	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

Board: 86	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T	♠ AKJ9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J2	♥ AT9	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ JT985	♦ A43	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16	♣ KQJ83	♣ T95				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 2NT North						2. artificial

Board: 87	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKQ7	♠ J6542		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AT6	♥ QJ982	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 18	♦ KQ92	♦ JT	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ 85	♣ K				
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Super acceptance after NT			

Board: 88	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A95	♠ 8		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	3♥
Vul: E-W	♥ A97	♥ QJT832	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ7	♦ A8543	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
South HCP: 9+3	♣ AJ96	♣ Q	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
Contract: 6♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

**Board: 85**      ♠ Q75      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ876      West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ K9

HCP: 16+1      ♣ KQ6

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**Board: 86**      ♠ AKJ9      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AT9      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ A43

HCP: 16      ♣ T95

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**Board: 87**      ♠ J6542      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ QJ982      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ JT

HCP: 8+2      ♣ K

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**Board: 88**      ♠ 8      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ QJT832      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ A8543

HCP: 9+3      ♣ Q

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Board: 85	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K	♠ Q75				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KT954	♥ AQ876	1 ♠	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ AT532	♦ K9	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 93	♣ KQ6	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

Board: 86	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T	♠ AKJ9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J2	♥ AT9	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ JT985	♦ A43	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16	♣ KQJ83	♣ T95				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 2NT North						2. artificial

Board: 87	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKQ7	♠ J6542		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AT6	♥ QJ982	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 18	♦ KQ92	♦ JT	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ 85	♣ K				
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Super acceptance after NT			

Board: 88	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A95	♠ 8		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♠	3 ♥
Vul: E-W	♥ A97	♥ QJT832	Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ7	♦ A8543	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
South HCP: 9+3	♣ AJ96	♣ Q	Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
Contract: 6 ♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

**Board: 89**      ♠ A2      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKQT8      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ A83

HCP: 21+1      ♣ A76

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**Board: 90**      ♠ KT764      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J9      West (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ K

HCP: 11+2      ♣ KJT95

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**Board: 91**      ♠ A42      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQT2      East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQ9

HCP: 19      ♣ T2

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**Board: 92**      ♠ T63      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K9852      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ -

HCP: 8+2      ♣ KQ983

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Board: 89	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A2	♠ KJT97		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AKQT8	♥ 2	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 21+1	♦ A83	♦ KJT94	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ A76	♣ T3				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						2. artificial

Board: 90	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT764	♠ A				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J9	♥ KQ632	2♦	3♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ K	♦ A9854	All Pass			
South HCP: 17+2	♣ KJT95	♣ A3	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 91	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A42	♠ Q6		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	2♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AQT2	♥ 7	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 19	♦ AKQ9	♦ 87642		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 8+2	♣ T2	♣ KQJ76		2. strength cue bid		
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 92	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T63	♠ KQJ82				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ K9852	♥ A3	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
North HCP: 8+2	♦ -	♦ AKQJ7	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 20+2	♣ KQ983	♣ 6	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Contract: 5 ♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

<b>Board: 89</b>	♠ KJT97	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJT94	
HCP: 8+2	♣ T3	

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<b>Board: 90</b>	♠ A	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ632	West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A9854	
HCP: 17+2	♣ A3	

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<b>Board: 91</b>	♠ Q6	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 87642	
HCP: 8+2	♣ KQJ76	

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<b>Board: 92</b>	♠ KQJ82	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ A3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQJ7	
HCP: 20+2	♣ 6	

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Board: 89	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A2	♠ KJT97		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AKQT8	♥ 2	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 21+1	♦ A83	♦ KJT94	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ A76	♣ T3				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						2. artificial

Board: 90	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT764	♠ A				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J9	♥ KQ632	2♦	3♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ K	♦ A9854	All Pass			
South HCP: 17+2	♣ KJT95	♣ A3				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 91	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A42	♠ Q6		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	2♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AQT2	♥ 7	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 19	♦ AKQ9	♦ 87642		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 8+2	♣ T2	♣ KQJ76		2. strength cue bid		
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 92	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T63	♠ KQJ82				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ K9852	♥ A3	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
North HCP: 8+2	♦ -	♦ AKQJ7	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 20+2	♣ KQ983	♣ 6	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Contract: 5 ♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

<b>Board: 93</b>	♠ KQ763	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ765	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A	
HCP: 15+2	♣ K5	

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<b>Board: 94</b>	♠ AJT5	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 874	
HCP: 18	♣ AQ	

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<b>Board: 95</b>	♠ AK763	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q95	East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ QT864	
HCP: 11+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 96</b>	♠ QJ9752	RHO opens the bidding 1♣.
Dealer: West	♥ 2	You bid next.
Vul: E-W	♦ 82	East (LHO) Doubles 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 6+2	♣ QJ53	West (RHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.
		East (LHO) bids 5♣ if possible.
		West (RHO) Doubles 6♦ if possible.

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Board: 93	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ763	♠ A				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ QJ765	♥ K32	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15+2	♦ A	♦ KT962	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ K5	♣ AQT7	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
Contract: 5♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 94	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ AJT5	♠ Q		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦		
Vul: Both	♥ AKT3	♥ 54	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦		
North HCP: 18	♦ 874	♦ AKQ62	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>		
South HCP: 15+2	♣ AQ	♣ KJ542	Pass	6♦	All Pass			
Contract: 6♦ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1					

Board: 95	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: South	♠ AK763	♠ J4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>		
Vul: None	♥ Q95	♥ AK73	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♣	3♦		
North HCP: 11+2	♦ QT864	♦ AK972	Pass	3♠	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ -	♣ J7	1. 16+ HCP					
Contract: 3♠ North			2. artificial					

Board: 96	North:	South:	W	N	E	S			
Dealer: West	♠ QJ9752	♠ 8	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♠	X	3♦			
Vul: E-W	♥ 2	♥ QJT8	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♦			
North HCP: 6+2	♦ 82	♦ KQJ96543	X	Pass	5♣	Pass			
South HCP: 9+4	♣ QJ53	♣ -	Pass	6♦	Pass	Pass			
Contract: 6♦ X North			X	All Pass					
			1. 16+ HCP						
			2. limit raise or better in !D						

**Board: 93**      ♠ A      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K32      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KT962

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AQT7

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**Board: 94**      ♠ Q      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 54      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AKQ62

HCP: 15+2      ♣ KJ542

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**Board: 95**      ♠ J4      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK73      East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ AK972

HCP: 16+1      ♣ J7

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**Board: 96**      ♠ 8      LHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: West      ♥ QJT8      Partner bids next.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQJ96543      East (RHO) Doubles 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 9+4      ♣ -      West (LHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.

East (RHO) bids 5♣ if possible.

West (LHO) Doubles 6♦ if possible.

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Board: 93	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ763	♠ A				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ QJ765	♥ K32	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15+2	♦ A	♦ KT962	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ K5	♣ AQT7	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
Contract: 5♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 94	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ AJT5	♠ Q		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦		
Vul: Both	♥ AKT3	♥ 54	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦		
North HCP: 18	♦ 874	♦ AKQ62	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>		
South HCP: 15+2	♣ AQ	♣ KJ542	Pass	6♦	All Pass			
Contract: 6♦ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1					

Board: 95	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: South	♠ AK763	♠ J4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>		
Vul: None	♥ Q95	♥ AK73	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♣	3♦		
North HCP: 11+2	♦ QT864	♦ AK972	Pass	3♠	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ -	♣ J7	1. 16+ HCP					
Contract: 3♠ North			2. artificial					

Board: 96	North:	South:	W	N	E	S			
Dealer: West	♠ QJ9752	♠ 8	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♠	X	3♦			
Vul: E-W	♥ 2	♥ QJT8	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♦			
North HCP: 6+2	♦ 82	♦ KQJ96543	X	Pass	5♣	Pass			
South HCP: 9+4	♣ QJ53	♣ -	Pass	6♦	Pass	Pass			
Contract: 6♦ X North			X	All Pass					
			1. 16+ HCP						
			2. limit raise or better in !D						

**Board: 97**      ♠ K8      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AJT43

HCP: 21+1      ♣ AKQ6

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**Board: 98**      ♠ AQ6      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A83      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ A5

HCP: 17+1      ♣ QJ743

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**Board: 99**      ♠ 3      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K9863      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ K4

HCP: 15+2      ♣ AKQ74

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 97

Dealer: North  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 21+1  
South HCP: 9+2  
Contract: 3NT North

### North:

♠ K8  
♥ A6  
♦ AJT43  
♣ AKQ6

### South:

♠ 965  
♥ KJT83  
♦ KQ872  
♣ -

W N E S

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

### Board: 98

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 17+1  
South HCP: 9+3  
Contract: 5♥ North

### North:

♠ AQ6  
♥ A83  
♦ A5  
♣ QJ743

### South:

♠ 9  
♥ KT6542  
♦ QT932  
♣ A

W N E S

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

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

### Board: 99

Dealer: South  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 15+2  
South HCP: 17+1  
Contract: 6♥ North

### North:

♠ 3  
♥ K9863  
♦ K4  
♣ AKQ74

### South:

♠ AQ85  
♥ AJ5  
♦ AQ632  
♣ 5

W N E S

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. A=0/5 or 3/5
3. no !H queen
4. King ask by available bid
5. K=0

<b>Board: 97</b>	♠ 965	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ872	
HCP: 9+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 98</b>	♠ 9	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KT6542	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ QT932	
HCP: 9+3	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 99</b>	♠ AQ85	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ632	
HCP: 17+1	♣ 5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 97

Dealer: North  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 21+1  
South HCP: 9+2  
Contract: 3NT North

### North:

♠ K8  
♥ A6  
♦ AJT43  
♣ AKQ6

### South:

♠ 965  
♥ KJT83  
♦ KQ872  
♣ -

W N E S

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

### Board: 98

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 17+1  
South HCP: 9+3  
Contract: 5♥ North

### North:

♠ AQ6  
♥ A83  
♦ A5  
♣ QJ743

### South:

♠ 9  
♥ KT6542  
♦ QT932  
♣ A

W N E S

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

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

### Board: 99

Dealer: South  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 15+2  
South HCP: 17+1  
Contract: 6♥ North

### North:

♠ 3  
♥ K9863  
♦ K4  
♣ AKQ74

### South:

♠ AQ85  
♥ AJ5  
♦ AQ632  
♣ 5

W N E S

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. A=0/5 or 3/5
3. no !H queen
4. King ask by available bid
5. K=0

**Board: 100**      ♠ AKJ8      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ J      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 82

HCP: 18+2      ♣ AKQ965

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**Board: 101**      ♠ 53      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKQJT      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AK873

HCP: 17+2      ♣ 3

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**Board: 102**      ♠ 96543      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQT973      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 6

HCP: 9+3      ♣ K

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 100	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ8	♠ T7		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J	♥ QT863	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 18+2	♦ 82	♦ AQJ963	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 9+3	♣ AKQ965	♣ -	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 101	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 53	♠ AKT872		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AKQJT	♥ 4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 17+2	♦ AK873	♦ Q	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 14+3	♣ 3	♣ AJT92	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
Contract: 6NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 102	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 96543	♠ AKQT87				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQT973	♥ 5	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 9+3	♦ 6	♦ AT85	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 16+2	♣ K	♣ QJ	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

<b>Board: 100</b>	♠ T7	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ QT863	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQJ963	
HCP: 9+3	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 101</b>	♠ AKT872	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q	
HCP: 14+3	♣ AJT92	

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<b>Board: 102</b>	♠ AKQT87	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT85	
HCP: 16+2	♣ QJ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 100	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ8	♠ T7		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J	♥ QT863	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 18+2	♦ 82	♦ AQJ963	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 9+3	♣ AKQ965	♣ -	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 101	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 53	♠ AKT872		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AKQJT	♥ 4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 17+2	♦ AK873	♦ Q	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 14+3	♣ 3	♣ AJT92	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
Contract: 6NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 102	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 96543	♠ AKQT87				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQT973	♥ 5	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 9+3	♦ 6	♦ AT85	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 16+2	♣ K	♣ QJ	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

**Board: 103**      ♠ 4      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQJ72      East (LHO) Doubles 3♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ Q7

HCP: 12+2      ♣ KT653

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**Board: 104**      ♠ 84      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ KJ752

HCP: 9+2      ♣ KT843

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**Board: 105**      ♠ AK      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ Q8      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KT72

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AT532

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 103

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 4	♠ AJ7				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ72	♥ K8543	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ Q7	♦ AT4	Pass	3 ♠	X	3NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KT653	♣ A9	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6 ♥ South			Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 104

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 84	♠ A				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ A86	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 9+2	♦ KJ752	♦ AT93	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ KT843	♣ AJ972	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

### Board: 105

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ AK	♠ 86		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>		
Vul: E-W	♥ Q8	♥ AKJ94	Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♦		
North HCP: 16+1	♦ KT72	♦ QJ543	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦		
South HCP: 11+2	♣ AT532	♣ 6	Pass	3NT	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. artificial					

**Board: 103**      ♠ AJ7      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K8543      East (RHO) Doubles 3♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ AT4

HCP: 16+1      ♣ A9

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**Board: 104**      ♠ A      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A86      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AT93

HCP: 17+1      ♣ AJ972

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**Board: 105**      ♠ 86      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKJ94      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ QJ543

HCP: 11+2      ♣ 6

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 103

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 4	♠ AJ7				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ72	♥ K8543	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ Q7	♦ AT4	Pass	3 ♠	X	3NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KT653	♣ A9	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6 ♥ South			Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 104

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 84	♠ A				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ A86	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 9+2	♦ KJ752	♦ AT93	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ KT843	♣ AJ972	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

### Board: 105

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ AK	♠ 86		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>		
Vul: E-W	♥ Q8	♥ AKJ94	Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♦		
North HCP: 16+1	♦ KT72	♦ QJ543	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦		
South HCP: 11+2	♣ AT532	♣ 6	Pass	3NT	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. artificial					

**Board: 106**      ♠ AQJ5      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K84      East (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ KQ3

HCP: 19      ♣ KJ4

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**Board: 107**      ♠ A9642      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 3      West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ KJ8754      West (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

HCP: 8+3      ♣ 8

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**Board: 108**      ♠ A      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ9743      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A942

HCP: 18+2      ♣ A3

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**Board: 109**      ♠ 7      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQT82      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ QJ9852

HCP: 9+3      ♣ 9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 106

Dealer: North  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 8+2  
Contract: 5♠ South

### North:

♠ AQJ5  
♥ K84  
♦ KQ3  
♣ KJ4

### South:

♠ KT983  
♥ 9  
♦ J9  
♣ AT875

### W N E S

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. limit raise or better in !S
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 107

Dealer: South  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 8+3  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 3♦ North

### North:

♠ A9642  
♥ 3  
♦ KJ8754  
♣ 8

### South:

♠ 8  
♥ AQJ2  
♦ AT32  
♣ AJ94

### W N E S

			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♣	2♠	Pass	Pass
3♣	3♦	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 108

Dealer: North  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 18+2  
South HCP: 9+3  
Contract: 4♠ South

### North:

♠ A  
♥ AQ9743  
♦ A942  
♣ A3

### South:

♠ KQJ954  
♥ 8  
♦ Q  
♣ J7642

### W N E S

	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♦	Pass	4♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 109

Dealer: South  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 9+3  
South HCP: 16+1  
Contract: 4♥ South

### North:

♠ 7  
♥ AQT82  
♦ QJ9852  
♣ 9

### South:

♠ AK32  
♥ K75  
♦ T  
♣ AQT64

### W N E S

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

**Board: 106**      ♠ KT983      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 9      East (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ J9

HCP: 8+2      ♣ AT875

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**Board: 107**      ♠ 8      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQJ2      West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ AT32      West (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

HCP: 16      ♣ AJ94

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**Board: 108**      ♠ KQJ954      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 8      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q

HCP: 9+3      ♣ J7642

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**Board: 109**      ♠ AK32      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K75      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ T

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AQT64

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 106

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJ5	♠ KT983		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♦	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ K84	♥ 9	Pass	2♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 19	♦ KQ3	♦ J9	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 8+2	♣ KJ4	♣ AT875	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT
Contract: 5♠ South			Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠
			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 107

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A9642	♠ 8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ AQJ2	2♣	2♠	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 8+3	♦ KJ8754	♦ AT32	3♣	3♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 16	♣ 8	♣ AJ94	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3♦ North						

### Board: 108

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A	♠ KQJ954		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AQ9743	♥ 8	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 18+2	♦ A942	♦ Q	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 9+3	♣ A3	♣ J7642	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

### Board: 109

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 7	♠ AK32				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQT82	♥ K75	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 9+3	♦ QJ9852	♦ T	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 9	♣ AQT64	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 110**      ♠ QT963      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AJ      East (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ A542      West (RHO) bids 5♣ if possible.

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AJ

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**Board: 111**      ♠ AKJT8      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KJ9875

HCP: 12+3      ♣ 9

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**Board: 112**      ♠ 3      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKQJ54      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ A8

HCP: 16+2      ♣ QT92

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**Board: 113**      ♠ KT743      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A3      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKQJ5

HCP: 20+2      ♣ K

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Board: 110	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ QT963	♠ AKJ84		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2NT <sup>2</sup>	3♠
Vul: None	♥ AJ	♥ KQ974	5♣	6♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 16+1	♦ A542	♦ 6			1. 16+ HCP	
South HCP: 13+2	♣ AJ	♣ 43			2. Unusual 2NT	
Contract: 6♠ North						

Board: 111	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJT8	♠ Q75			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	
Vul: N-S	♥ 2	♥ AK75	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 12+3	♦ KJ9875	♦ A	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 20+1	♣ 9	♣ AK853	Pass	5♦	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 7♠ North			Pass	7♠	All Pass	
					1. 16+ HCP	
					2. A=0/5 or 3/5	
					3. !S queen and !H king	

Board: 112	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 3	♠ K65		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQJ54	♥ -	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16+2	♦ A8	♦ T6532	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 8+2	♣ QT92	♣ AJ854	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South				1. 16+ HCP		
				2. artificial		

Board: 113	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT743	♠ Q		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Vul: E-W	♥ A3	♥ KQ952	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 20+2	♦ AKQJ5	♦ 3	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♣
South HCP: 14+3	♣ K	♣ AQJ952	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6NT North			Pass	6NT	All Pass	
				1. 16+ HCP		
				2. A=1/5 or 4/5		

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<b>Board: 110</b>	♠ AKJ84	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ974	East (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 6	West (LHO) bids 5♣ if possible.
HCP: 13+2	♣ 43	

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<b>Board: 111</b>	♠ Q75	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AK75	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	
HCP: 20+1	♣ AK853	

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<b>Board: 112</b>	♠ K65	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T6532	
HCP: 8+2	♣ AJ854	

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<b>Board: 113</b>	♠ Q	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ952	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 3	
HCP: 14+3	♣ AQJ952	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 110	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ QT963	♠ AKJ84		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2NT <sup>2</sup>	3♠
Vul: None	♥ AJ	♥ KQ974	5♣	6♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 16+1	♦ A542	♦ 6			1. 16+ HCP	
South HCP: 13+2	♣ AJ	♣ 43			2. Unusual 2NT	
Contract: 6♠ North						

Board: 111	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJT8	♠ Q75			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	
Vul: N-S	♥ 2	♥ AK75	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 12+3	♦ KJ9875	♦ A	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 20+1	♣ 9	♣ AK853	Pass	5♦	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 7♠ North			Pass	7♠	All Pass	
					1. 16+ HCP	
					2. A=0/5 or 3/5	
					3. !S queen and !H king	

Board: 112	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 3	♠ K65		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQJ54	♥ -	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16+2	♦ A8	♦ T6532	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 8+2	♣ QT92	♣ AJ854	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South				1. 16+ HCP		
				2. artificial		

Board: 113	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT743	♠ Q		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Vul: E-W	♥ A3	♥ KQ952	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 20+2	♦ AKQJ5	♦ 3	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♣
South HCP: 14+3	♣ K	♣ AQJ952	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6NT North			Pass	6NT	All Pass	
				1. 16+ HCP		
				2. A=1/5 or 4/5		

**Board: 114**      ♠ KQJT73      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KT      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ Q5

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AJ4

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**Board: 115**      ♠ QT      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ JT9832      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQJ95

HCP: 9+3      ♣ -

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**Board: 116**      ♠ KJ8652      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AK      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQ

HCP: 16+2      ♣ 632

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**Board: 117**      ♠ QJ732      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AT      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ 8

HCP: 13+2      ♣ KQJ94

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 114	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQJT73	♠ -		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KT	♥ A64	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16+2	♦ Q5	♦ A9764	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 10+2	♣ AJ4	♣ Q9872	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 115	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QT	♠ A9754				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ JT9832	♥ A5	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 9+3	♦ KQJ95	♦ A	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16+2	♣ -	♣ KJ875	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 116	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KJ8652	♠ Q		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Vul: E-W	♥ AK	♥ 74	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 16+2	♦ KQ	♦ AJT97	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12+2	♣ 632	♣ AJT85	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 117	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ732	♠ AKT65				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT	♥ 972	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13+2	♦ 8	♦ AQT3	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 17+1	♣ KQJ94	♣ A	Pass	7♠	All Pass	
Contract: 7♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

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<b>Board: 114</b>	♠ -	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ A64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A9764	
HCP: 10+2	♣ Q9872	

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<b>Board: 115</b>	♠ A9754	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ A5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	
HCP: 16+2	♣ KJ875	

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<b>Board: 116</b>	♠ Q	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 74	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJT97	
HCP: 12+2	♣ AJT85	

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<b>Board: 117</b>	♠ AKT65	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 972	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQT3	
HCP: 17+1	♣ A	

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Board: 114	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQJT73	♠ -		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KT	♥ A64	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16+2	♦ Q5	♦ A9764	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 10+2	♣ AJ4	♣ Q9872	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 115	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QT	♠ A9754				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ JT9832	♥ A5	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 9+3	♦ KQJ95	♦ A	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16+2	♣ -	♣ KJ875	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 116	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KJ8652	♠ Q		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Vul: E-W	♥ AK	♥ 74	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 16+2	♦ KQ	♦ AJT97	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12+2	♣ 632	♣ AJT85	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 117	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ732	♠ AKT65				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT	♥ 972	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13+2	♦ 8	♦ AQT3	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 17+1	♣ KQJ94	♣ A	Pass	7♠	All Pass	
Contract: 7♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

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<b>Board: 118</b>	♠ 7	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQT8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT742	
HCP: 13+2	♣ 92	

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<b>Board: 119</b>	♠ AK93	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ QT2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK3	
HCP: 20	♣ A42	

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<b>Board: 120</b>	♠ AQ75	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ QT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ83	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 54	

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<b>Board: 121</b>	♠ AT9643	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ J3	East (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 8+3	♣ QJ985	

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Board: 118	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 7	♠ AKJ65				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQT8	♥ J4	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13+2	♦ AT742	♦ KJ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 92	♣ QJ84	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 119	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK93	♠ 87542		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ QT2	♥ A	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 20	♦ AK3	♦ 54	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 8+2	♣ A42	♣ KJ973	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 120	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ75	♠ -		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ QT	♥ K97642	Pass	1NT	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AKJ83	♦ Q4	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+3	♣ 54	♣ QJ983	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♥ North			2. artificial			
			3. Texas			

Board: 121	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT9643	♠ 72				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ J3	♥ AKQ982	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	2♦	3♥
North HCP: 8+3	♦ -	♦ K632	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16+2	♣ QJ985	♣ A	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 118**      ♠ AKJ65      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J4      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KJ

HCP: 16+1      ♣ QJ84

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**Board: 119**      ♠ 87542      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 54

HCP: 8+2      ♣ KJ973

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**Board: 120**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K97642      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ Q4

HCP: 8+3      ♣ QJ983

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**Board: 121**      ♠ 72      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ982      East (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ K632

HCP: 16+2      ♣ A

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Board: 118	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 7	♠ AKJ65				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQT8	♥ J4	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 13+2	♦ AT742	♦ KJ	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 92	♣ QJ84	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 119	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK93	♠ 87542		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ QT2	♥ A	Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
North HCP: 20	♦ AK3	♦ 54	Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 8+2	♣ A42	♣ KJ973	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 4 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 120	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ75	♠ -		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ QT	♥ K97642	Pass	1NT	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AKJ83	♦ Q4	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+3	♣ 54	♣ QJ983	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4 ♥ North			2. artificial			
			3. Texas			

Board: 121	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT9643	♠ 72				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ J3	♥ AKQ982	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♦	3 ♥
North HCP: 8+3	♦ -	♦ K632	Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 16+2	♣ QJ985	♣ A	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 122**      ♠ 862      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKJ94      West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ A8753

HCP: 12+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 123**      ♠ Q8      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AT974      West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ KT9832

HCP: 9+3      ♣ -

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**Board: 124**      ♠ KT86      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ2      East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ KQ3

HCP: 16      ♣ Q65

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**Board: 125**      ♠ JT      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AJ865      West (RHO) bids 3♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 8

HCP: 8+2      ♣ Q8752

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**Board: 126**      ♠ J5      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ97      West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ 3      East (LHO) bids 3♦ if possible.

HCP: 10+2      ♣ T8754

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Board: 122	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 862	♠ AQ5				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ94	♥ 2	1♠	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12+2	♦ A8753	♦ K62			All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ -	♣ AK6543				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 123	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q8	♠ K42				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT974	♥ KQJ	1♠	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 9+3	♦ KT9832	♦ Q75			All Pass	
South HCP: 16	♣ -	♣ AJT4				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♥ South						

Board: 124	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT86	♠ 94		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♣	3♥
Vul: None	♥ AQ2	♥ KJT86	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ3	♦ AJ964				
South HCP: 13+2	♣ Q65	♣ A				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♥ North						

Board: 125	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT	♠ AK7				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AJ865	♥ Q74	3♦	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 8+2	♦ 8	♦ T642			All Pass	
South HCP: 16	♣ Q8752	♣ AK6				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♥ South						

Board: 126	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J5	♠ AKQT3				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ97	♥ 53	1♦	1♥	3♦	3♠
North HCP: 10+2	♦ 3	♦ K6	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 17+1	♣ T8754	♣ KQ92				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♠ North						

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<b>Board: 122</b>	♠ AQ5	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K62	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AK6543	

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<b>Board: 123</b>	♠ K42	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ	West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q75	
HCP: 16	♣ AJT4	

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<b>Board: 124</b>	♠ 94	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT86	East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ964	
HCP: 13+2	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 125</b>	♠ AK7	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q74	West (LHO) bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T642	
HCP: 16	♣ AK6	

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<b>Board: 126</b>	♠ AKQT3	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 53	West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K6	East (RHO) bids 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 17+1	♣ KQ92	

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Board: 122	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 862	♠ AQ5				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ94	♥ 2	1♠	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12+2	♦ A8753	♦ K62			All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ -	♣ AK6543				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 123	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q8	♠ K42				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT974	♥ KQJ	1♠	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 9+3	♦ KT9832	♦ Q75			All Pass	
South HCP: 16	♣ -	♣ AJT4				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♥ South						

Board: 124	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT86	♠ 94		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♣	3♥
Vul: None	♥ AQ2	♥ KJT86	Pass	4♥		All Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ3	♦ AJ964				
South HCP: 13+2	♣ Q65	♣ A				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♥ North						

Board: 125	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT	♠ AK7				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AJ865	♥ Q74	3♦	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 8+2	♦ 8	♦ T642			All Pass	
South HCP: 16	♣ Q8752	♣ AK6				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♥ South						

Board: 126	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J5	♠ AKQT3				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ97	♥ 53	1♦	1♥	3♦	3♠
North HCP: 10+2	♦ 3	♦ K6	Pass	4♠		All Pass
South HCP: 17+1	♣ T8754	♣ KQ92				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♠ North						

<b>Board: 127</b>	♠ -	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ J7543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJT8	
HCP: 8+2	♣ T97	

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<b>Board: 128</b>	♠ JT	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J7643	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AKJ84	

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<b>Board: 129</b>	♠ AQ752	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A5	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AQT75	

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### Board: 127

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AQJ5				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ J7543	♥ AKQ8	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ AQJT8	♦ 642	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 21	♣ T97	♣ AJ	Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 6 ♥ South			All Pass			

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

### Board: 128

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT	♠ AQ93				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 7	♥ AT3	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ J7643	♦ AT	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣
South HCP: 16	♣ AKJ84	♣ Q653	All Pass			
Contract: 5 ♣ South			1. 16+ HCP			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Texas

### Board: 129

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ752	♠ KJ8				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 2	♥ AK	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 16+2	♦ A5	♦ KQJ7	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 18	♣ AQT75	♣ J964	Pass	7 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 7 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			

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

**Board: 127**      ♠ AQJ5      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ8      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 642

HCP: 21      ♣ AJ

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**Board: 128**      ♠ AQ93      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AT3      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AT

HCP: 16      ♣ Q653

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**Board: 129**      ♠ KJ8      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ KQJ7

HCP: 18      ♣ J964

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 127

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AQJ5				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ J7543	♥ AKQ8	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ AQJT8	♦ 642	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 21	♣ T97	♣ AJ	Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 6 ♥ South			All Pass			

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

### Board: 128

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT	♠ AQ93				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 7	♥ AT3	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ J7643	♦ AT	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣
South HCP: 16	♣ AKJ84	♣ Q653	All Pass			
Contract: 5 ♣ South			1. 16+ HCP			

2. artificial
3. Texas

### Board: 129

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ752	♠ KJ8				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 2	♥ AK	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 16+2	♦ A5	♦ KQJ7	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 18	♣ AQT75	♣ J964	Pass	7 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 7 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			

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

**Board: 130**      ♠ AK82      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A65      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQJ6

HCP: 18      ♣ J4

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**Board: 131**      ♠ 762      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AKJT9

HCP: 16+1      ♣ Q74

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**Board: 132**      ♠ A      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ T9      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AQ952

HCP: 17+2      ♣ AQJ52

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**Board: 133**      ♠ K8532      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K9853      West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ A

HCP: 10+2      ♣ 93

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 130	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK82	♠ T3		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ A65	♥ QJ973	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18	♦ KQJ6	♦ T	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 10+2	♣ J4	♣ AKT62	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 131	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 762	♠ AK853		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQ	♥ KT	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AKJT9	♦ 4	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+2	♣ Q74	♣ J9852	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 132	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A	♠ J9764		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ T9	♥ AQ875	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 17+2	♦ AQ952	♦ J7	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AQJ52	♣ 3	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 133	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K8532	♠ Q				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K9853	♥ A	2♠	X	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 10+2	♦ A	♦ QJT8632	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+3	♣ 93	♣ AQJT	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT North						

<b>Board: 130</b>	♠ T3	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ973	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AKT62	

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<b>Board: 131</b>	♠ AK853	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 4	
HCP: 11+2	♣ J9852	

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<b>Board: 132</b>	♠ J9764	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ875	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J7	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 3	

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<b>Board: 133</b>	♠ Q	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ A	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ QJT8632	
HCP: 16+3	♣ AQJT	

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Board: 130	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK82	♠ T3		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ A65	♥ QJ973	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18	♦ KQJ6	♦ T	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 10+2	♣ J4	♣ AKT62	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 131	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 762	♠ AK853		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQ	♥ KT	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AKJT9	♦ 4	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+2	♣ Q74	♣ J9852	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 132	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A	♠ J9764		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ T9	♥ AQ875	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 17+2	♦ AQ952	♦ J7	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AQJ52	♣ 3	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 133	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K8532	♠ Q				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K9853	♥ A	2♠	X	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 10+2	♦ A	♦ QJT8632	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+3	♣ 93	♣ AQJT	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT North						

**Board: 134**      ♠ J75      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ Q65

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AKQJT

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**Board: 135**      ♠ AK965      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ -

HCP: 14+4      ♣ AK76543

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**Board: 136**      ♠ T      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AK874      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ AJ8

HCP: 17+1      ♣ KQ96

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**Board: 137**      ♠ AK8      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 8642      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ KQ5

HCP: 19      ♣ AK3

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**Board: 134**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J75	♠ AT643		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ K2	♥ AQT85	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ Q65	♦ 9	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 10+2	♣ AKQJT	♣ 92	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 135**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK965	♠ Q3				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 2	♥ AKT95	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 14+4	♦ -	♦ AQT98	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16+2	♣ AK76543	♣ J	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

**Board: 136**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ T	♠ AQ532		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ AK874	♥ 9	Pass	X	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17+1	♦ AJ8	♦ K7	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+2	♣ KQ96	♣ T8743	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South						

**Board: 137**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK8	♠ T6532		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 8642	♥ K7	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 19	♦ KQ5	♦ AJT84	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AK3	♣ J	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

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<b>Board: 134</b>	♠ AT643	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQT85	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 9	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 92	

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<b>Board: 135</b>	♠ Q3	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQT98	
HCP: 16+2	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 136</b>	♠ AQ532	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K7	
HCP: 9+2	♣ T8743	

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<b>Board: 137</b>	♠ T6532	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ K7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJT84	
HCP: 9+2	♣ J	

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**Board: 134**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J75	♠ AT643		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ K2	♥ AQT85	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ Q65	♦ 9	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 10+2	♣ AKQJT	♣ 92	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 135**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK965	♠ Q3				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 2	♥ AKT95	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 14+4	♦ -	♦ AQT98	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16+2	♣ AK76543	♣ J	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

**Board: 136**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ T	♠ AQ532		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ AK874	♥ 9	Pass	X	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17+1	♦ AJ8	♦ K7	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+2	♣ KQ96	♣ T8743	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South						

**Board: 137**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK8	♠ T6532		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 8642	♥ K7	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 19	♦ KQ5	♦ AJT84	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AK3	♣ J	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

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<b>Board: 138</b>	♠ QT854	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT85	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 4	
HCP: 8+2	♣ J4	

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<b>Board: 139</b>	♠ 52	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJ73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 6	
HCP: 14+2	♣ KQJ64	

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<b>Board: 140</b>	♠ QJ865	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 97	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ654	
HCP: 9+2	♣ T	

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<b>Board: 141</b>	♠ KT972	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ T	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J8	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AQ984	

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Board: 138	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QT854	♠ A9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KQT85	♥ A2	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 8+2	♦ 4	♦ AKQ983	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+2	♣ J4	♣ 752	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 139	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 52	♠ AQJ6				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ73	♥ Q	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14+2	♦ 6	♦ KT843	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KQJ64	♣ A82	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 140	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ865	♠ AK2				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 97	♥ A65	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AQ654	♦ KT	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 17+1	♣ T	♣ QJ963	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
Contract: 4♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 141	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT972	♠ AQJ6				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ T	♥ A	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10+2	♦ J8	♦ KQT64	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ AQ984	♣ 732	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

**Board: 138**      ♠ A9      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQ983

HCP: 17+2      ♣ 752

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**Board: 139**      ♠ AQJ6      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KT843

HCP: 16+1      ♣ A82

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**Board: 140**      ♠ AK2      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A65      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ KT

HCP: 17+1      ♣ QJ963

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**Board: 141**      ♠ AQJ6      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQT64

HCP: 16+1      ♣ 732

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Board: 138	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QT854	♠ A9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KQT85	♥ A2	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 8+2	♦ 4	♦ AKQ983	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+2	♣ J4	♣ 752	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 139	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 52	♠ AQJ6				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ73	♥ Q	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14+2	♦ 6	♦ KT843	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KQJ64	♣ A82	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 140	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ865	♠ AK2				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 97	♥ A65	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AQ654	♦ KT	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 17+1	♣ T	♣ QJ963	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
Contract: 4♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 141	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT972	♠ AQJ6				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ T	♥ A	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10+2	♦ J8	♦ KQT64	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ AQ984	♣ 732	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

<b>Board: 142</b>	♠ K9754	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ J73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AK854	

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<b>Board: 143</b>	♠ AQJT3	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ JT542	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q	
HCP: 13+2	♣ K7	

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<b>Board: 144</b>	♠ KQ987	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 94	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQJ93	
HCP: 11+2	♣ 2	

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### Board: 142

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K9754	♠ QJ2				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J73	♥ A6	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ -	♦ AK62	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
South HCP: 16	♣ AK854	♣ QT72	Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
Contract: 6 ♠ North			Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
			Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 1 out of 4

### Board: 143

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJT3	♠ K2				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ JT542	♥ AKQ6	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13+2	♦ Q	♦ A42	Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 19	♣ K7	♣ QJ93	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Contract: 6 ♥ South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 144

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ987	♠ A3				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 94	♥ J73	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ KQJ93	♦ AT2	Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
South HCP: 18+1	♣ 2	♣ AKQ87	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 142**      ♠ QJ2      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AK62

HCP: 16      ♣ QT72

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**Board: 143**      ♠ K2      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ A42

HCP: 19      ♣ QJ93

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**Board: 144**      ♠ A3      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J73      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AT2

HCP: 18+1      ♣ AKQ87

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### Board: 142

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K9754	♠ QJ2				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J73	♥ A6	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ -	♦ AK62	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
South HCP: 16	♣ AK854	♣ QT72	Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
Contract: 6 ♠ North			Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
			Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 1 out of 4

### Board: 143

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJT3	♠ K2				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ JT542	♥ AKQ6	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13+2	♦ Q	♦ A42	Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 19	♣ K7	♣ QJ93	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Contract: 6 ♥ South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 144

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ987	♠ A3				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 94	♥ J73	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ KQJ93	♦ AT2	Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
South HCP: 18+1	♣ 2	♣ AKQ87	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

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<b>Board: 145</b>	♠ 6	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 54	
HCP: 9+2	♣ AQ543	

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<b>Board: 146</b>	♠ T3	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QJT53	
HCP: 8+2	♣ KJ732	

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<b>Board: 147</b>	♠ K8	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ K7	West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ QT2	East (LHO) bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 16+2	♣ AKJ942	

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<b>Board: 148</b>	♠ AQ632	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 94	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 6	
HCP: 9+2	♣ K7652	

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Board: 145	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 6	♠ AQJ8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ QJ532	♥ A	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 54	♦ KQJT3	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 21+1	♣ AQ543	♣ KJT	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 146	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T3	♠ KJ8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J	♥ Q2	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ QJT53	♦ A976	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16	♣ KJ732	♣ AQ94	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 2NT North			2. artificial			

Board: 147	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K8	♠ 6		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K7	♥ A5	2♠	3♣	4♠	4NT
North HCP: 16+2	♦ QT2	♦ KJ653	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♣
South HCP: 10+2	♣ AKJ942	♣ QT875	All Pass			
Contract: 6♣ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 148	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ632	♠ KJT95				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 94	♥ AKJ6	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 6	♦ A5	Pass	2♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 20+1	♣ K7652	♣ AT	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠
Contract: 5♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=1/5 or 4/5			

**Board: 145**      ♠ AQJ8      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KQJT3

HCP: 21+1      ♣ KJT

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**Board: 146**      ♠ KJ8      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ A976

HCP: 16      ♣ AQ94

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**Board: 147**      ♠ 6      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A5      West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ KJ653      East (RHO) bids 4♠ if possible.

HCP: 10+2      ♣ QT875

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**Board: 148**      ♠ KJT95      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKJ6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ A5

HCP: 20+1      ♣ AT

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Board: 145	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 6	♠ AQJ8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ QJ532	♥ A	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 54	♦ KQJT3	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 21+1	♣ AQ543	♣ KJT	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 146	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T3	♠ KJ8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J	♥ Q2	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ QJT53	♦ A976	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16	♣ KJ732	♣ AQ94	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 2NT North			2. artificial			

Board: 147	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K8	♠ 6		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K7	♥ A5	2♠	3♣	4♠	4NT
North HCP: 16+2	♦ QT2	♦ KJ653	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♣
South HCP: 10+2	♣ AKJ942	♣ QT875	All Pass			
Contract: 6♣ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 148	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ632	♠ KJT95				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 94	♥ AKJ6	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 6	♦ A5	Pass	2♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 20+1	♣ K7652	♣ AT	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠
Contract: 5♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=1/5 or 4/5			

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<b>Board: 149</b>	♠ 6	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ JT983	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A2	
HCP: 14+2	♣ AKQ65	

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<b>Board: 150</b>	♠ K7642	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J7	
HCP: 9+2	♣ QT952	

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<b>Board: 151</b>	♠ AT9	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ9	West (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT76	
HCP: 18	♣ K7	

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<b>Board: 152</b>	♠ QJ732	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ K	West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ K4	East (LHO) bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ T9876	

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Board: 149	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 6	♠ AJ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ JT983	♥ AQ5	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14+2	♦ A2	♦ KQJ843	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 17+2	♣ AKQ65	♣ T4	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
Contract: 6♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 150	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K7642	♠ AT83				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K	♥ A5	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ J7	♦ AQ4	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 19	♣ QT952	♣ AJ63	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 5♠ South			Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>
			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Super acceptance after NT			
			4. A=1/5 or 4/5			
			5. no !S queen			

Board: 151	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AT9	♠ KQ432		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQJ9	♥ 8	3♣	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 18	♦ AT76	♦ K9542				
South HCP: 8+2	♣ K7	♣ 64	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT North			2. artificial			

Board: 152	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ732	♠ A8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K	♥ 3	2♥	X	4♥	X
North HCP: 9+2	♦ K4	♦ AQ732	Pass	5♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 18+2	♣ T9876	♣ AKJ32				
Contract: 5♣ North			1. 16+ HCP			

**Board: 149**      ♠ AJ      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ5      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQJ843

HCP: 17+2      ♣ T4

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**Board: 150**      ♠ AT83      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A5      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AQ4

HCP: 19      ♣ AJ63

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**Board: 151**      ♠ KQ432      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 8      West (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ K9542

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 64

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**Board: 152**      ♠ A8      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 3      West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AQ732      East (RHO) bids 4♥ if possible.

HCP: 18+2      ♣ AKJ32

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Board: 149	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 6	♠ AJ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ JT983	♥ AQ5	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14+2	♦ A2	♦ KQJ843	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 17+2	♣ AKQ65	♣ T4	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
Contract: 6♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 150	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K7642	♠ AT83				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K	♥ A5	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ J7	♦ AQ4	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 19	♣ QT952	♣ AJ63	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 5♠ South			Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>
			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Super acceptance after NT			
			4. A=1/5 or 4/5			
			5. no !S queen			

Board: 151	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AT9	♠ KQ432		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQJ9	♥ 8	3♣	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 18	♦ AT76	♦ K9542		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 8+2	♣ K7	♣ 64	2. artificial			
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 152	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ732	♠ A8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K	♥ 3	2♥	X	4♥	X
North HCP: 9+2	♦ K4	♦ AQ732	Pass	5♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 18+2	♣ T9876	♣ AKJ32		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 5♣ North						

**Board: 153**      ♠ AQJ9865      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ J      East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ A4

HCP: 16+3      ♣ A92

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**Board: 154**      ♠ T875      LHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: East      ♥ A985      Partner bids next.

Vul: E-W      ♦ -      West (RHO) Doubles 5♦ if possible.

HCP: 8+1      ♣ A9543

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**Board: 155**      ♠ AKJ84      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQJ      West (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 84

HCP: 16+1      ♣ J95

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**Board: 156**      ♠ QJ852      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 65      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q

HCP: 9+2      ♣ A7542

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Board: 153	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJ9865	♠ -		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ J	♥ Q93	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16+3	♦ A4	♦ KQJ72	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+2	♣ A92	♣ Q7654				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♠ North						

Board: 154	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ T875	♠ 43			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	5 ♦
Vul: E-W	♥ A985	♥ Q	X	All Pass		
North HCP: 8+1	♦ -	♦ AJ8765432			1. 16+ HCP	
South HCP: 7+5	♣ A9543	♣ 6				
Contract: 5♦X South						

Board: 155	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ84	♠ -		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Vul: E-W	♥ AQJ	♥ T92	3 ♠	Pass	Pass	5 ♣
North HCP: 16+1	♦ 84	♦ AQJ65	All Pass			
South HCP: 14+2	♣ J95	♣ AKT64	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 5♣ South						

Board: 156	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ852	♠ T63				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 65	♥ AKQ7	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ Q	♦ AK4	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 20	♣ A7542	♣ KJT	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
Contract: 4♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 153**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ Q93      East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQJ72

HCP: 10+2      ♣ Q7654

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**Board: 154**      ♠ 43      RHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: East      ♥ Q      You bid next.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AJ8765432      West (LHO) Doubles 5♦ if possible.

HCP: 7+5      ♣ 6

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**Board: 155**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ T92      West (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AQJ65

HCP: 14+2      ♣ AKT64

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**Board: 156**      ♠ T63      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ7      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AK4

HCP: 20      ♣ KJT

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Board: 153	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJ9865	♠ -		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ J	♥ Q93	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16+3	♦ A4	♦ KQJ72	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+2	♣ A92	♣ Q7654				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♠ North						

Board: 154	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ T875	♠ 43			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	5 ♦
Vul: E-W	♥ A985	♥ Q	X	All Pass		
North HCP: 8+1	♦ -	♦ AJ8765432			1. 16+ HCP	
South HCP: 7+5	♣ A9543	♣ 6				
Contract: 5♦X South						

Board: 155	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ84	♠ -		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Vul: E-W	♥ AQJ	♥ T92	3 ♠	Pass	Pass	5 ♣
North HCP: 16+1	♦ 84	♦ AQJ65	All Pass			
South HCP: 14+2	♣ J95	♣ AKT64	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 5♣ South						

Board: 156	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ852	♠ T63				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 65	♥ AKQ7	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ Q	♦ AK4	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 20	♣ A7542	♣ KJT	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
Contract: 4♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

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<b>Board: 157</b>	♠ QJ983	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A63	
HCP: 13+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 158</b>	♠ AQ42	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ874	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q	
HCP: 17+1	♣ QJ7	

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<b>Board: 159</b>	♠ AKT4	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ85	West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ9	
HCP: 17	♣ T3	

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<b>Board: 160</b>	♠ KQ	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AT73	East (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ4	
HCP: 18	♣ J63	

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Board: 157	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ983	♠ K				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQJ84	♥ 97	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13+2	♦ A63	♦ KQJT42	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ -	♣ AK62	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♥ North						

Board: 158	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ42	♠ 8		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	2♥
Vul: N-S	♥ AQ874	♥ KJT65	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 17+1	♦ Q	♦ JT	Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 8+2	♣ QJ7	♣ K9653	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. limit raise or better in !H			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 159	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKT4	♠ 6		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AJ85	♥ 7	3♥	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ9	♦ A8732	1. 16+ HCP			
South HCP: 9+3	♣ T3	♣ AJ9754	2. artificial			
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 160	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ	♠ AT987		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♣	3♣
Vul: E-W	♥ AT73	♥ K9652	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 18	♦ AKJ4	♦ Q86	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+2	♣ J63	♣ -	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3♠ South						

**Board: 157**      ♠ K      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 97      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KQJT42

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AK62

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**Board: 158**      ♠ 8      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KJT65      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ JT

HCP: 8+2      ♣ K9653

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**Board: 159**      ♠ 6      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 7      West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ A8732

HCP: 9+3      ♣ AJ9754

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**Board: 160**      ♠ AT987      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K9652      East (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q86

HCP: 9+2      ♣ -

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Board: 157	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ983	♠ K				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQJ84	♥ 97	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13+2	♦ A63	♦ KQJT42	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ -	♣ AK62	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♥ North						

Board: 158	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ42	♠ 8		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	2♥
Vul: N-S	♥ AQ874	♥ KJT65	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 17+1	♦ Q	♦ JT	Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 8+2	♣ QJ7	♣ K9653	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. limit raise or better in !H			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 159	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKT4	♠ 6		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AJ85	♥ 7	3♥	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ9	♦ A8732	1. 16+ HCP			
South HCP: 9+3	♣ T3	♣ AJ9754	2. artificial			
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 160	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ	♠ AT987		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♣	3♣
Vul: E-W	♥ AT73	♥ K9652	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 18	♦ AKJ4	♦ Q86	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+2	♣ J63	♣ -	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3♠ South						

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<b>Board: 161</b>	♠ KQ963	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ972	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 3	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AK	

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<b>Board: 162</b>	♠ 73	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ K965	West (RHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQJ8	
HCP: 16+1	♣ QJ	

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<b>Board: 163</b>	♠ A8	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ A	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ QT985	
HCP: 15+2	♣ KQT75	

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<b>Board: 164</b>	♠ Q8732	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT52	East (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q	West (RHO) bids 5♦ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ 73	

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### Board: 161

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ963	♠ AJT				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQ972	♥ A4	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 17+2	♦ 3	♦ AQ842	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 17+1	♣ AK	♣ QT3	Pass	7 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 7 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

### Board: 162

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 73	♠ J98654		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K965	♥ 4	Pass	1NT	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AKQJ8	♦ 9	X	XX	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 8+3	♣ QJ	♣ AK852	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Texas			

### Board: 163

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8	♠ KT943				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ A	♥ KQ73	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 15+2	♦ QT985	♦ KJ3	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♥
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KQT75	♣ A	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
Contract: 6NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 164

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q8732	♠ AK965				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KQT52	♥ 84	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♦	2 ♠
North HCP: 9+2	♦ Q	♦ A	5 ♦	5 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ 73	♣ AJT82	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 5 ♠ North			2. artificial			

**Board: 161**      ♠ AJT      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A4      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AQ842

HCP: 17+1      ♣ QT3

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**Board: 162**      ♠ J98654      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 4      West (LHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 9

HCP: 8+3      ♣ AK852

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**Board: 163**      ♠ KT943      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ73      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KJ3

HCP: 16+1      ♣ A

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**Board: 164**      ♠ AK965      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 84      East (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A      West (LHO) bids 5♦ if possible.

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AJT82

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**Board: 161**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ963	♠ AJT				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQ972	♥ A4	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 17+2	♦ 3	♦ AQ842	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 17+1	♣ AK	♣ QT3	Pass	7 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 7 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

**Board: 162**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 73	♠ J98654		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K965	♥ 4	Pass	1NT	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AKQJ8	♦ 9	X	XX	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 8+3	♣ QJ	♣ AK852	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Texas			

**Board: 163**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8	♠ KT943				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ A	♥ KQ73	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 15+2	♦ QT985	♦ KJ3	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♥
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KQT75	♣ A	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
Contract: 6NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

**Board: 164**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q8732	♠ AK965				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KQT52	♥ 84	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♦	2 ♠
North HCP: 9+2	♦ Q	♦ A	5 ♦	5 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ 73	♣ AJT82	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 5 ♠ North			2. artificial			

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<b>Board: 165</b>	♠ AK653	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AT654	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q8	
HCP: 13+2	♣ 5	

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<b>Board: 166</b>	♠ AQJ8	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ J5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ64	
HCP: 18+1	♣ J7	

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<b>Board: 167</b>	♠ A8764	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 98	West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ74	
HCP: 12+2	♣ 8	

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<b>Board: 168</b>	♠ KT	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ A	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 98643	
HCP: 9+2	♣ Q8432	

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### Board: 165

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK653	♠ 98				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AT654	♥ K7	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13+2	♦ Q8	♦ AJT2	Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 5	♣ AKJ96	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 166

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJ8	♠ 3		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J5	♥ AKQ43	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18+1	♦ AKQ64	♦ 8	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♣
South HCP: 11+3	♣ J7	♣ Q85432	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♥ South			Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

### Board: 167

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8764	♠ K				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 98	♥ KQJ6	1♥	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12+2	♦ AKJ74	♦ Q52	Pass	2♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 8	♣ KQ653				
Contract: 2♦ North			1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 168

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT	♠ AQ2				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ KQ75	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 98643	♦ AK72	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 19	♣ Q8432	♣ JT				
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 165**      ♠ 98      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K7      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AJT2

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AKJ96

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**Board: 166**      ♠ 3      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKQ43      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ 8

HCP: 11+3      ♣ Q85432

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**Board: 167**      ♠ K      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQJ6      West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ Q52

HCP: 16+1      ♣ KQ653

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**Board: 168**      ♠ AQ2      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ75      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AK72

HCP: 19      ♣ JT

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 165

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK653	♠ 98				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AT654	♥ K7	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13+2	♦ Q8	♦ AJT2	Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 5	♣ AKJ96	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 166

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJ8	♠ 3		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J5	♥ AKQ43	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18+1	♦ AKQ64	♦ 8	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♣
South HCP: 11+3	♣ J7	♣ Q85432	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♥ South			Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

### Board: 167

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8764	♠ K				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 98	♥ KQJ6	1♥	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12+2	♦ AKJ74	♦ Q52	Pass	2♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 8	♣ KQ653				
Contract: 2♦ North			1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 168

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT	♠ AQ2				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ KQ75	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 98643	♦ AK72	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 19	♣ Q8432	♣ JT				
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 169**      ♠ KT      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ64      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AK85

HCP: 20      ♣ KJ6

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**Board: 170**      ♠ AKJT7      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KJ      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKJ

HCP: 23+1      ♣ QJ2

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**Board: 171**      ♠ AQ765      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K52      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ QJ852

HCP: 12+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 172**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J7      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ KQJ986

HCP: 14+3      ♣ AQJ32

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Board: 169	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT	♠ AQ7542		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ AQ64	♥ -	Pass	3NT	Pass	5NT
North HCP: 20	♦ AK85	♦ QJT93	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 13+3	♣ KJ6	♣ A3				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 6NT North						

Board: 170	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJT7	♠ 94		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KJ	♥ AQT43	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 23+1	♦ AKJ	♦ 5	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 9+2	♣ QJ2	♣ KT976	Pass	5 ♥	All Pass	
Contract: 5 ♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 171	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ765	♠ KJT9				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ K52	♥ Q763	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
North HCP: 12+2	♦ QJ852	♦ KT	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 16	♣ -	♣ AK6	Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 5 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !S			
			3. 1 out of 4			

Board: 172	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AK3				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J7	♥ KQ9532	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 14+3	♦ KQJ986	♦ A	Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 16+2	♣ AQJ32	♣ 764	Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6 ♥ North			Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
				1. 16+ HCP		
				2. 2 out of 4		

<b>Board: 169</b>	♠ AQ7542	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QJT93	
HCP: 13+3	♣ A3	

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<b>Board: 170</b>	♠ 94	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQT43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 5	
HCP: 9+2	♣ KT976	

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<b>Board: 171</b>	♠ KJT9	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q763	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT	
HCP: 16	♣ AK6	

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<b>Board: 172</b>	♠ AK3	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ9532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A	
HCP: 16+2	♣ 764	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 169	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT	♠ AQ7542		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ AQ64	♥ -	Pass	3NT	Pass	5NT
North HCP: 20	♦ AK85	♦ QJT93	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 13+3	♣ KJ6	♣ A3				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 6NT North						

Board: 170	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJT7	♠ 94	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	
Vul: N-S	♥ KJ	♥ AQT43	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 23+1	♦ AKJ	♦ 5	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 9+2	♣ QJ2	♣ KT976	Pass	5 ♥	All Pass	
Contract: 5 ♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 171	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ765	♠ KJT9				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ K52	♥ Q763	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
North HCP: 12+2	♦ QJ852	♦ KT	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 16	♣ -	♣ AK6	Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 5 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !S			
			3. 1 out of 4			

Board: 172	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AK3				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J7	♥ KQ9532	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 14+3	♦ KQJ986	♦ A	Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 16+2	♣ AQJ32	♣ 764	Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6 ♥ North			Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
				1. 16+ HCP		
				2. 2 out of 4		

**Board: 173**      ♠ A8      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKJ5      East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A652

HCP: 16      ♣ 975

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**Board: 174**      ♠ A9743      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ JT      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQ872

HCP: 10+2      ♣ 8

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**Board: 175**      ♠ AQ743      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KJ9743      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ -

HCP: 16+3      ♣ AQ

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**Board: 176**      ♠ AQJ98      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A84      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ -

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AJ952

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**Board: 173**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ A8

**South:**

♠ J3

**W N E S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠ 3♠<sup>2</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ AKJ5

♥ Q

Pass 3NT All Pass

North HCP: 16

♦ A652

♦ KJT73

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 13+2

♣ 975

♣ AQ862

2. Rubensohl after 1m

Contract: 3NT North

**Board: 174**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ A9743

**South:**

♠ K6

**W N E S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: E-W

♥ JT

♥ AK876

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

North HCP: 10+2

♦ KQ872

♦ A

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

South HCP: 18+2

♣ 8

♣ KJ653

All Pass

Contract: 3NT South

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 175**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ AQ743

**South:**

♠ KJT8

**W N E S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ KJ9743

♥ 5

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

North HCP: 16+3

♦ -

♦ AKQ62

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT

South HCP: 16+1

♣ AQ

♣ K64

 Pass 5♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 6♠

Contract: 6♦ South

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

**Board: 176**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ AQJ98

**South:**

♠ 54

**W N E S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: E-W

♥ A84

♥ K6

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

North HCP: 16+2

♦ -

♦ AKJT4

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♣

South HCP: 16+1

♣ AJ952

♣ KQ86

 Pass 4♦ Pass 5♣<sup>2</sup>

Contract: 7♣ North

Pass 7♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

**Board: 173**      ♠ J3      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ Q      East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KJT73

HCP: 13+2      ♣ AQ862

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**Board: 174**      ♠ K6      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK876      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ A

HCP: 18+2      ♣ KJ653

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**Board: 175**      ♠ KJT8      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 5      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AKQ62

HCP: 16+1      ♣ K64

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**Board: 176**      ♠ 54      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKJT4

HCP: 16+1      ♣ KQ86

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 173**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ A8

**South:**

♠ J3

**W N E S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠ 3♠<sup>2</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ AKJ5

♥ Q

Pass 3NT All Pass

North HCP: 16

♦ A652

♦ KJT73

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 13+2

♣ 975

♣ AQ862

2. Rubensohl after 1m

Contract: 3NT North

**Board: 174**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ A9743

**South:**

♠ K6

**W N E S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: E-W

♥ JT

♥ AK876

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

North HCP: 10+2

♦ KQ872

♦ A

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

South HCP: 18+2

♣ 8

♣ KJ653

All Pass

Contract: 3NT South

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 175**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ AQ743

**South:**

♠ KJT8

**W N E S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ KJ9743

♥ 5

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

North HCP: 16+3

♦ -

♦ AKQ62

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT

South HCP: 16+1

♣ AQ

♣ K64

 Pass 5♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 6♠

Contract: 6♠ South

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

**Board: 176**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ AQJ98

**South:**

♠ 54

**W N E S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: E-W

♥ A84

♥ K6

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

North HCP: 16+2

♦ -

♦ AKJT4

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♣

South HCP: 16+1

♣ AJ952

♣ KQ86

 Pass 4♦ Pass 5♣<sup>2</sup>

Contract: 7♣ North

Pass 7♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

**Board: 177**      ♠ AK765      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 63      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ A2

HCP: 17+1      ♣ AQ85

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**Board: 178**      ♠ KQ762      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A84      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KQ9

HCP: 16+1      ♣ Q2

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**Board: 179**      ♠ Q      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK852      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ KT8653

HCP: 14+3      ♣ Q

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**Board: 180**      ♠ K      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ QJT54      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AQJ43

HCP: 17+2      ♣ A7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 177	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK765	♠ J		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ 63	♥ KJT74	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17+1	♦ A2	♦ KQT65	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 13+2	♣ AQ85	♣ K9				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 178	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ762	♠ AT843		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ A84	♥ K2	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 16+1	♦ KQ9	♦ A	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	7♠
South HCP: 19+2	♣ Q2	♣ AKJT5	All Pass			
Contract: 7♠ South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

Board: 179	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q	♠ AK96				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AK852	♥ Q6	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14+3	♦ KT8653	♦ 2	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 16+2	♣ Q	♣ AK6532	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Contract: 4♥ South			Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥
			All Pass			
						1. 16+ HCP

Board: 180	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K	♠ QJ943		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ QJT54	♥ K86	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17+2	♦ AQJ43	♦ -	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+2	♣ A7	♣ KT432				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♥ South						2. artificial

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<b>Board: 177</b>	♠ J	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT74	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQT65	
HCP: 13+2	♣ K9	

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<b>Board: 178</b>	♠ AT843	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ K2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A	
HCP: 19+2	♣ AKJT5	

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<b>Board: 179</b>	♠ AK96	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 2	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AK6532	

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<b>Board: 180</b>	♠ QJ943	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ K86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 9+2	♣ KT432	

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Board: 177	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK765	♠ J		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ 63	♥ KJT74	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17+1	♦ A2	♦ KQT65	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 13+2	♣ AQ85	♣ K9				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 178	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ762	♠ AT843		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ A84	♥ K2	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 16+1	♦ KQ9	♦ A	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	7♠
South HCP: 19+2	♣ Q2	♣ AKJT5	All Pass			
Contract: 7♠ South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

Board: 179	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q	♠ AK96				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AK852	♥ Q6	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14+3	♦ KT8653	♦ 2	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 16+2	♣ Q	♣ AK6532	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Contract: 4♥ South			Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥
			All Pass			
						1. 16+ HCP

Board: 180	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K	♠ QJ943		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ QJT54	♥ K86	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17+2	♦ AQJ43	♦ -	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+2	♣ A7	♣ KT432				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4♥ South						2. artificial

**Board: 181**      ♠ AKJ7      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A5      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKQ42

HCP: 21+1      ♣ 96

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**Board: 182**      ♠ AQ9      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AJ7      East (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ A92      West (RHO) bids 4♦ if possible.

HCP: 17      ♣ QT52

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**Board: 183**      ♠ AKJ83      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ JT432

HCP: 12+2      ♣ QJ

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### Board: 181

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ AKJ7

#### South:

♠ Q94

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: E-W

♥ A5

♥ JT632

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

North HCP: 21+1

♦ AKQ42

♦ -

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

South HCP: 11+2

♣ 96

♣ AKJT3

All Pass

Contract: 3NT South

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 182

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ AQ9

#### South:

♠ T8743

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2NT<sup>2</sup> 3♠

Vul: E-W

♥ AJ7

♥ KQ643

4♦ 4♠ All Pass

North HCP: 17

♦ A92

♦ -

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 8+2

♣ QT52

♣ K97

2. Unusual 2NT

Contract: 4♠ North

### Board: 183

Dealer: South

#### North:

♠ AKJ83

#### South:

♠ QT7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ 2

♥ AKQ74

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♠

North HCP: 12+2

♦ JT432

♦ AKQ7

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

South HCP: 20+1

♣ QJ

♣ 6

Pass 4NT Pass 5♠<sup>2</sup>

Contract: 6♠ North

1. 16+ HCP

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

<b>Board: 181</b>	♠ Q94	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ JT632	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AKJT3	

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<b>Board: 182</b>	♠ T8743	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ643	East (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	West (LHO) bids 4♦ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ K97	

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<b>Board: 183</b>	♠ QT7	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ74	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ7	
HCP: 20+1	♣ 6	

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### Board: 181

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ7	♠ Q94		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ A5	♥ JT632	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 21+1	♦ AKQ42	♦ -	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+2	♣ 96	♣ AKJT3	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

### Board: 182

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ9	♠ T8743		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2NT <sup>2</sup>	3♠
Vul: E-W	♥ AJ7	♥ KQ643	4♦	4♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ A92	♦ -		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 8+2	♣ QT52	♣ K97	2. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 4♠ North						

### Board: 183

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJ83	♠ QT7			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	
Vul: Both	♥ 2	♥ AKQ74	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12+2	♦ JT432	♦ AKQ7	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 20+1	♣ QJ	♣ 6	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

**Board: 184**      ♠ KQJ6      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KQ3      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ A2

HCP: 19      ♣ A865

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**Board: 185**      ♠ AK4      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AK5      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AJ5

HCP: 23      ♣ A943

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**Board: 186**      ♠ AK865      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AJ4      East (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ A6

HCP: 18+1      ♣ Q54

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### Board: 184

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQJ6	♠ A		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQ3	♥ A8752	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 19	♦ A2	♦ 94	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+2	♣ A865	♣ QJ732	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♥ South			Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
			Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♥
			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !H queen and !S king

### Board: 185

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK4	♠ QT762		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AK5	♥ QJ972	Pass	4NT	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 23	♦ AJ5	♦ K	All Pass			
South HCP: 11+2	♣ A943	♣ K5		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 6NT South				2. artificial		

### Board: 186

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK865	♠ QJT92		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2NT <sup>2</sup>	3♠
Vul: Both	♥ AJ4	♥ K9862	Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 18+1	♦ A6	♦ Q7	All Pass			
South HCP: 8+2	♣ Q54	♣ T		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 4♠ South				2. Unusual 2NT		
				3. limit raise or better in !S		

<b>Board: 184</b>	♠ A	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ A8752	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 94	
HCP: 11+2	♣ QJ732	

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<b>Board: 185</b>	♠ QT762	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ972	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K	
HCP: 11+2	♣ K5	

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<b>Board: 186</b>	♠ QJT92	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ K9862	East (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q7	
HCP: 8+2	♣ T	

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### Board: 184

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQJ6	♠ A		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQ3	♥ A8752	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 19	♦ A2	♦ 94	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+2	♣ A865	♣ QJ732	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♥ South			Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
			Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♥
			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !H queen and !S king

### Board: 185

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK4	♠ QT762		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AK5	♥ QJ972	Pass	4NT	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 23	♦ AJ5	♦ K	All Pass			
South HCP: 11+2	♣ A943	♣ K5		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 6NT South				2. artificial		

### Board: 186

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK865	♠ QJT92		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2NT <sup>2</sup>	3♠
Vul: Both	♥ AJ4	♥ K9862	Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 18+1	♦ A6	♦ Q7	All Pass			
South HCP: 8+2	♣ Q54	♣ T		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 4♠ South				2. Unusual 2NT		
				3. limit raise or better in !S		

<b>Board: 187</b>	♠ JT543	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJ965	
HCP: 8+2	♣ KT2	

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<b>Board: 188</b>	♠ AKT975	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 9	
HCP: 16+2	♣ A53	

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<b>Board: 189</b>	♠ A9762	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ K64	West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ JT842	East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ -	

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Board: 187	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT543	♠ AK2				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ -	♥ AKQJ653	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 8+2	♦ KJ965	♦ 8	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 17+3	♣ KT2	♣ 74	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. solo suit			

Board: 188	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKT975	♠ -		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Vul: E-W	♥ KQ8	♥ 7	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♦
North HCP: 16+2	♦ 9	♦ AKQT762	Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 15+4	♣ A53	♣ KQJ74	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6NT
Contract: 6NT South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 189	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A9762	♠ KJ85				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K64	♥ Q	1 ♥	1 ♠	3 ♥	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 8+2	♦ JT842	♦ AK	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 20+2	♣ -	♣ AQJ873	Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 6 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. limit raise or better in !S			
			3. Exclusion, for !S			
			4. 2 out of 4			

**Board: 187**      ♠ AK2      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKQJ653      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ 8

HCP: 17+3      ♣ 74

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**Board: 188**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 7      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKQT762

HCP: 15+4      ♣ KQJ74

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**Board: 189**      ♠ KJ85      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q      West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ AK      East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 20+2      ♣ AQJ873

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Board: 187	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT543	♠ AK2				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ -	♥ AKQJ653	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 8+2	♦ KJ965	♦ 8	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 17+3	♣ KT2	♣ 74	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. solo suit			

Board: 188	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKT975	♠ -		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Vul: E-W	♥ KQ8	♥ 7	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♦
North HCP: 16+2	♦ 9	♦ AKQT762	Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 15+4	♣ A53	♣ KQJ74	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6NT
Contract: 6NT South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 189	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A9762	♠ KJ85				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K64	♥ Q	1 ♥	1 ♠	3 ♥	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 8+2	♦ JT842	♦ AK	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 20+2	♣ -	♣ AQJ873	Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 6 ♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. limit raise or better in !S			
			3. Exclusion, for !S			
			4. 2 out of 4			

**Board: 190**      ♠ Q      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 97      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AK654

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AK953

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**Board: 191**      ♠ JT      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 97543

HCP: 11+2      ♣ AKQ97

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**Board: 192**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AJT87      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AJT532

HCP: 11+3      ♣ J7

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**Board: 193**      ♠ K9874      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KT9852

HCP: 13+3      ♣ K

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Board: 190	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q	♠ KT654		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 97	♥ AJT63	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16+2	♦ AK654	♦ 3	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AK953	♣ 84	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 191	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT	♠ A875				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J	♥ AK872	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 97543	♦ A	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ AKQ97	♣ JT4	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT North			2. artificial			

Board: 192	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ KQ97653				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AJT87	♥ K6	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11+3	♦ AJT532	♦ -	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 17+3	♣ J7	♣ AKQ5	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 193	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K9874	♠ AQ5				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ KT984	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13+3	♦ KT9852	♦ A6	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 17+1	♣ K	♣ A43	Pass	5♦	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 7♠ North			Pass	7♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			
			3. !S queen and !H king			

<b>Board: 190</b>	♠ KT654	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AJT63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 3	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 84	

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<b>Board: 191</b>	♠ A875	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AK872	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A	
HCP: 16+1	♣ JT4	

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<b>Board: 192</b>	♠ KQ97653	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ K6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 17+3	♣ AKQ5	

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<b>Board: 193</b>	♠ AQ5	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ KT984	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A6	
HCP: 17+1	♣ A43	

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Board: 190	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q	♠ KT654		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 97	♥ AJT63	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16+2	♦ AK654	♦ 3	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AK953	♣ 84	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 191	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT	♠ A875				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J	♥ AK872	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 97543	♦ A	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ AKQ97	♣ JT4	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT North			2. artificial			

Board: 192	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ KQ97653				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AJT87	♥ K6	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11+3	♦ AJT532	♦ -	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 17+3	♣ J7	♣ AKQ5	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 193	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K9874	♠ AQ5				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ KT984	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13+3	♦ KT9852	♦ A6	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 17+1	♣ K	♣ A43	Pass	5♦	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 7♠ North			Pass	7♠	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			
			3. !S queen and !H king			

<b>Board: 194</b>	♠ K864	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ4	East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ5	West (RHO) bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ8	

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<b>Board: 195</b>	♠ K	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ987	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ97	
HCP: 16+2	♣ J5	

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<b>Board: 196</b>	♠ -	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ J94	East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ854	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AJ873	

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<b>Board: 197</b>	♠ A	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ T9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ986	
HCP: 10+2	♣ J9742	

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**Board: 194**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ K864

**South:**

♠ QJT97

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 1♠

Vul: None

♥ AJ4

♥ 3

4♥ 4♠ All Pass

North HCP: 18

♦ AQ5

♦ K9876

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 8+2

♣ KJ8

♣ QT

Contract: 4♠ North

**Board: 195**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ K

**South:**

♠ QJT84

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Vul: Both

♥ AJ987

♥ Q65

 Pass 2♥ Pass 5♦<sup>2</sup>

North HCP: 16+2

♦ AQJ97

♦ -

 Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♥

South HCP: 12+2

♣ J5

♣ AK862

All Pass

Contract: 6♥ South

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 1 out of 4

**Board: 196**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ -

**South:**

♠ AJ653

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ J94

♥ AQ52

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ 3NT

North HCP: 11+2

♦ KQ854

♦ AJ3

All Pass

South HCP: 18+1

♣ AJ873

♣ Q

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 197**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ A

**South:**

♠ Q84

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ T9

♥ AK872

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

North HCP: 10+2

♦ AJ986

♦ QT4

Pass 3NT All Pass

South HCP: 17+1

♣ J9742

♣ AQ

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

Contract: 3NT North

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<b>Board: 194</b>	♠ QJT97	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K9876	West (LHO) bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ QT	

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<b>Board: 195</b>	♠ QJT84	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ Q65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ -	
HCP: 12+2	♣ AK862	

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<b>Board: 196</b>	♠ AJ653	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ52	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ3	
HCP: 18+1	♣ Q	

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<b>Board: 197</b>	♠ Q84	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AK872	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QT4	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 194**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ K864

**South:**

♠ QJT97

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 1♠

Vul: None

♥ AJ4

♥ 3

4♥ 4♠ All Pass

North HCP: 18

♦ AQ5

♦ K9876

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 8+2

♣ KJ8

♣ QT

Contract: 4♠ North

**Board: 195**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ K

**South:**

♠ QJT84

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Vul: Both

♥ AJ987

♥ Q65

 Pass 2♥ Pass 5♦<sup>2</sup>

North HCP: 16+2

♦ AQJ97

♦ -

 Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♥

South HCP: 12+2

♣ J5

♣ AK862

All Pass

Contract: 6♥ South

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 1 out of 4

**Board: 196**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ -

**South:**

♠ AJ653

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ J94

♥ AQ52

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ 3NT

North HCP: 11+2

♦ KQ854

♦ AJ3

All Pass

South HCP: 18+1

♣ AJ873

♣ Q

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 197**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ A

**South:**

♠ Q84

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ T9

♥ AK872

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

North HCP: 10+2

♦ AJ986

♦ QT4

Pass 3NT All Pass

South HCP: 17+1

♣ J9742

♣ AQ

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

Contract: 3NT North

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<b>Board: 198</b>	♠ AK964	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ JT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 14+2	♣ AQ654	

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<b>Board: 199</b>	♠ 5	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ654	
HCP: 8+4	♣ QJ76532	

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<b>Board: 200</b>	♠ AK4	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ KT632	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K	
HCP: 18+1	♣ AJ85	

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<b>Board: 201</b>	♠ A85	RHO opens the bidding 1♣.
Dealer: West	♥ Q6542	You bid next.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	West (RHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.
HCP: 10+2	♣ A9653	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 198**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK964	♠ J				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ JT5	♥ AQ86	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14+2	♦ -	♦ AKJ9765	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 18+3	♣ AQ654	♣ K	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			

**Board: 199**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 5	♠ KQJ32				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ -	♥ AJ86	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 8+4	♦ AJ654	♦ KQ	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 19+1	♣ QJ76532	♣ KT	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 200**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S	
Dealer: North	♠ AK4	♠ T8		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	
Vul: None	♥ KT632	♥ -	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT	
North HCP: 18+1	♦ K	♦ AJT753	All Pass				
South HCP: 10+3	♣ AJ85	♣ KQ632		1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South			2. artificial				

**Board: 201**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S	
Dealer: West	♠ A85	♠ 9742	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	Pass	Pass	
Vul: N-S	♥ Q6542	♥ T	X	All Pass			
North HCP: 10+2	♦ -	♦ Q9742		1. 16+ HCP			
South HCP: 3+1	♣ A9653	♣ J82					
Contract: 1♥X North							

**Board: 198**      ♠ J      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ86      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKJ9765

HCP: 18+3      ♣ K

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**Board: 199**      ♠ KQJ32      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AJ86      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQ

HCP: 19+1      ♣ KT

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**Board: 200**      ♠ T8      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ -      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AJT753

HCP: 10+3      ♣ KQ632

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**Board: 201**      ♠ 9742      LHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: West      ♥ T      Partner bids next.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q9742      West (LHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.

HCP: 3+1      ♣ J82

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 198**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK964	♠ J				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ JT5	♥ AQ86	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14+2	♦ -	♦ AKJ9765	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 18+3	♣ AQ654	♣ K	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			

**Board: 199**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 5	♠ KQJ32				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ -	♥ AJ86	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 8+4	♦ AJ654	♦ KQ	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 19+1	♣ QJ76532	♣ KT	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 200**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S	
Dealer: North	♠ AK4	♠ T8		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	
Vul: None	♥ KT632	♥ -	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT	
North HCP: 18+1	♦ K	♦ AJT753	All Pass				
South HCP: 10+3	♣ AJ85	♣ KQ632		1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South			2. artificial				

**Board: 201**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S	
Dealer: West	♠ A85	♠ 9742	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	Pass	Pass	
Vul: N-S	♥ Q6542	♥ T	X	All Pass			
North HCP: 10+2	♦ -	♦ Q9742		1. 16+ HCP			
South HCP: 3+1	♣ A9653	♣ J82					
Contract: 1♥X North							

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<b>Board: 202</b>	♠ 9	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQJ654	
HCP: 8+3	♣ QT843	

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<b>Board: 203</b>	♠ A5	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ985	West (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KT862	
HCP: 12+2	♣ 4	

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<b>Board: 204</b>	♠ AQJT3	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ T76	East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKT	East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 17+1	♣ K9	

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<b>Board: 205</b>	♠ 85	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ865	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 13+3	♣ AQJ987	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 202	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 9	♠ AKT3				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 5	♥ KJ2	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 8+3	♦ KQJ654	♦ AT98	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 18	♣ QT843	♣ K7	Pass	6 ♣	All Pass	
Contract: 6 ♣ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Minor Suit Transfers after 2NT			
			4. automat			

Board: 203	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A5	♠ K8				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AJ985	♥ KT7	3 ♣	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ KT862	♦ AQJ73	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 4	♣ K72	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

Board: 204	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJT3	♠ K9762		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♥	1 ♠
Vul: None	♥ T76	♥ K	Pass	2 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	4 ♥
North HCP: 17+1	♦ AKT	♦ QJ973	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+2	♣ K9	♣ 42	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4 ♠ North			2. limit raise or better in !S			

Board: 205	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 85	♠ AKQ4				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AQ865	♥ K74	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
North HCP: 13+3	♦ -	♦ AK74	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 19	♣ AQJ987	♣ T2	Pass	7 ♥	All Pass	
Contract: 7 ♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !H			
			3. 2 out of 4			

**Board: 202**      ♠ AKT3      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KJ2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AT98

HCP: 18      ♣ K7

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**Board: 203**      ♠ K8      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KT7      West (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ AQJ73

HCP: 16+1      ♣ K72

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**Board: 204**      ♠ K9762      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K      East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ QJ973      East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 9+2      ♣ 42

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**Board: 205**      ♠ AKQ4      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K74      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AK74

HCP: 19      ♣ T2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 202	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 9	♠ AKT3				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 5	♥ KJ2	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 8+3	♦ KQJ654	♦ AT98	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 18	♣ QT843	♣ K7	Pass	6 ♣	All Pass	
Contract: 6 ♣ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Minor Suit Transfers after 2NT			
			4. automat			

Board: 203	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A5	♠ K8				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AJ985	♥ KT7	3 ♣	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ KT862	♦ AQJ73	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 4	♣ K72	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

Board: 204	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJT3	♠ K9762		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♥	1 ♠
Vul: None	♥ T76	♥ K	Pass	2 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	4 ♥
North HCP: 17+1	♦ AKT	♦ QJ973	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+2	♣ K9	♣ 42	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4 ♠ North			2. limit raise or better in !S			

Board: 205	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 85	♠ AKQ4				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AQ865	♥ K74	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
North HCP: 13+3	♦ -	♦ AK74	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 19	♣ AQJ987	♣ T2	Pass	7 ♥	All Pass	
Contract: 7 ♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !H			
			3. 2 out of 4			

**Board: 206**      ♠ KT5      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KT85      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AK654

HCP: 16+1      ♣ K

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**Board: 207**      ♠ 4      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AT865      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQ632

HCP: 13+2      ♣ A9

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**Board: 208**      ♠ AQT6      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A4      West (RHO) bids 4♣ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ KQ75

HCP: 17      ♣ Q93

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**Board: 209**      ♠ KJ952      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 8      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 6

HCP: 8+3      ♣ KJT854

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 206

Dealer: North  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 16+1  
South HCP: 13+2  
Contract: 6♥ South

### North:

♠ KT5  
♥ KT85  
♦ AK654  
♣ K

### South:

♠ A4  
♥ AQJ42  
♦ Q  
♣ T8432

W N E S

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

### Board: 207

Dealer: South  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 13+2  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6♥ North

### North:

♠ 4  
♥ AT865  
♦ KQ632  
♣ A9

### South:

♠ AK9  
♥ KQ7  
♦ A85  
♣ KT72

W N E S

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. !H queen and !S king

### Board: 208

Dealer: North  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 14+2  
Contract: 5♠ North

### North:

♠ AQT6  
♥ A4  
♦ KQ75  
♣ Q93

### South:

♠ KJ987  
♥ KQJT9  
♦ A8  
♣ 8

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠  
4♣ 4NT Pass 5♥<sup>2</sup>  
Pass 5♠ All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP  
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

### Board: 209

Dealer: South  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 8+3  
South HCP: 16+1  
Contract: 4♠ South

### North:

♠ KJ952  
♥ 8  
♦ 6  
♣ KJT854

### South:

♠ QT4  
♥ K732  
♦ AK954  
♣ A

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>  
Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦  
Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠  
All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial

<b>Board: 206</b>	♠ A4	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q	
HCP: 13+2	♣ T8432	

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<b>Board: 207</b>	♠ AK9	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A85	
HCP: 19	♣ KT72	

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<b>Board: 208</b>	♠ KJ987	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQJT9	West (LHO) bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A8	
HCP: 14+2	♣ 8	

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<b>Board: 209</b>	♠ QT4	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ K732	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK954	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 206**

Dealer: North  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 16+1  
South HCP: 13+2  
Contract: 6♥ South

**North:**

♠ KT5  
♥ KT85  
♦ AK654  
♣ K

**South:**

♠ A4  
♥ AQJ42  
♦ Q  
♣ T8432

**W N E S**

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

**Board: 207**

Dealer: South  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 13+2  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6♥ North

**North:**

♠ 4  
♥ AT865  
♦ KQ632  
♣ A9

**South:**

♠ AK9  
♥ KQ7  
♦ A85  
♣ KT72

**W N E S**

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. !H queen and !S king

**Board: 208**

Dealer: North  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 14+2  
Contract: 5♠ North

**North:**

♠ AQT6  
♥ A4  
♦ KQ75  
♣ Q93

**South:**

♠ KJ987  
♥ KQJT9  
♦ A8  
♣ 8

**W N E S**

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠  
4♣ 4NT Pass 5♥<sup>2</sup>  
Pass 5♠ All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP  
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

**Board: 209**

Dealer: South  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 8+3  
South HCP: 16+1  
Contract: 4♠ South

**North:**

♠ KJ952  
♥ 8  
♦ 6  
♣ KJT854

**South:**

♠ QT4  
♥ K732  
♦ AK954  
♣ A

**W N E S**

1♣<sup>1</sup>  
Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦  
Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠  
All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial

**Board: 210**      ♠ Q4      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 7      West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQJ94

HCP: 8+2      ♣ T8653

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**Board: 211**      ♠ T2      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ T86532      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ -

HCP: 10+3      ♣ AKQJ7

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**Board: 212**      ♠ QJ9543      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J3      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ -

HCP: 8+3      ♣ A8654

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**Board: 213**      ♠ A8      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KT642      West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 9

HCP: 10+2      ♣ KT954

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 210	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q4	♠ A96				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 7	♥ KQT82	2 ♠	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ KQJ94	♦ A8	All Pass			
South HCP: 19+1	♣ T8653	♣ KQJ		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT South				2. Rubensohl after 1m		

Board: 211	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T2	♠ J64				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ T86532	♥ AQ7	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10+3	♦ -	♦ AKQ53	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16+1	♣ AKQJ7	♣ 86	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Texas			

Board: 212	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ9543	♠ A82				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J3	♥ A95	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+3	♦ -	♦ AJ973	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ A8654	♣ QJ	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Texas			

Board: 213	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8	♠ KJ93				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KT642	♥ Q985	1 ♦	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ 9	♦ KJ	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 17	♣ KT954	♣ AQJ	Pass	5 ♥	All Pass	
Contract: 5 ♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

**Board: 210**      ♠ A96      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQT82      West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ A8

HCP: 19+1      ♣ KQJ

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**Board: 211**      ♠ J64      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ7      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AKQ53

HCP: 16+1      ♣ 86

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**Board: 212**      ♠ A82      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A95      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AJ973

HCP: 16+1      ♣ QJ

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**Board: 213**      ♠ KJ93      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q985      West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KJ

HCP: 17      ♣ AQJ

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Board: 210	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q4	♠ A96				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 7	♥ KQT82	2♠	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ KQJ94	♦ A8	All Pass			
South HCP: 19+1	♣ T8653	♣ KQJ		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT South				2. Rubensohl after 1m		

Board: 211	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T2	♠ J64				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ T86532	♥ AQ7	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10+3	♦ -	♦ AKQ53	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16+1	♣ AKQJ7	♣ 86	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Texas			

Board: 212	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ9543	♠ A82				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J3	♥ A95	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+3	♦ -	♦ AJ973	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ A8654	♣ QJ	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Texas			

Board: 213	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8	♠ KJ93				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KT642	♥ Q985	1 ♦	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ 9	♦ KJ	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 17	♣ KT954	♣ AQJ	Pass	5 ♥	All Pass	
Contract: 5 ♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

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<b>Board: 214</b>	♠ 9	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ964	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A	
HCP: 14+3	♣ JT874	

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<b>Board: 215</b>	♠ 43	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ973	East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A94	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK7	

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<b>Board: 216</b>	♠ AK4	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ9	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J	
HCP: 19+2	♣ AQ8432	

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<b>Board: 217</b>	♠ KQJ653	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 3	West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A7643	
HCP: 10+3	♣ 6	

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Board: 214	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 9	♠ AQJ43				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ964	♥ J3	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14+3	♦ A	♦ QJ86	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18+1	♣ JT874	♣ AK	Pass	4NT	All Pass	
Contract: 4NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 215	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 43	♠ 6		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♠	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ973	♥ A2	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 16+1	♦ A94	♦ QT875		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AK7	♣ QJT94		2. Rubensohl after 1m		
Contract: 4♥ North						

Board: 216	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK4	♠ 7		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	3♥
Vul: None	♥ KQ9	♥ A8654	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 19+2	♦ J	♦ A9873		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AQ8432	♣ J5				
Contract: 4♥ North						

Board: 217	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQJ653	♠ 8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 3	♥ KJT	2♠	Pass	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 10+3	♦ A7643	♦ KQ9	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ 6	♣ AKT985		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT North						

**Board: 214**      ♠ AQJ43      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J3      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ QJ86

HCP: 18+1      ♣ AK

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**Board: 215**      ♠ 6      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A2      East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ QT875

HCP: 9+2      ♣ QJT94

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**Board: 216**      ♠ 7      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A8654      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ A9873

HCP: 9+2      ♣ J5

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**Board: 217**      ♠ 8      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KJT      West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQ9

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AKT985

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Board: 214	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 9	♠ AQJ43				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ964	♥ J3	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14+3	♦ A	♦ QJ86	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18+1	♣ JT874	♣ AK	Pass	4NT	All Pass	
Contract: 4NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 215	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 43	♠ 6		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♠	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ973	♥ A2	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 16+1	♦ A94	♦ QT875		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AK7	♣ QJT94		2. Rubensohl after 1m		
Contract: 4♥ North						

Board: 216	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK4	♠ 7		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	3♥
Vul: None	♥ KQ9	♥ A8654	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 19+2	♦ J	♦ A9873		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AQ8432	♣ J5				
Contract: 4♥ North						

Board: 217	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQJ653	♠ 8				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 3	♥ KJT	2♠	Pass	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 10+3	♦ A7643	♦ KQ9	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ 6	♣ AKT985		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT North						

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<b>Board: 218</b>	♠ KQ865	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K9654	
HCP: 11+2	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 219</b>	♠ 8	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJ53	
HCP: 14+2	♣ A9874	

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<b>Board: 220</b>	♠ 94	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKT76	
HCP: 19+1	♣ AK6	

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<b>Board: 221</b>	♠ AKJ876	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J	
HCP: 21+2	♣ A7	

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Board: 218	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ865	♠ J93				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q8	♥ AKJ5	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ K9654	♦ AT	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 17	♣ J	♣ AT83	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
Contract: 4♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 219	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 8	♠ AKQ953				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ Q9	♥ A82	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AKJ53	♦ 2	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 16+2	♣ A9874	♣ QJT	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 220	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 94	♠ KQJ87		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AJ8	♥ KT9542	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 19+1	♦ AKT76	♦ -	Pass	3♥	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 9+3	♣ AK6	♣ T4	Pass	5NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. 2 out of 4			

Board: 221	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ876	♠ Q		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>		
Vul: N-S	♥ AKJ3	♥ 6	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣		
North HCP: 21+2	♦ J	♦ AKT92	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦		
South HCP: 10+3	♣ A7	♣ J95432	Pass	4♠	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. artificial					

**Board: 218**      ♠ J93      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKJ5      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AT

HCP: 17      ♣ AT83

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**Board: 219**      ♠ AKQ953      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A82      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 2

HCP: 16+2      ♣ QJT

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**Board: 220**      ♠ KQJ87      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KT9542      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ -

HCP: 9+3      ♣ T4

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**Board: 221**      ♠ Q      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKT92

HCP: 10+3      ♣ J95432

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Board: 218	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ865	♠ J93				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q8	♥ AKJ5	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ K9654	♦ AT	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 17	♣ J	♣ AT83	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
Contract: 4♠ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 219	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 8	♠ AKQ953				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ Q9	♥ A82	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AKJ53	♦ 2	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 16+2	♣ A9874	♣ QJT	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 220	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 94	♠ KQJ87		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AJ8	♥ KT9542	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 19+1	♦ AKT76	♦ -	Pass	3♥	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 9+3	♣ AK6	♣ T4	Pass	5NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. 2 out of 4			

Board: 221	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ876	♠ Q		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>		
Vul: N-S	♥ AKJ3	♥ 6	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣		
North HCP: 21+2	♦ J	♦ AKT92	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦		
South HCP: 10+3	♣ A7	♣ J95432	Pass	4♠	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. artificial					

**Board: 222**      ♠ J3      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKQJ      East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AQJ93

HCP: 20+1      ♣ Q2

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**Board: 223**      ♠ AT      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KT532      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ K6532

HCP: 10+2      ♣ 4

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**Board: 224**      ♠ KT983      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 3      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ A5432

HCP: 8+2      ♣ J8

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**Board: 225**      ♠ T9875      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AJ632      West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ K2

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 9

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Board: 222	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J3	♠ QT742		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQJ	♥ 93	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 20+1	♦ AQJ93	♦ 4		All Pass		
South HCP: 9+2	♣ Q2	♣ AK865				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 223	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT	♠ K				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KT532	♥ AQ6	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 10+2	♦ K6532	♦ A9	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17+3	♣ 4	♣ KJT9865	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♥ North			Pass	6♥	All Pass	
						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial
						3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

Board: 224	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT983	♠ 2				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ AK62	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ A5432	♦ KQJ6	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 17	♣ J8	♣ A653	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South				All Pass		
						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

Board: 225	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T9875	♠ K2				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AJ632	♥ 5	1♥	X	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 8+2	♦ K2	♦ AQT65	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ 9	♣ AK862				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						

**Board: 222**      ♠ QT742      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 93      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 4

HCP: 9+2      ♣ AK865

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**Board: 223**      ♠ K      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ A9

HCP: 17+3      ♣ KJT9865

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**Board: 224**      ♠ 2      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK62      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KQJ6

HCP: 17      ♣ A653

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**Board: 225**      ♠ K2      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 5      West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AQT65

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AK862

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Board: 222	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J3	♠ QT742		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQJ	♥ 93	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 20+1	♦ AQJ93	♦ 4		All Pass		
South HCP: 9+2	♣ Q2	♣ AK865				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 223	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT	♠ K				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KT532	♥ AQ6	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 10+2	♦ K6532	♦ A9	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17+3	♣ 4	♣ KJT9865	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♥ North			Pass	6♥	All Pass	
						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial
						3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

Board: 224	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT983	♠ 2				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ AK62	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ A5432	♦ KQJ6	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 17	♣ J8	♣ A653	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South				All Pass		
						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

Board: 225	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T9875	♠ K2				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AJ632	♥ 5	1♥	X	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 8+2	♦ K2	♦ AQT65	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ 9	♣ AK862				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						

**Board: 226**      ♠ KQ83      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KT2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQT83

HCP: 17+1      ♣ A

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**Board: 227**      ♠ AQJ83      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J      East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 96

HCP: 11+2      ♣ QJT97

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**Board: 228**      ♠ Q653      LHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: East      ♥ 542      Partner bids next.

Vul: None      ♦ 983      West (RHO) Doubles 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 5      ♣ QJ4      East (LHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.

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**Board: 229**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK982      West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 52

HCP: 12+3      ♣ AJT984

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Board: 226	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ83	♠ A5		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KT2	♥ Q9765	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17+1	♦ KQT83	♦ 6	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ A	♣ QT863				
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 227	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJ83	♠ K652				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J	♥ KQ	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♥	Pass
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 96	♦ AJ872	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ QJT97	♣ K6	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 228	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ Q653	♠ KT9842			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♠
Vul: None	♥ 542	♥ A7	X	4♠	X	All Pass
North HCP: 5	♦ 983	♦ K542				
South HCP: 10+2	♣ QJ4	♣ 3	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♠X North						

Board: 229	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ QJT4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AK982	♥ QJ75	1♠	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 12+3	♦ 52	♦ AK7	All Pass			
South HCP: 16	♣ AJT984	♣ K2	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♥ South						

**Board: 226**      ♠ A5      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ Q9765      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 6

HCP: 8+2      ♣ QT863

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**Board: 227**      ♠ K652      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ      East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AJ872

HCP: 16+1      ♣ K6

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**Board: 228**      ♠ KT9842      RHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: East      ♥ A7      You bid next.

Vul: None      ♦ K542      West (LHO) Doubles 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 10+2      ♣ 3      East (RHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.

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**Board: 229**      ♠ QJT4      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ QJ75      West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AK7

HCP: 16      ♣ K2

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Board: 226	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ83	♠ A5		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KT2	♥ Q9765	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17+1	♦ KQT83	♦ 6	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ A	♣ QT863				
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 227	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJ83	♠ K652				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J	♥ KQ	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♥	Pass
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 96	♦ AJ872	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ QJT97	♣ K6	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 228	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ Q653	♠ KT9842			1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♠
Vul: None	♥ 542	♥ A7	X	4♠	X	All Pass
North HCP: 5	♦ 983	♦ K542				
South HCP: 10+2	♣ QJ4	♣ 3	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♠X North						

Board: 229	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ QJT4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AK982	♥ QJ75	1♠	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 12+3	♦ 52	♦ AK7	All Pass			
South HCP: 16	♣ AJT984	♣ K2	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4♥ South						

**Board: 230**      ♠ AQT83      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K95      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q

HCP: 17+1      ♣ AQT8

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**Board: 231**      ♠ KT953      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A85      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AKQ8

HCP: 16+1      ♣ 7

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**Board: 232**      ♠ 87632      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ82      West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 6

HCP: 9+2      ♣ 52

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**Board: 233**      ♠ A      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQT93      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ Q2

HCP: 14+2      ♣ KT976

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Board: 230	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQT83	♠ J9752		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ K95	♥ J	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 17+1	♦ Q	♦ AKJ32	Pass	4♦	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 13+2	♣ AQT8	♣ K7	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>	All Pass	
Contract: 5♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

Board: 231	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT953	♠ AQ862		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A85	♥ 642	Pass	1♠	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AKQ8	♦ -	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 11+2	♣ 7	♣ KQT65	All Pass			
Contract: 6♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Exclusion, for !S			
			4. 2 out of 4			

Board: 232	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 87632	♠ A9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQ82	♥ 4	1♠	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 6	♦ AQJT4	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+2	♣ 52	♣ KQ984	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 233	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A	♠ JT76				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQT93	♥ A6	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14+2	♦ Q2	♦ AK983	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KT976	♣ A8	Pass	7NT	All Pass	
Contract: 7NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

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<b>Board: 230</b>	♠ J9752	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ32	
HCP: 13+2	♣ K7	

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<b>Board: 231</b>	♠ AQ862	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 642	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ -	
HCP: 11+2	♣ KQT65	

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<b>Board: 232</b>	♠ A9	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 4	West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJT4	
HCP: 16+2	♣ KQ984	

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<b>Board: 233</b>	♠ JT76	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ A6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK983	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A8	

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Board: 230	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQT83	♠ J9752		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ K95	♥ J	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 17+1	♦ Q	♦ AKJ32	Pass	4♦	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 13+2	♣ AQT8	♣ K7	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>	All Pass	
Contract: 5♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

Board: 231	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT953	♠ AQ862		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A85	♥ 642	Pass	1♠	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AKQ8	♦ -	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 11+2	♣ 7	♣ KQT65	All Pass			
Contract: 6♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Exclusion, for !S			
			4. 2 out of 4			

Board: 232	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 87632	♠ A9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQ82	♥ 4	1♠	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 6	♦ AQJT4	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+2	♣ 52	♣ KQ984	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 233	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A	♠ JT76				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQT93	♥ A6	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14+2	♦ Q2	♦ AK983	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KT976	♣ A8	Pass	7NT	All Pass	
Contract: 7NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

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<b>Board: 234</b>	♠ 4	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ -	East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT964	West (RHO) bids 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 8+4	♣ KQT9864	

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<b>Board: 235</b>	♠ AJ	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ874	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KT4	
HCP: 17+1	♣ A83	

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<b>Board: 236</b>	♠ AQ63	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ QT73	East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A	
HCP: 16	♣ A874	

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<b>Board: 237</b>	♠ J9753	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJ	
HCP: 13+2	♣ Q	

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Board: 234	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 4	♠ AKQ96				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ -	♥ A65	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♥	2 ♠
North HCP: 8+4	♦ KT964	♦ QJ532	3 ♥	6 ♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ KQT9864	♣ -				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 6 ♣ North						2. artificial

Board: 235	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJ	♠ Q9842		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ874	♥ -	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 17+1	♦ KT4	♦ AQ632	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ A83	♣ T64				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						2. artificial

Board: 236	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ63	♠ K8754		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ QT73	♥ -	Pass	3 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 16	♦ A	♦ KQJ932	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+3	♣ A874	♣ 62				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4 ♠ North						2. Rubensohl after 1m
						3. relay

Board: 237	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J9753	♠ Q4				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AQT53	♥ J2	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 13+2	♦ KJ	♦ AQ83	Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ Q	♣ AKT73	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South						1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 234</b>	♠ AKQ96	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ A65	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ QJ532	West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 16+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 235</b>	♠ Q9842	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ632	
HCP: 8+2	♣ T64	

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<b>Board: 236</b>	♠ K8754	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ -	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQJ932	
HCP: 9+3	♣ 62	

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<b>Board: 237</b>	♠ Q4	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ J2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ83	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKT73	

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Board: 234	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 4	♠ AKQ96				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ -	♥ A65	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♥	2 ♠
North HCP: 8+4	♦ KT964	♦ QJ532	3 ♥	6 ♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ KQT9864	♣ -				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 6 ♣ North						2. artificial

Board: 235	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJ	♠ Q9842		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ874	♥ -	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 17+1	♦ KT4	♦ AQ632	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ A83	♣ T64				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						2. artificial

Board: 236	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ63	♠ K8754		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ QT73	♥ -	Pass	3 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 16	♦ A	♦ KQJ932	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+3	♣ A874	♣ 62				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4 ♠ North						2. Rubensohl after 1m
						3. relay

Board: 237	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J9753	♠ Q4				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AQT53	♥ J2	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 13+2	♦ KJ	♦ AQ83	Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 16+1	♣ Q	♣ AKT73	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South						1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 238**      ♠ AK654      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ T8742      West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q75

HCP: 9+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 239**      ♠ KT42      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KQ4      West (RHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ JT3

HCP: 16      ♣ AK2

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**Board: 240**      ♠ 4      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ985      West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ QT983

HCP: 8+2      ♣ T2

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**Board: 241**      ♠ AKJ95      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ873      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ -

HCP: 13+2      ♣ 972

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Board: 238	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK654	♠ JT7				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ T8742	♥ KQJ96	2♣	3♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 9+2	♦ Q75	♦ AJ	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 17+1	♣ -	♣ AJ8	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
Contract: 6♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !H			
			3. 2 out of 4			

Board: 239	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT42	♠ A9875		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KQ4	♥ J	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ JT3	♦ K2	X	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AK2	♣ T9654	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 240	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 4	♠ AK93				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQ985	♥ JT4	1♠	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ QT983	♦ AK2	All Pass			
South HCP: 18	♣ T2	♣ K76	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 241	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJ95	♠ T83				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ873	♥ A	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13+2	♦ -	♦ KQ976	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 972	♣ AK84	Pass	6♠	All Pass	
Contract: 6♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !S			
			3. 2 out of 4			

**Board: 238**      ♠ JT7      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQJ96      West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AJ

HCP: 17+1      ♣ AJ8

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**Board: 239**      ♠ A9875      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ J      West (LHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ K2

HCP: 8+2      ♣ T9654

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**Board: 240**      ♠ AK93      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ JT4      West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AK2

HCP: 18      ♣ K76

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**Board: 241**      ♠ T83      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KQ976

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AK84

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Board: 238	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK654	♠ JT7				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ T8742	♥ KQJ96	2♣	3♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 9+2	♦ Q75	♦ AJ	Pass	5♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 17+1	♣ -	♣ AJ8	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
Contract: 6♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !H			
			3. 2 out of 4			

Board: 239	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT42	♠ A9875		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KQ4	♥ J	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ JT3	♦ K2	X	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AK2	♣ T9654	All Pass			
Contract: 4♠ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 240	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 4	♠ AK93				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQ985	♥ JT4	1♠	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ QT983	♦ AK2	All Pass			
South HCP: 18	♣ T2	♣ K76	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 241	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJ95	♠ T83				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ873	♥ A	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13+2	♦ -	♦ KQ976	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 972	♣ AK84	Pass	6♠	All Pass	
Contract: 6♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. Exclusion, for !S			
			3. 2 out of 4			

**Board: 242**      ♠ 6      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K9862      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A9

HCP: 8+2      ♣ JT852

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**Board: 243**      ♠ KJ654      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ -      West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ J72

HCP: 12+2      ♣ AQJ62

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**Board: 244**      ♠ AKT      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 8      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AKQ32

HCP: 20+1      ♣ A743

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**Board: 245**      ♠ 32      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AJ952      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q

HCP: 10+2      ♣ KT864

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Board: 242	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 6	♠ AKQ87				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K9862	♥ A	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 8+2	♦ A9	♦ Q32	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ JT852	♣ Q976	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 243	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KJ654	♠ AQ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ -	♥ KQJ764	1♦	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ J72	♦ KQ	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 17+2	♣ AQJ62	♣ 843	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 244	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKT	♠ 76		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ QJT742	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 20+1	♦ AKQ32	♦ -	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 8+3	♣ A743	♣ KQT85	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 245	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 32	♠ AK5				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AJ952	♥ K87	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ Q	♦ AKJ52	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 19+1	♣ KT864	♣ J7	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 242**      ♠ AKQ87      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q32

HCP: 17+1      ♣ Q976

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**Board: 243**      ♠ AQ      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQJ764      West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQ

HCP: 17+2      ♣ 843

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**Board: 244**      ♠ 76      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ QJT742      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ -

HCP: 8+3      ♣ KQT85

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**Board: 245**      ♠ AK5      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K87      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKJ52

HCP: 19+1      ♣ J7

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Board: 242	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 6	♠ AKQ87				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K9862	♥ A	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 8+2	♦ A9	♦ Q32	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ JT852	♣ Q976	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 243	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KJ654	♠ AQ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ -	♥ KQJ764	1♦	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ J72	♦ KQ	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 17+2	♣ AQJ62	♣ 843	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 244	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKT	♠ 76		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ QJT742	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 20+1	♦ AKQ32	♦ -	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 8+3	♣ A743	♣ KQT85	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 245	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 32	♠ AK5				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AJ952	♥ K87	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ Q	♦ AKJ52	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 19+1	♣ KT864	♣ J7	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 246**      ♠ AK765

You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AJ54

HCP: 16+1      ♣ A95

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**Board: 247**      ♠ J2

Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK876

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ T8753

HCP: 11+2      ♣ K

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**Board: 248**      ♠ QT7

Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ -

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ K8752

HCP: 8+2      ♣ QJT76

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**Board: 249**      ♠ K7432

Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 9

West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ AJT72

East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 54

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**Board: 246**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ AK765

**South:**

♠ J9432

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Vul: Both

♥ 8

♥ AKJ93

Pass 4♠ All Pass

North HCP: 16+1

♦ AJ54

♦ K8

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 12+2

♣ A95

♣ 7

Contract: 4♠ North

**Board: 247**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ J2

**South:**

♠ AK53

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ AK876

♥ T43

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

North HCP: 11+2

♦ T8753

♦ AK

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

South HCP: 20

♣ K

♣ AQ82

Pass 3NT Pass 6♥

Contract: 6♥ South

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 248**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ QT7

**South:**

♠ AK643

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ -

♥ QJT5

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

North HCP: 8+2

♦ K8752

♦ AQ

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♠

South HCP: 19+1

♣ QJT76

♣ K4

Pass 4♠ All Pass

Contract: 4♠ North

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 249**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ K7432

**South:**

♠ QJT8

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ 9

♥ AJ4

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

North HCP: 8+2

♦ AJT72

♦ K94

 2♥<sup>3</sup> 2♠ 3♥ 4♠

South HCP: 17

♣ 54

♣ AQ8

All Pass

Contract: 4♠ South

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cappelletti, 5M5+m

<b>Board: 246</b>	♠ J9432	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K8	
HCP: 12+2	♣ 7	

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<b>Board: 247</b>	♠ AK53	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ T43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK	
HCP: 20	♣ AQ82	

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<b>Board: 248</b>	♠ AK643	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ	
HCP: 19+1	♣ K4	

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<b>Board: 249</b>	♠ QJT8	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ4	West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K94	East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ8	

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**Board: 246**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ AK765

**South:**

♠ J9432

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Vul: Both

♥ 8

♥ AKJ93

Pass 4♠ All Pass

North HCP: 16+1

♦ AJ54

♦ K8

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 12+2

♣ A95

♣ 7

Contract: 4♠ North

**Board: 247**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ J2

**South:**

♠ AK53

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ AK876

♥ T43

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

North HCP: 11+2

♦ T8753

♦ AK

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

South HCP: 20

♣ K

♣ AQ82

Pass 3NT Pass 6♥

Contract: 6♥ South

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 248**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ QT7

**South:**

♠ AK643

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ -

♥ QJT5

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

North HCP: 8+2

♦ K8752

♦ AQ

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♠

South HCP: 19+1

♣ QJT76

♣ K4

Pass 4♠ All Pass

Contract: 4♠ North

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 249**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ K7432

**South:**

♠ QJT8

W N E S

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ 9

♥ AJ4

 Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

North HCP: 8+2

♦ AJT72

♦ K94

 2♥<sup>3</sup> 2♠ 3♥ 4♠

South HCP: 17

♣ 54

♣ AQ8

All Pass

Contract: 4♠ South

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cappelletti, 5M5+m

**Board: 250**      ♠ KQT732      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AK93      East (LHO) bids 3♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q

HCP: 17+2      ♣ K5

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**Board: 251**      ♠ KJ653      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q6

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AT96

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**Board: 252**      ♠ AKQ83      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ JT954      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ T7

HCP: 10+2      ♣ T

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Board: 250	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQT732	♠ AJ864		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♦	3♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AK93	♥ Q8642	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17+2	♦ Q	♦ A5	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 12+2	♣ K5	♣ J	Pass	6♠	All Pass	
Contract: 6♠ North						
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. limit raise or better in !S			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 251	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KJ653	♠ -		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQ	♥ T7432	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ Q6	♦ AKT	Pass	3♣	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 10+2	♣ AT96	♣ K7432	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 252	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKQ83	♠ 4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ JT954	♥ A32	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10+2	♦ T7	♦ KQJ42	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ T	♣ AK92	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 250**      ♠ AJ864      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ Q8642      East (RHO) bids 3♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A5

HCP: 12+2      ♣ J

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**Board: 251**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ T7432      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKT

HCP: 10+2      ♣ K7432

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**Board: 252**      ♠ 4      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A32      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQJ42

HCP: 17+1      ♣ AK92

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Board: 250	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQT732	♠ AJ864		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♦	3♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AK93	♥ Q8642	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17+2	♦ Q	♦ A5	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 12+2	♣ K5	♣ J	Pass	6♠	All Pass	
Contract: 6♠ North						
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. limit raise or better in !S			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 251	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KJ653	♠ -		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AQ	♥ T7432	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ Q6	♦ AKT	Pass	3♣	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 10+2	♣ AT96	♣ K7432	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 252	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKQ83	♠ 4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ JT954	♥ A32	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10+2	♦ T7	♦ KQJ42	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ T	♣ AK92	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 253**      ♠ KJT9      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 9874      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKJ2

HCP: 16      ♣ A

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**Board: 254**      ♠ K32      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AT653      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ -

HCP: 11+2      ♣ AT832

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**Board: 255**      ♠ JT      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ T4      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKQ2

HCP: 18+1      ♣ AKJT3

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**Board: 256**      ♠ J3      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KT953      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AKJ76

HCP: 12+2      ♣ 3

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 253**

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 8+2  
Contract: 4♠ South

**North:**

♠ KJT9  
♥ 9874  
♦ AKJ2  
♣ A

**South:**

♠ 87654  
♥ AQ  
♦ 5  
♣ Q8763

**W N E S**

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

**Board: 254**

Dealer: South  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 11+2  
South HCP: 16+1  
Contract: 3NT North

**North:**

♠ K32  
♥ AT653  
♦ -  
♣ AT832

**South:**

♠ QJ  
♥ Q8  
♦ AK853  
♣ KJ64

**W N E S**

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 255**

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 18+1  
South HCP: 8+2  
Contract: 3NT South

**North:**

♠ JT  
♥ T4  
♦ AKQ2  
♣ AKJT3

**South:**

♠ AQ743  
♥ 3  
♦ 65  
♣ Q9642

**W N E S**

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 256**

Dealer: South  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12+2  
South HCP: 18+4  
Contract: 6♣ South

**North:**

♠ J3  
♥ KT953  
♦ AKJ76  
♣ 3

**South:**

♠ AQ  
♥ 87  
♦ Q  
♣ AKQJ8764

**W N E S**

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♣

Pass 4♦ Pass 4NT

Pass 5♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

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<b>Board: 253</b>	♠ 87654	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 5	
HCP: 8+2	♣ Q8763	

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<b>Board: 254</b>	♠ QJ	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK853	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KJ64	

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<b>Board: 255</b>	♠ AQ743	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 65	
HCP: 8+2	♣ Q9642	

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<b>Board: 256</b>	♠ AQ	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q	
HCP: 18+4	♣ AKQJ8764	

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**Board: 253**

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 8+2  
Contract: 4♠ South

**North:**

♠ KJT9  
♥ 9874  
♦ AKJ2  
♣ A

**South:**

♠ 87654  
♥ AQ  
♦ 5  
♣ Q8763

**W N E S**

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

**Board: 254**

Dealer: South  
Vul: N-S  
North HCP: 11+2  
South HCP: 16+1  
Contract: 3NT North

**North:**

♠ K32  
♥ AT653  
♦ -  
♣ AT832

**South:**

♠ QJ  
♥ Q8  
♦ AK853  
♣ KJ64

**W N E S**

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 255**

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 18+1  
South HCP: 8+2  
Contract: 3NT South

**North:**

♠ JT  
♥ T4  
♦ AKQ2  
♣ AKJT3

**South:**

♠ AQ743  
♥ 3  
♦ 65  
♣ Q9642

**W N E S**

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 256**

Dealer: South  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12+2  
South HCP: 18+4  
Contract: 6♣ South

**North:**

♠ J3  
♥ KT953  
♦ AKJ76  
♣ 3

**South:**

♠ AQ  
♥ 87  
♦ Q  
♣ AKQJ8764

**W N E S**

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♣

Pass 4♦ Pass 4NT

Pass 5♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

**Board: 257**      ♠ K65      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AT954      West (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ AKT94

HCP: 14+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 258**      ♠ 98732      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ A6

HCP: 10+2      ♣ KQJT3

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**Board: 259**      ♠ A      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ QJ765      East (LHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ 72

HCP: 11+2      ♣ KJT64

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**Board: 260**      ♠ Q73      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AT872      West (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ KJ876

HCP: 10+2      ♣ -

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 257	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K65	♠ AQ3				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT954	♥ KQ762	3♠	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AKT94	♦ Q3				
South HCP: 18+1	♣ -	♣ AJ2	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 258	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 98732	♠ K4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 2	♥ KQJ87	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ A6	♦ KJ7	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ KQJT3	♣ A97	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 259	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A	♠ KJT75				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ QJ765	♥ A932	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 72	♦ A4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 18+1	♣ KJT64	♣ AQ	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
Contract: 6♥ North			Pass	4♦	X	XX
			Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
			Pass	6♥	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 260	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q73	♠ AKJ4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT872	♥ J6	3♣	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ KJ876	♦ AQ4	All Pass			
South HCP: 17	♣ -	♣ Q876	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South						

**Board: 257**      ♠ AQ3      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ762      West (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ Q3

HCP: 18+1      ♣ AJ2

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**Board: 258**      ♠ K4      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQJ87      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KJ7

HCP: 17+1      ♣ A97

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**Board: 259**      ♠ KJT75      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A932      East (RHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ A4

HCP: 18+1      ♣ AQ

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**Board: 260**      ♠ AKJ4      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J6      West (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ AQ4

HCP: 17      ♣ Q876

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 257	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K65	♠ AQ3				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT954	♥ KQ762	3♠	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AKT94	♦ Q3				
South HCP: 18+1	♣ -	♣ AJ2	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 258	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 98732	♠ K4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 2	♥ KQJ87	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ A6	♦ KJ7	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ KQJT3	♣ A97	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 259	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A	♠ KJT75				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ QJ765	♥ A932	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 72	♦ A4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 18+1	♣ KJT64	♣ AQ	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
Contract: 6♥ North			Pass	4♦	X	XX
			Pass	4NT	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
			Pass	6♥	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 260	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q73	♠ AKJ4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AT872	♥ J6	3♣	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ KJ876	♦ AQ4	All Pass			
South HCP: 17	♣ -	♣ Q876	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 3NT South						

**Board: 261**      ♠ T2      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q9764      West (RHO) bids 3♦ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ K

HCP: 11+2      ♣ AQT93

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**Board: 262**      ♠ QJ43      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKQT3      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ K5

HCP: 19+1      ♣ A5

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**Board: 263**      ♠ Q      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KT432      West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ J9

HCP: 9+2      ♣ KT874

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**Board: 264**      ♠ T9      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQ854      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KT432

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 7

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Board: 261	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T2	♠ A87653				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q9764	♥ AK85	3 ♦	3 ♥	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ K	♦ A4	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
South HCP: 16+2	♣ AQT93	♣ J	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7 ♥
Contract: 7 ♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			
			3. !H queen and !D king			

Board: 262	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ QJ43	♠ KT976		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>		
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQT3	♥ J8	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠		
North HCP: 19+1	♦ K5	♦ AJ943	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+2	♣ A5	♣ 6	1. 16+ HCP					
Contract: 4 ♠ North			2. artificial					

Board: 263	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q	♠ AJ5				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KT432	♥ AJ65	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ J9	♦ KQ85	2 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 16	♣ KT874	♣ J6	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Cappelletti, 5M5+m			

Board: 264	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T9	♠ A52				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KQ854	♥ A9	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 8+2	♦ KT432	♦ Q9	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 19+2	♣ 7	♣ AKQ642	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

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<b>Board: 261</b>	♠ A87653	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AK85	West (LHO) bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A4	
HCP: 16+2	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 262</b>	♠ KT976	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ J8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ943	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 6	

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<b>Board: 263</b>	♠ AJ5	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ65	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ85	
HCP: 16	♣ J6	

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<b>Board: 264</b>	♠ A52	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ A9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q9	
HCP: 19+2	♣ AKQ642	

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Board: 261	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T2	♠ A87653				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q9764	♥ AK85	3 ♦	3 ♥	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ K	♦ A4	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
South HCP: 16+2	♣ AQT93	♣ J	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7 ♥
Contract: 7 ♥ South			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			
			3. !H queen and !D king			

Board: 262	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ QJ43	♠ KT976		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>		
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQT3	♥ J8	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠		
North HCP: 19+1	♦ K5	♦ AJ943	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+2	♣ A5	♣ 6	1. 16+ HCP					
Contract: 4 ♠ North			2. artificial					

Board: 263	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q	♠ AJ5				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KT432	♥ AJ65	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ J9	♦ KQ85	2 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 16	♣ KT874	♣ J6	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Cappelletti, 5M5+m			

Board: 264	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ T9	♠ A52				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KQ854	♥ A9	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 8+2	♦ KT432	♦ Q9	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 19+2	♣ 7	♣ AKQ642	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

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<b>Board: 265</b>	♠ JT952	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJ954	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 6	
HCP: 11+3	♣ Q	

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<b>Board: 266</b>	♠ -	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 762	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJ853	
HCP: 9+2	♣ AJ832	

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<b>Board: 267</b>	♠ AKT	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ KT76	West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ8	
HCP: 17	♣ QJ8	

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<b>Board: 268</b>	♠ K32	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ K76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ9	
HCP: 17	♣ Q63	

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Board: 265	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT952	♠ A				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ954	♥ Q6	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 11+3	♦ 6	♦ KQ532	Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ Q	♣ AJ862			1. 16+ HCP	
Contract: 2 ♥ North					2. artificial	

<b>Board: 266</b>	<b>North:</b>	<b>South:</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>S</b>
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AJ9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 762	♥ AK93	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ KJ853	♦ T7	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 17	♣ AJ832	♣ KQ76				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						2. artificial

Board: 267	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKT	♠ -		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KT76	♥ J9852	2 ♠	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ8	♦ A72				1. 16+ HCP
South HCP: 9+2	♣ QJ8	♣ AT743				2. artificial
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 268	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K32	♠ J	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	
Vul: N-S	♥ K76	♥ AQ532	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQ9	♦ J7543	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 8+2	♣ Q63	♣ T5	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 265**      ♠ A      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KQ532

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AJ862

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**Board: 266**      ♠ AJ9      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK93      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ T7

HCP: 17      ♣ KQ76

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**Board: 267**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ J9852      West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ A72

HCP: 9+2      ♣ AT743

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**Board: 268**      ♠ J      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ532      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ J7543

HCP: 8+2      ♣ T5

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Board: 265	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT952	♠ A				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ954	♥ Q6	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 11+3	♦ 6	♦ KQ532	Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ Q	♣ AJ862			1. 16+ HCP	
Contract: 2 ♥ North					2. artificial	

<b>Board: 266</b>	<b>North:</b>	<b>South:</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>S</b>
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AJ9				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 762	♥ AK93	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ KJ853	♦ T7	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 17	♣ AJ832	♣ KQ76				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 3NT North						2. artificial

Board: 267	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKT	♠ -		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KT76	♥ J9852	2 ♠	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ8	♦ A72				1. 16+ HCP
South HCP: 9+2	♣ QJ8	♣ AT743				2. artificial
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 268	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K32	♠ J	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	
Vul: N-S	♥ K76	♥ AQ532	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQ9	♦ J7543	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 8+2	♣ Q63	♣ T5	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 269**      ♠ K      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKQT8      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQJ86

HCP: 18+2      ♣ 75

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**Board: 270**      ♠ KQT98      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ975      East (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ 87      West (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

HCP: 11+2      ♣ 7

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**Board: 271**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ QJ943      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A97

HCP: 9+2      ♣ Q9652

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Board: 269	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K	♠ A875				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQT8	♥ -	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
North HCP: 18+2	♦ KQJ86	♦ AT92	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
South HCP: 17+1	♣ 75	♣ AKQT9	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 NT
Contract: 6 ♦ South			Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6 ♦
			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 270	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQT98	♠ J5				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQ975	♥ K863	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 87	♦ KQ92	3 ♣	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT
South HCP: 16	♣ 7	♣ AK6	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 271	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AKJ				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>		
Vul: N-S	♥ QJ943	♥ A82	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT		
North HCP: 9+2	♦ A97	♦ 543	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥		
South HCP: 19	♣ Q9652	♣ AK83	Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥		
Contract: 6 ♥ North			Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>3</sup>		
			Pass	6 ♥	All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. artificial					
			3. 2 out of 4					

**Board: 269**      ♠ A875      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ -      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AT92

HCP: 17+1      ♣ AKQT9

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**Board: 270**      ♠ J5      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K863      East (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ KQ92      West (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

HCP: 16      ♣ AK6

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**Board: 271**      ♠ AKJ      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A82      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 543

HCP: 19      ♣ AK83

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Board: 269	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K	♠ A875				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQT8	♥ -	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
North HCP: 18+2	♦ KQJ86	♦ AT92	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
South HCP: 17+1	♣ 75	♣ AKQT9	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 NT
Contract: 6 ♦ South			Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6 ♦
			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 270	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQT98	♠ J5				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQ975	♥ K863	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 87	♦ KQ92	3 ♣	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT
South HCP: 16	♣ 7	♣ AK6	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 271	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AKJ				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ QJ943	♥ A82	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ A97	♦ 543	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
South HCP: 19	♣ Q9652	♣ AK83	Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Contract: 6 ♥ North			Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
			Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. 2 out of 4			

**Board: 272**      ♠ K7      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQJ      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQJ653

HCP: 17+2      ♣ J2

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**Board: 273**      ♠ A982      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKQ2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ KJ7

HCP: 17      ♣ 93

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**Board: 274**      ♠ 7      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ JT932

HCP: 10+2      ♣ QJ632

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**Board: 272**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ K7

**South:**

♠ QT654

**W**
**N**
**E**
**S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: E-W

♥ AQJ

♥ 2

Pass

2♦

Pass 2♠

North HCP: 17+2

♦ KQJ653

♦ 7

Pass

3♦

Pass 4♣

South HCP: 11+3

♣ J2

♣ AKQT43

Pass

4♠

All Pass

Contract: 4♠ North

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 273**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ A982

**South:**

♠ KQJ63

**W**
**N**
**E**
**S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ AKQ2

♥ 764

Pass

1NT

Pass 2♥

North HCP: 17

♦ KJ7

♦ -

Pass

 3♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♣

South HCP: 10+2

♣ 93

♣ AT542

Pass

4♦

Pass 4♠

Contract: 4♠ South

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

**Board: 274**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ 7

**South:**

♠ AKJ43

**W**
**N**
**E**
**S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ AQ

♥ KJ4

Pass

 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠

North HCP: 10+2

♦ JT932

♦ A6

Pass

2♦

Pass 2NT

South HCP: 20+1

♣ QJ632

♣ A75

Pass

3NT

All Pass

Contract: 3NT North

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board:</b> 272	♠ QT654	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 7	
HCP: 11+3	♣ AKQT43	

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<b>Board:</b> 273	♠ KQJ63	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 764	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ -	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AT542	

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<b>Board:</b> 274	♠ AKJ43	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A6	
HCP: 20+1	♣ A75	

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**Board: 272**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ K7

**South:**

♠ QT654

**W**
**N**
**E**
**S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: E-W

**North:**

♥ AQJ

**South:**

♥ 2

**Pass**
**2♦**

Pass 2♠

North HCP: 17+2

**North:**

♦ KQJ653

**South:**

♦ 7

**Pass**
**3♦**

Pass 4♣

South HCP: 11+3

**North:**

♣ J2

**South:**

♣ AKQT43

**Pass**
**4♠**

All Pass

Contract: 4♠ North

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 273**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ A982

**South:**

♠ KQJ63

**W**
**N**
**E**
**S**

 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: Both

**North:**

♥ AKQ2

**South:**

♥ 764

**Pass**
**1NT**

Pass 2♥

North HCP: 17

**North:**

♦ KJ7

**South:**

♦ -

**Pass**
**3♠<sup>3</sup>**

Pass 4♣

South HCP: 10+2

**North:**

♣ 93

**South:**

♣ AT542

**Pass**
**4♦**

Pass 4♠

Contract: 4♠ South

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

**Board: 274**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ 7

**South:**

♠ AKJ43

**W**
**N**
**E**

 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: Both

**North:**

♥ AQ

**South:**

♥ KJ4

**Pass**
**1♥<sup>2</sup>**

Pass 1♠

North HCP: 10+2

**North:**

♦ JT932

**South:**

♦ A6

**Pass**
**2♦**

Pass 2NT

South HCP: 20+1

**North:**

♣ QJ632

**South:**

♣ A75

**Pass**
**3NT**

All Pass

Contract: 3NT North

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 275**      ♠ Q      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ QJ987      East (LHO) Doubles 2♦ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ 62

HCP: 9+2      ♣ AT632

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**Board: 276**      ♠ 6      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ T2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQ85

HCP: 12+2      ♣ K9532

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**Board: 277**      ♠ 9      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKT52      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ Q865

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AQJ

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**Board: 278**      ♠ J743      RHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: West      ♥ T4      You bid next.

Vul: None      ♦ KJ7      East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

HCP: 7      ♣ QT72      West (RHO) Doubles 5♦ if possible.

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Board: 275	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q	♠ A92				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ QJ987	♥ AKT2	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 62	♦ K84	Pass	2♦	X	2♥
South HCP: 17	♣ AT632	♣ QJ4	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Contract: 4♥ South			Pass	4♣	Pass	4♥
			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 276	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 6	♠ KJ87				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ T2	♥ AK863	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ AKQ85	♦ 73	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ K9532	♣ AJ	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 277	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ 9	♠ AKQJ5		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠		
Vul: Both	♥ AKT52	♥ QJ643	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥		
North HCP: 16+1	♦ Q865	♦ K3	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>		
South HCP: 16+2	♣ AQJ	♣ 5	Pass	5♥	All Pass			
Contract: 5♥ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5					

Board: 278	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ J743	♠ 6	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	5♦
Vul: None	♥ T4	♥ A6	X	All Pass		
North HCP: 7	♦ KJ7	♦ AT986532		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 9+4	♣ QT72	♣ J6		2. artificial		
Contract: 5♦ X South						

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<b>Board: 275</b>	♠ A92	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT2	East (RHO) Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K84	
HCP: 17	♣ QJ4	

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<b>Board: 276</b>	♠ KJ87	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AK863	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 73	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJ	

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<b>Board: 277</b>	♠ AKQJ5	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ643	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K3	
HCP: 16+2	♣ 5	

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<b>Board: 278</b>	♠ 6	LHO opens the bidding 1♣.
Dealer: West	♥ A6	Partner bids next.
Vul: None	♦ AT986532	East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+4	♣ J6	West (LHO) Doubles 5♦ if possible.

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Board: 275	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q	♠ A92				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ QJ987	♥ AKT2	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 62	♦ K84	Pass	2♦	X	2♥
South HCP: 17	♣ AT632	♣ QJ4	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Contract: 4♥ South			Pass	4♣	Pass	4♥
			All Pass			
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 276	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 6	♠ KJ87				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ T2	♥ AK863	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ AKQ85	♦ 73	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ K9532	♣ AJ	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 277	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ 9	♠ AKQJ5		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠		
Vul: Both	♥ AKT52	♥ QJ643	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥		
North HCP: 16+1	♦ Q865	♦ K3	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>		
South HCP: 16+2	♣ AQJ	♣ 5	Pass	5♥	All Pass			
Contract: 5♥ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5					

Board: 278	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ J743	♠ 6	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	5♦
Vul: None	♥ T4	♥ A6	X	All Pass		
North HCP: 7	♦ KJ7	♦ AT986532		1. 16+ HCP		
South HCP: 9+4	♣ QT72	♣ J6		2. artificial		
Contract: 5♦ X South						

<b>Board: 279</b>	♠ 98	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJT64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKT98	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 6	

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<b>Board: 280</b>	♠ K9	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q9653	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K8764	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 9	

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<b>Board: 281</b>	♠ AKT963	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	
HCP: 23+2	♣ Q2	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 279

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 98	♠ AT76				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ QJT64	♥ AK83	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ AKT98	♦ 3	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 17	♣ 6	♣ AQ92	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♦
Contract: 4 ♥ North			Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 280

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K9	♠ JT74				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q9653	♥ J4	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ K8764	♦ AQ5	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
South HCP: 17	♣ 9	♣ AKQ6	Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Contract: 3 NT South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 281

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKT963	♠ J8		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQJ	♥ -	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 23+2	♦ A	♦ JT6432	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
South HCP: 9+3	♣ Q2	♣ AK764	Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT
Contract: 5 ♠ North			Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
			Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !S queen

**Board: 279**      ♠ AT76      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK83      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 3

HCP: 17      ♣ AQ92

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**Board: 280**      ♠ JT74      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J4      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AQ5

HCP: 17      ♣ AKQ6

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**Board: 281**      ♠ J8      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ -      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ JT6432

HCP: 9+3      ♣ AK764

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 279

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 98	♠ AT76				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ QJT64	♥ AK83	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ AKT98	♦ 3	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 17	♣ 6	♣ AQ92	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♦
Contract: 4 ♥ North			Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 280

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K9	♠ JT74				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q9653	♥ J4	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ K8764	♦ AQ5	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
South HCP: 17	♣ 9	♣ AKQ6	Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Contract: 3 NT South			All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 281

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKT963	♠ J8		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQJ	♥ -	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 23+2	♦ A	♦ JT6432	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
South HCP: 9+3	♣ Q2	♣ AK764	Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT
Contract: 5 ♠ North			Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
			Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !S queen

<b>Board: 282</b>	♠ -	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ K9862	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ95	
HCP: 12+2	♣ 762	

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<b>Board: 283</b>	♠ 8	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQJ642	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 987	
HCP: 16+3	♣ AQ	

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<b>Board: 284</b>	♠ AKQ4	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AK	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ J7532	
HCP: 17+1	♣ 72	

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<b>Board: 285</b>	♠ J	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ QT853	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKT83	
HCP: 11+2	♣ J9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 282**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AKJT4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K9862	♥ J4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12+2	♦ AKQ95	♦ -	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♣
South HCP: 16+3	♣ 762	♣ AQJT83	All Pass			
Contract: 6♣ South			1. 16+ HCP			

**Board: 283**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 8	♠ KJT92		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQJ642	♥ T	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 16+3	♦ 987	♦ AK654	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 12+2	♣ AQ	♣ J3		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 6♥ North						

**Board: 284**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKQ4	♠ 86		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ AK	♥ T9765	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17+1	♦ J7532	♦ K	All Pass			
South HCP: 12+2	♣ 72	♣ AKQ64		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT South						

**Board: 285**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J	♠ A64				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ QT853	♥ AKJ6	1♠	3♥	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ AKT83	♦ 5	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 18+1	♣ J9	♣ AQ543	All Pass			
Contract: 6♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

**Board: 282**      ♠ AKJT4      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J4      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ -

HCP: 16+3      ♣ AQJT83

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**Board: 283**      ♠ KJT92      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ T      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AK654

HCP: 12+2      ♣ J3

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**Board: 284**      ♠ 86      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ T9765      East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ K

HCP: 12+2      ♣ AKQ64

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**Board: 285**      ♠ A64      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKJ6      West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ 5

HCP: 18+1      ♣ AQ543

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 282**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ -	♠ AKJT4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K9862	♥ J4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12+2	♦ AKQ95	♦ -	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♣
South HCP: 16+3	♣ 762	♣ AQJT83	All Pass			
Contract: 6♣ South			1. 16+ HCP			

**Board: 283**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 8	♠ KJT92		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQJ642	♥ T	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 16+3	♦ 987	♦ AK654	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 12+2	♣ AQ	♣ J3		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 6♥ North						

**Board: 284**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKQ4	♠ 86		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ AK	♥ T9765	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17+1	♦ J7532	♦ K	All Pass			
South HCP: 12+2	♣ 72	♣ AKQ64		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT South						

**Board: 285**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J	♠ A64				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ QT853	♥ AKJ6	1♠	3♥	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 11+2	♦ AKT83	♦ 5	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 18+1	♣ J9	♣ AQ543	All Pass			
Contract: 6♥ South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

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<b>Board: 286</b>	♠ Q8432	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ T83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 8+2	♣ KQJ98	

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<b>Board: 287</b>	♠ AKJ	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A86	
HCP: 21+1	♣ A9743	

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<b>Board: 288</b>	♠ AJ9854	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQJ74	
HCP: 11+3	♣ 7	

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<b>Board: 289</b>	♠ KQ	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ	
HCP: 21+3	♣ AKQJ632	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 286

Dealer: South

#### North:

♠ Q8432

#### South:

♠ A7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ T83

♥ KJ76

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

North HCP: 8+2

♦ -

♦ AKQ32

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

South HCP: 17+1

♣ KQJ98

♣ T4

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Contract: 3NT North

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 287

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ AKJ

#### South:

♠ T8654

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ KQ

♥ AJ

Pass 3NT All Pass

North HCP: 21+1

♦ A86

♦ 2

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 10+2

♣ A9743

♣ KQ865

2. artificial

Contract: 3NT North

### Board: 288

Dealer: South

#### North:

♠ AJ9854

#### South:

♠ K2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ 8

♥ AK53

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

North HCP: 11+3

♦ KQJ74

♦ 62

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

South HCP: 17+1

♣ 7

♣ AKT64

All Pass

Contract: 4♠ South

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 289

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ KQ

#### South:

♠ 92

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ Q8

♥ AJ742

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥

North HCP: 21+3

♦ KJ

♦ AT862

Pass 3NT All Pass

South HCP: 9+2

♣ AKQJ632

♣ 5

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

Contract: 3NT North

**Board: 286**      ♠ A7      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KJ76      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AKQ32

HCP: 17+1      ♣ T4

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**Board: 287**      ♠ T8654      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AJ      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 2

HCP: 10+2      ♣ KQ865

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**Board: 288**      ♠ K2      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK53      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ 62

HCP: 17+1      ♣ AKT64

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**Board: 289**      ♠ 92      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AJ742      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AT862

HCP: 9+2      ♣ 5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 286

Dealer: South

#### North:

♠ Q8432

#### South:

♠ A7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ T83

♥ KJ76

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

North HCP: 8+2

♦ -

♦ AKQ32

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

South HCP: 17+1

♣ KQJ98

♣ T4

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Contract: 3NT North

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 287

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ AKJ

#### South:

♠ T8654

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ KQ

♥ AJ

Pass 3NT All Pass

North HCP: 21+1

♦ A86

♦ 2

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 10+2

♣ A9743

♣ KQ865

2. artificial

Contract: 3NT North

### Board: 288

Dealer: South

#### North:

♠ AJ9854

#### South:

♠ K2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: None

♥ 8

♥ AK53

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

North HCP: 11+3

♦ KQJ74

♦ 62

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

South HCP: 17+1

♣ 7

♣ AKT64

All Pass

Contract: 4♠ South

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 289

Dealer: North

#### North:

♠ KQ

#### South:

♠ 92

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: N-S

♥ Q8

♥ AJ742

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥

North HCP: 21+3

♦ KJ

♦ AT862

Pass 3NT All Pass

South HCP: 9+2

♣ AKQJ632

♣ 5

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

Contract: 3NT North

**Board: 290**      ♠ Q      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AJ3      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AQ874

HCP: 17+1      ♣ KJ85

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**Board: 291**      ♠ KJ982      RHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: West      ♥ AQ32      You bid next.

Vul: None      ♦ K9      East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 13+1      ♣ T3      West (RHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.

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**Board: 292**      ♠ KJ87      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ62      East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AK8

HCP: 17      ♣ 86

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**Board: 293**      ♠ Q7543      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKJ874      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ -

HCP: 14+3      ♣ A4

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 290

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 17+1  
South HCP: 14+2  
Contract: 6♦ North

### North:

♠ Q  
♥ AJ3  
♦ AQ874  
♣ KJ85

### South:

♠ A5  
♥ K  
♦ J9653  
♣ AQ764

### W N E S

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

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

### Board: 291

Dealer: West  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13+1  
South HCP: 1+2  
Contract: 4♠ X South

### North:

♠ KJ982  
♥ AQ32  
♦ K9  
♣ T3

### South:

♠ T6543  
♥ 6  
♦ J7643  
♣ 75

### W N E S

1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	3♥	4♠
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 292

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 9+2  
Contract: 6♠ South

### North:

♠ KJ87  
♥ AQ62  
♦ AK8  
♣ 86

### South:

♠ AQT94  
♥ -  
♦ T73  
♣ QJT72

### W N E S

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

1. 16+ HCP  
2. limit raise or better in !S  
3. Exclusion, for !S  
4. 2 out of 4

### Board: 293

Dealer: South  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 14+3  
South HCP: 17+2  
Contract: 6♥ North

### North:

♠ Q7543  
♥ AKJ874  
♦ -  
♣ A4

### South:

♠ AKT  
♥ Q92  
♦ KQT832  
♣ K

### W N E S

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

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

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<b>Board: 290</b>	♠ A5	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J9653	
HCP: 14+2	♣ AQ764	

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<b>Board: 291</b>	♠ T6543	LHO opens the bidding 1♣.
Dealer: West	♥ 6	Partner bids next.
Vul: None	♦ J7643	East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 1+2	♣ 75	West (LHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.

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<b>Board: 292</b>	♠ AQT94	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ -	East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ T73	
HCP: 9+2	♣ QJT72	

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<b>Board: 293</b>	♠ AKT	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQT832	
HCP: 17+2	♣ K	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 290

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 17+1  
South HCP: 14+2  
Contract: 6♦ North

### North:

♠ Q  
♥ AJ3  
♦ AQ874  
♣ KJ85

### South:

♠ A5  
♥ K  
♦ J9653  
♣ AQ764

### W N E S

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

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

### Board: 291

Dealer: West  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13+1  
South HCP: 1+2  
Contract: 4♠ X South

### North:

♠ KJ982  
♥ AQ32  
♦ K9  
♣ T3

### South:

♠ T6543  
♥ 6  
♦ J7643  
♣ 75

### W N E S

1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	3♥	4♠
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 292

Dealer: North  
Vul: E-W  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 9+2  
Contract: 6♠ South

### North:

♠ KJ87  
♥ AQ62  
♦ AK8  
♣ 86

### South:

♠ AQT94  
♥ -  
♦ T73  
♣ QJT72

### W N E S

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

1. 16+ HCP  
2. limit raise or better in !S  
3. Exclusion, for !S  
4. 2 out of 4

### Board: 293

Dealer: South  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 14+3  
South HCP: 17+2  
Contract: 6♥ North

### North:

♠ Q7543  
♥ AKJ874  
♦ -  
♣ A4

### South:

♠ AKT  
♥ Q92  
♦ KQT832  
♣ K

### W N E S

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

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

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<b>Board: 294</b>	♠ KT987	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 5	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AK863	

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<b>Board: 295</b>	♠ KQJ93	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ972	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 53	
HCP: 11+2	♣ 2	

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<b>Board: 296</b>	♠ 7	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK975	
HCP: 18+1	♣ A76	

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<b>Board: 297</b>	♠ 7	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ92	East (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 7	
HCP: 16+3	♣ AKQJ874	

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**Board: 294**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT987	♠ AQ				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ 65	♥ AKJ32	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 10+2	♦ 5	♦ 742	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ AK863	♣ QJT	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 295**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQJ93	♠ A6				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ972	♥ A6	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11+2	♦ 53	♦ AQ8	Pass	2♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ 2	♣ Q96543	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 2♠ North			2. artificial			

**Board: 296**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 7	♠ AKT82		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ9	♥ 87	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 18+1	♦ AK975	♦ 3	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 10+2	♣ A76	♣ QJ985	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 297**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 7	♠ 52		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♠	Pass
Vul: None	♥ AQ92	♥ KJ853	Pass	4♣	All Pass	
North HCP: 16+3	♦ 7	♦ A9542	1. 16+ HCP			
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AKQJ874	♣ 2				
Contract: 4♣ North						

**Board: 294**      ♠ AQ      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AKJ32      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 742

HCP: 17+1      ♣ QJT

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**Board: 295**      ♠ A6      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ AQ8

HCP: 16+2      ♣ Q96543

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**Board: 296**      ♠ AKT82      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 87      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ 3

HCP: 10+2      ♣ QJ985

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**Board: 297**      ♠ 52      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KJ853      East (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ A9542

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 2

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**Board: 294**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ KT987

**South:**

♠ AQ

**W    N    E    S**

 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: E-W

♥ 65

♥ AKJ32

 Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

North HCP: 10+2

♦ 5

♦ 742

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

South HCP: 17+1

♣ AK863

♣ QJT

All Pass

Contract: 3NT South

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 295**

Dealer: South

**North:**

♠ KQJ93

**South:**

♠ A6

**W    N    E    S**

 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ KQ972

♥ A6

 Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

North HCP: 11+2

♦ 53

♦ AQ8

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

South HCP: 16+2

♣ 2

♣ Q96543

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 296**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ 7

**South:**

♠ AKT82

**W    N    E    S**

 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

 Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Vul: Both

♥ AQJ9

♥ 87

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

North HCP: 18+1

♦ AK975

♦ 3

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

South HCP: 10+2

♣ A76

♣ QJ985

All Pass

Contract: 3NT South

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 297**

Dealer: North

**North:**

♠ 7

**South:**

♠ 52

**W    N    E    S**

3 ♠

Pass

Vul: None

♥ AQ92

♥ KJ853

Pass 4 ♣ All Pass

North HCP: 16+3

♦ 7

♦ A9542

1. 16+ HCP

South HCP: 8+2

♣ AKQJ874

♣ 2

Contract: 4 ♣ North

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<b>Board: 298</b>	♠ A82	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ7	East (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 975	
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ8	
<b>Board: 299</b>	♠ AKQ	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ K765	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T94	
HCP: 16	♣ A43	
<b>Board: 300</b>	♠ AQT65	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ J9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K7	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQJ7	
<b>Board: 301</b>	♠ KQ8	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ654	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ K5	West (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.
HCP: 17+2	♣ 87	West (RHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible. East (LHO) Doubles 6♥ if possible.

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Board: 298	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A82	♠ KJ		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♦	3♥
Vul: Both	♥ AJ7	♥ Q9642	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ 975	♦ K				1. 16+ HCP
South HCP: 11+2	♣ AKJ8	♣ QT643				
Contract: 4♥ North						

Board: 299	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKQ	♠ 62		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K765	♥ A	Pass	1NT	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 16	♦ T94	♦ A6532	Pass	5♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+2	♣ A43	♣ Q7652				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 5♣ North						2. artificial
						3. Texas

Board: 300	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQT65	♠ 9		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J9	♥ AQ6543	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17+1	♦ K7	♦ QT865	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 8+3	♣ AQJ7	♣ 3	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

Board: 301	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ8	♠ -		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQ654	♥ 82	3♠	4♥	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 17+2	♦ K5	♦ Q9863	X	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 8+3	♣ 87	♣ AQ6532	Pass	5♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥X South			Pass	Pass	X	All Pass
						1. 16+ HCP
						2. strength cue bid
						3. Exclusion, for !H
						4. 2 out of 4
						5. !H queen and !D king

**Board: 298**      ♠ KJ      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ Q9642      East (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ K

HCP: 11+2      ♣ QT643

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**Board: 299**      ♠ 62      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A6532

HCP: 10+2      ♣ Q7652

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**Board: 300**      ♠ 9      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ6543      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ QT865

HCP: 8+3      ♣ 3

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**Board: 301**      ♠ -      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 82      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q9863      West (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

HCP: 8+3      ♣ AQ6532      West (LHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.

East (RHO) Doubles 6♥ if possible.

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Board: 298	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A82	♠ KJ		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♦	3♥
Vul: Both	♥ AJ7	♥ Q9642	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ 975	♦ K				1. 16+ HCP
South HCP: 11+2	♣ AKJ8	♣ QT643				
Contract: 4♥ North						

Board: 299	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKQ	♠ 62		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ K765	♥ A	Pass	1NT	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 16	♦ T94	♦ A6532	Pass	5♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+2	♣ A43	♣ Q7652				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 5♣ North						2. artificial
						3. Texas

Board: 300	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQT65	♠ 9		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J9	♥ AQ6543	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17+1	♦ K7	♦ QT865	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 8+3	♣ AQJ7	♣ 3	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

Board: 301	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ8	♠ -		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQ654	♥ 82	3♠	4♥	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 17+2	♦ K5	♦ Q9863	X	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 8+3	♣ 87	♣ AQ6532	Pass	5♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥X South			Pass	Pass	X	All Pass
						1. 16+ HCP
						2. strength cue bid
						3. Exclusion, for !H
						4. 2 out of 4
						5. !H queen and !D king

**Board: 302**      ♠ AJT95      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KQJT      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ 9

HCP: 16+1      ♣ AJ7

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**Board: 303**      ♠ 2      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KJ642      West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AT9874

HCP: 8+3      ♣ 2

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**Board: 304**      ♠ KQJ      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ J874      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ -

HCP: 16+2      ♣ AKQ953

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**Board: 305**      ♠ A65      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ AT954

HCP: 16+1      ♣ A75

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Board: 302	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJT95	♠ 8		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KQJT	♥ A9864	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ 9	♦ A6543	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AJ7	♣ 82				
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 303	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 2	♠ A4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KJ642	♥ AQ95	1♠	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 8+3	♦ AT9874	♦ KJ	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 20+1	♣ 2	♣ KQJ95				
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 304	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQJ	♠ 3		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J874	♥ AT653	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+2	♦ -	♦ KQT76	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AKQ953	♣ T4				
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 305	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A65	♠ KJ732		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A6	♥ Q2	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AT954	♦ KJ862	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+2	♣ A75	♣ J	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 302**      ♠ 8      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A9864      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A6543

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 82

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**Board: 303**      ♠ A4      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AQ95      West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KJ

HCP: 20+1      ♣ KQJ95

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**Board: 304**      ♠ 3      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AT653      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQT76

HCP: 9+2      ♣ T4

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**Board: 305**      ♠ KJ732      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ Q2      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ KJ862

HCP: 11+2      ♣ J

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Board: 302	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJT95	♠ 8		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ KQJT	♥ A9864	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ 9	♦ A6543	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AJ7	♣ 82				
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 303	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 2	♠ A4				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KJ642	♥ AQ95	1♠	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 8+3	♦ AT9874	♦ KJ	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 20+1	♣ 2	♣ KQJ95				
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			

Board: 304	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQJ	♠ 3		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J874	♥ AT653	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+2	♦ -	♦ KQT76	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AKQ953	♣ T4				
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

Board: 305	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A65	♠ KJ732		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A6	♥ Q2	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AT954	♦ KJ862	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+2	♣ A75	♣ J	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 306**      ♠ A8      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKQJ653      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A

HCP: 18+3      ♣ 853

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**Board: 307**      ♠ KT965      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQT74      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 2

HCP: 8+2      ♣ 42

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**Board: 308**      ♠ AT952      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KT753      East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ 7

HCP: 9+2      ♣ Q7

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**Board: 309**      ♠ 2      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A9765      The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQJ5

HCP: 14+2      ♣ 63

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**Board: 306**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A8	♠ QJT93		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQJ653	♥ 72	Pass	3♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18+3	♦ A	♦ 5	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+2	♣ 853	♣ AKJ62				
Contract: 6♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. solo suit			

**Board: 307**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT965	♠ A72				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KQT74	♥ A95	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ 2	♦ KQ74	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 17	♣ 42	♣ A65	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 308**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT952	♠ J84				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KT753	♥ AQ2	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♣	3NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 7	♦ AKJ43	All Pass			
South HCP: 19+1	♣ Q7	♣ A8				
Contract: 3NT South			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 309**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 2	♠ KQ53				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ A9765	♥ K43	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AKQJ5	♦ 93	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
South HCP: 16	♣ 63	♣ AKJT	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♥ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6NT North			Pass	6NT	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

<b>Board: 306</b>	♠ QJT93	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 72	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 5	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AKJ62	

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<b>Board: 307</b>	♠ A72	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ A95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ74	
HCP: 17	♣ A65	

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<b>Board: 308</b>	♠ J84	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ2	East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ43	
HCP: 19+1	♣ A8	

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<b>Board: 309</b>	♠ KQ53	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ K43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 93	
HCP: 16	♣ AKJT	

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**Board: 306**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A8	♠ QJT93		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQJ653	♥ 72	Pass	3♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18+3	♦ A	♦ 5	Pass	6♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+2	♣ 853	♣ AKJ62				
Contract: 6♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			
			3. solo suit			

**Board: 307**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT965	♠ A72				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ KQT74	♥ A95	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+2	♦ 2	♦ KQ74	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 17	♣ 42	♣ A65	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 308**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT952	♠ J84				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KT753	♥ AQ2	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♣	3NT
North HCP: 9+2	♦ 7	♦ AKJ43	All Pass			
South HCP: 19+1	♣ Q7	♣ A8		1. 16+ HCP		
Contract: 3NT South			2. artificial			

**Board: 309**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 2	♠ KQ53				1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ A9765	♥ K43	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AKQJ5	♦ 93	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
South HCP: 16	♣ 63	♣ AKJT	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♥ <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6NT North			Pass	6NT	All Pass	
			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

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<b>Board: 310</b>	♠ 2	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQJT62	
HCP: 11+3	♣ J9753	

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<b>Board: 311</b>	♠ AQ652	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ JT974	West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ J8	
HCP: 8+2	♣ T	

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<b>Board: 312</b>	♠ -	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ954	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT	
HCP: 17+3	♣ A9642	

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<b>Board: 313</b>	♠ AKQJ843	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ 6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K97	
HCP: 17+3	♣ A7	

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Board: 310	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 2	♠ KQ95				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K	♥ A852	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11+3	♦ AQJT62	♦ K	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 19	♣ J9753	♣ AK42	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
Contract: 6 ♣ South			All Pass			

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

Board: 311	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ652	♠ KJ98				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ JT974	♥ A3	2 ♣	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
North HCP: 8+2	♦ J8	♦ AT732	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ T	♣ A2	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

Board: 312	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ -	♠ QT872		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>		
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQ954	♥ 8	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠		
North HCP: 17+3	♦ AT	♦ KQJ732	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT		
South HCP: 11+3	♣ A9642	♣ K	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. artificial					

Board: 313	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ AKQJ843	♠ T6		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥ <sup>2</sup>		
Vul: Both	♥ 6	♥ AKQJT	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣		
North HCP: 17+3	♦ K97	♦ 2	Pass	6 ♠	All Pass			
South HCP: 14+2	♣ A7	♣ KJT98	1. 16+ HCP					
Contract: 6 ♠ North								

**Board: 310**      ♠ KQ95      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A852      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ K

HCP: 19      ♣ AK42

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**Board: 311**      ♠ KJ98      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A3      West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AT732

HCP: 16+1      ♣ A2

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**Board: 312**      ♠ QT872      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 8      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KQJ732

HCP: 11+3      ♣ K

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**Board: 313**      ♠ T6      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AKQJT      The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both      ♦ 2

HCP: 14+2      ♣ KJT98

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 310	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 2	♠ KQ95				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K	♥ A852	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11+3	♦ AQJT62	♦ K	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 19	♣ J9753	♣ AK42	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
Contract: 6 ♣ South			All Pass			

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

Board: 311	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ652	♠ KJ98				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ JT974	♥ A3	2 ♣	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
North HCP: 8+2	♦ J8	♦ AT732	All Pass			
South HCP: 16+1	♣ T	♣ A2	1. 16+ HCP			
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

Board: 312	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ -	♠ QT872		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>		
Vul: E-W	♥ AKQ954	♥ 8	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠		
North HCP: 17+3	♦ AT	♦ KQJ732	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT		
South HCP: 11+3	♣ A9642	♣ K	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ North			1. 16+ HCP					
			2. artificial					

Board: 313	North:	South:	W	N	E	S		
Dealer: North	♠ AKQJ843	♠ T6		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥		
Vul: Both	♥ 6	♥ AKQJT	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣		
North HCP: 17+3	♦ K97	♦ 2	Pass	6 ♠	All Pass			
South HCP: 14+2	♣ A7	♣ KJT98	1. 16+ HCP					
Contract: 6 ♠ North								

**Board: 314**      ♠ JT9864      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q3      West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ -      East (LHO) bids 4♦ if possible.

HCP: 9+3      ♣ AQT92

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**Board: 315**      ♠ AKJ962      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ J6      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ A92

HCP: 17+2      ♣ A2

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**Board: 316**      ♠ Q      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ AK9865      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ Q7543

HCP: 11+3      ♣ T

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**Board: 317**      ♠ QJ953      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ A9653      West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A3      East (LHO) bids 3♦ if possible.

HCP: 11+2      ♣ 7

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Board: 314	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT9864	♠ AQ52				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q3	♥ K6	2 ♥	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	4 ♠
North HCP: 9+3	♦ -	♦ AK82	All Pass			
South HCP: 16	♣ AQT92	♣ 876				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4 ♠ South						2. Rubensohl after 1m

Board: 315	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ962	♠ T7		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J6	♥ K	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 17+2	♦ A92	♦ K8643	Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 11+2	♣ A2	♣ KQ543	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

Board: 316	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q	♠ AKJT872				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AK9865	♥ 2	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
North HCP: 11+3	♦ Q7543	♦ AK9	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
South HCP: 19+3	♣ T	♣ KJ	Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Contract: 5 ♠ South			Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT
			Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
			All Pass			
						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial
						3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 317	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ953	♠ KT2				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ A9653	♥ QJ4	1 ♦	1 ♠	3 ♦	Pass
North HCP: 11+2	♦ A3	♦ J4	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 17+1	♣ 7	♣ AKQJ4				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4 ♥ North						

<b>Board: 314</b>	♠ AQ52	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ K6	West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK82	East (RHO) bids 4♦ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ 876	

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<b>Board: 315</b>	♠ T7	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K8643	
HCP: 11+2	♣ KQ543	

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<b>Board: 316</b>	♠ AKJT872	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK9	
HCP: 19+3	♣ KJ	

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<b>Board: 317</b>	♠ KT2	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ4	West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ J4	East (RHO) bids 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 17+1	♣ AKQJ4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 314	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT9864	♠ AQ52				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q3	♥ K6	2 ♥	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	4 ♠
North HCP: 9+3	♦ -	♦ AK82	All Pass			
South HCP: 16	♣ AQT92	♣ 876				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4 ♠ South						2. Rubensohl after 1m

Board: 315	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ962	♠ T7		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ J6	♥ K	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 17+2	♦ A92	♦ K8643	Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 11+2	♣ A2	♣ KQ543	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial

Board: 316	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q	♠ AKJT872				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AK9865	♥ 2	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
North HCP: 11+3	♦ Q7543	♦ AK9	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
South HCP: 19+3	♣ T	♣ KJ	Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Contract: 5 ♠ South			Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT
			Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
			All Pass			
						1. 16+ HCP
						2. artificial
						3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 317	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ953	♠ KT2				1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ A9653	♥ QJ4	1 ♦	1 ♠	3 ♦	Pass
North HCP: 11+2	♦ A3	♦ J4	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 17+1	♣ 7	♣ AKQJ4				1. 16+ HCP
Contract: 4 ♥ North						

<b>Board: 318</b>	♠ AJ	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ 54	West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJ32	
HCP: 17+1	♣ A975	

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<b>Board: 319</b>	♠ 8	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ983	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ3	
HCP: 20+1	♣ AK2	

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<b>Board: 320</b>	♠ A7	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AK4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q7	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AT8542	

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**Board: 318**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJ	♠ KT7543		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 54	♥ 3	3♥	Pass	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 17+1	♦ AKJ32	♦ Q	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+3	♣ A975	♣ KQ864				
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 319**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 8	♠ AQJ73		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AQ983	♥ 5	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 20+1	♦ AQJ3	♦ 65	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AK2	♣ Q9763				
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 320**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A7	♠ K64		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AK4	♥ QJ653	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17+2	♦ Q7	♦ K9832	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AT8542	♣ -				
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 318**      ♠ KT7543      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 3      West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q

HCP: 10+3      ♣ KQ864

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**Board: 319**      ♠ AQJ73      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 5      The opponents are silent.

Vul: None      ♦ 65

HCP: 9+2      ♣ Q9763

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**Board: 320**      ♠ K64      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ QJ653      The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W      ♦ K9832

HCP: 9+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 318**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJ	♠ KT7543		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: N-S	♥ 54	♥ 3	3♥	Pass	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 17+1	♦ AKJ32	♦ Q	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+3	♣ A975	♣ KQ864				
Contract: 4♠ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 319**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 8	♠ AQJ73		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AQ983	♥ 5	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 20+1	♦ AQJ3	♦ 65	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AK2	♣ Q9763				
Contract: 3NT North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			

**Board: 320**

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A7	♠ K64		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Vul: E-W	♥ AK4	♥ QJ653	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17+2	♦ Q7	♦ K9832	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+2	♣ AT8542	♣ -				
Contract: 4♥ North			1. 16+ HCP			
			2. artificial			