

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 1 ♠ 8732
Dealer: S ♥ K32
Vul: None ♦ 104
HCP: 7 ♣ A864

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 2 ♠ J985
Dealer: N ♥ K5
Vul: NS ♦ AKQ97
HCP: 13 ♣ 74

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 3 ♠ AK7643
Dealer: S ♥ 1054
Vul: EW ♦ 53
HCP: 7 ♣ 42

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 4 ♠ K9532
Dealer: N ♥ J64
Vul: NS ♦ AK76
HCP: 15 ♣ A

East Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 5 ♠ Q32
Dealer: S ♥ A853
Vul: EW ♦ J5
HCP: 11 ♣ KJ108

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8732	♠ K65				1♥
Vul: None	♥ K32	♥ QJ986	2♥ ¹	X	2NT ²	Pass
North HCP: 7	♦ 104	♦ K753	3♦	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A864	♣ K				
Contract: 3♥ S						
			1. Michaels Cuebid			
			2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 2	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J985	♠ 10743		1♦	2NT ¹	X
Vul: NS	♥ K5	♥ A842	4♣	Pass	Pass	X
North HCP: 13	♦ AKQ97	♦ 865	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ 74	♣ AJ				
Contract: 4♣X W			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 3	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK7643	♠ 95				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 1054	♥ A76	2NT ¹	Pass	3♣	AP
North HCP: 7	♦ 53	♦ AKJ87				
South HCP: 12	♣ 42	♣ 975	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 3♣ E						

Board: 4	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K9532	♠ AQJ4		1♠	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²
Vul: NS	♥ J64	♥ A875	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AK76	♦ J3	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A	♣ 1063	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♠ N			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 5	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q32	♠ 975				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A853	♥ 97	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥	Pass
North HCP: 11	♦ J5	♦ AK1097	2♠	AP		
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ108	♣ AQ5	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 2♠ W						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 1
Dealer: S
Vul: None
HCP: 12

♠ K65
♥ QJ986
♦ K753
♣ K

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 2
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
HCP: 9

♠ 10743
♥ A842
♦ 865
♣ AJ

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 3
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
HCP: 12

♠ 95
♥ A76
♦ AKJ87
♣ 975

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 4
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
HCP: 12

♠ AQJ4
♥ A875
♦ J3
♣ 1063

East Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 5
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
HCP: 13

♠ 975
♥ 97
♦ AK1097
♣ AQ5

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♥ S

North:
 ♠ 8732
 ♥ K32
 ♦ 104
 ♣ A864

South:
 ♠ K65
 ♥ QJ986
 ♦ K753
 ♣ K

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	X	2NT ²	Pass
3♦	3♥	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 2
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 4♣X W

North:
 ♠ J985
 ♥ K5
 ♦ AKQ97
 ♣ 74

South:
 ♠ 10743
 ♥ A842
 ♦ 865
 ♣ AJ

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	X
4♣	Pass	Pass	X
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 3
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♣ E

North:
 ♠ AK7643
 ♥ 1054
 ♦ 53
 ♣ 42

South:
 ♠ 95
 ♥ A76
 ♦ AKJ87
 ♣ 975

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

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

North:
 ♠ K9532
 ♥ J64
 ♦ AK76
 ♣ A

South:
 ♠ AQJ4
 ♥ A875
 ♦ J3
 ♣ 1063

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 5
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 2♠ W

North:
 ♠ Q32
 ♥ A853
 ♦ J5
 ♣ KJ108

South:
 ♠ 975
 ♥ 97
 ♦ AK1097
 ♣ AQ5

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥	Pass
2♠	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			

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Board: 6	♠ A32	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A86	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K	
HCP: 17	♣ AQ9532	You bid first.
Board: 7	♠ K3	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 7542	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K62	East Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 10	♣ KJ52	Partner bids first.
Board: 8	♠ AJ5	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A983	
HCP: 19	♣ AKQ62	You bid first.
Board: 9	♠ QJ10986	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQ65	
HCP: 9	♣ 3	Partner bids first.
Board: 10	♠ 10987	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J43	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ9	
HCP: 12	♣ A8	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 6
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ A32
 ♥ A86
 ♦ K
 ♣ AQ9532

South:
 ♠ KQJ104
 ♥ 3
 ♦ 9763
 ♣ KJ7

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	Pass
4♥	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 7
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♣ X S

North:
 ♠ K3
 ♥ 7542
 ♦ K62
 ♣ KJ52

South:
 ♠ 954
 ♥ AK8
 ♦ 1053
 ♣ AQ64

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	2♠	3♣
Pass	Pass	X	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 8
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 19
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♥ X W

North:
 ♠ AJ5
 ♥ J
 ♦ A983
 ♣ AKQ62

South:
 ♠ 83
 ♥ A983
 ♦ Q64
 ♣ J1095

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

Board: 9
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♣ E

North:
 ♠ QJ10986
 ♥ 95
 ♦ AQ65
 ♣ 3

South:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ AK42
 ♦ KJ1072
 ♣ J92

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2NT ¹	X	3♣	AP
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 10
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♣ W

North:
 ♠ 10987
 ♥ J43
 ♦ AQJ9
 ♣ A8

South:
 ♠ A52
 ♥ Q765
 ♦ 10763
 ♣ J9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	Pass
4♣	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 6	♠ KQJ104	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 9763	
HCP: 10	♣ KJ7	Partner bids first.
Board: 7	♠ 954	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK8	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 1053	East Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ64	You bid first.
Board: 8	♠ 83	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A983	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q64	
HCP: 7	♣ J1095	Partner bids first.
Board: 9	♠ 4	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK42	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ1072	
HCP: 12	♣ J92	You bid first.
Board: 10	♠ A52	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q765	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 10763	
HCP: 7	♣ J9	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 6
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ A32
 ♥ A86
 ♦ K
 ♣ AQ9532

South:
 ♠ KQJ104
 ♥ 3
 ♦ 9763
 ♣ KJ7

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	Pass
4♥	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 7
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♣ X S

North:
 ♠ K3
 ♥ 7542
 ♦ K62
 ♣ KJ52

South:
 ♠ 954
 ♥ AK8
 ♦ 1053
 ♣ AQ64

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	2♠	3♣
Pass	Pass	X	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 8
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 19
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♥ X W

North:
 ♠ AJ5
 ♥ J
 ♦ A983
 ♣ AKQ62

South:
 ♠ 83
 ♥ A983
 ♦ Q64
 ♣ J1095

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

Board: 9
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♣ E

North:
 ♠ QJ10986
 ♥ 95
 ♦ AQ65
 ♣ 3

South:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ AK42
 ♦ KJ1072
 ♣ J92

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2NT ¹	X	3♣	AP
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 10
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♣ W

North:
 ♠ 10987
 ♥ J43
 ♦ AQJ9
 ♣ A8

South:
 ♠ A52
 ♥ Q765
 ♦ 10763
 ♣ J9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	Pass
4♣	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

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Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 11 ♠ 1092
Dealer: S ♥ AKQ10
Vul: NS ♦ 953
HCP: 9 ♣ 1094

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 12 ♠ Q5
Dealer: N ♥ KQ64
Vul: EW ♦ Q963
HCP: 14 ♣ KQ2

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.
West Bids 5♠ if possible.
West Doubles 6♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 13 ♠ A93
Dealer: S ♥ A103
Vul: Both ♦ 1092
HCP: 8 ♣ 9874

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 14 ♠ 62
Dealer: N ♥ AKQJ109
Vul: NS ♦ K654
HCP: 14 ♣ J

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 15 ♠ 107
Dealer: S ♥ K76
Vul: EW ♦ 8765
HCP: 7 ♣ A532

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1092	♠ AQ875				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ10	♥ 9653	2NT ¹	Pass	3♦	Pass
North HCP: 9	♦ 953	♦ A2	Pass	3♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 1094	♣ K7				
Contract: 3♠ S			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ 3		1♦	2♦ ¹	X
Vul: EW	♥ KQ64	♥ 987	4♠	Pass	Pass	5♦
North HCP: 14	♦ Q963	♦ AKJ10542	5♠	Pass	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 8	♣ KQ2	♣ 43	X	AP		
Contract: 6♦ X N			1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A93	♠ K54				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A103	♥ Q8654	2♥ ¹	X	2NT ²	Pass
North HCP: 8	♦ 1092	♦ K8	3♦	AP		
South HCP: 13	♣ 9874	♣ AJ6				
Contract: 3♦ W			1. Michaels Cuebid 2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 62	♠ K8		1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AKQJ109	♥ 83	4♠	Pass	Pass	X
North HCP: 14	♦ K654	♦ 10973	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ J	♣ AK854				
Contract: 4♠ X W			1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 107	♠ A94				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K76	♥ 85	2NT ¹	Pass	3♣	3♦
North HCP: 7	♦ 8765	♦ AKJ10432	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A532	♣ 9				
Contract: 3♦ S			1. Unusual 2NT			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 11 ♠ AQ875
Dealer: S ♥ 9653
Vul: NS ♦ A2
HCP: 13 ♣ K7

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 12 ♠ 3
Dealer: N ♥ 987
Vul: EW ♦ AKJ10542
HCP: 8 ♣ 43

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.
West Bids 5♠ if possible.
West Doubles 6♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 13 ♠ K54
Dealer: S ♥ Q8654
Vul: Both ♦ K8
HCP: 13 ♣ AJ6

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 14 ♠ K8
Dealer: N ♥ 83
Vul: NS ♦ 10973
HCP: 10 ♣ AK854

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 15 ♠ A94
Dealer: S ♥ 85
Vul: EW ♦ AKJ10432
HCP: 12 ♣ 9

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1092	♠ AQ875				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ10	♥ 9653	2NT ¹	Pass	3♦	Pass
North HCP: 9	♦ 953	♦ A2	Pass	3♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 1094	♣ K7				
Contract: 3♠ S			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ 3		1♦	2♦ ¹	X
Vul: EW	♥ KQ64	♥ 987	4♠	Pass	Pass	5♦
North HCP: 14	♦ Q963	♦ AKJ10542	5♠	Pass	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 8	♣ KQ2	♣ 43	X	AP		
Contract: 6♦ X N			1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A93	♠ K54				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A103	♥ Q8654	2♥ ¹	X	2NT ²	Pass
North HCP: 8	♦ 1092	♦ K8	3♦	AP		
South HCP: 13	♣ 9874	♣ AJ6				
Contract: 3♦ W			1. Michaels Cuebid 2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 62	♠ K8		1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AKQJ109	♥ 83	4♠	Pass	Pass	X
North HCP: 14	♦ K654	♦ 10973	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ J	♣ AK854				
Contract: 4♠ X W			1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 107	♠ A94				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K76	♥ 85	2NT ¹	Pass	3♣	3♦
North HCP: 7	♦ 8765	♦ AKJ10432	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A532	♣ 9				
Contract: 3♦ S			1. Unusual 2NT			

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Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 16	♠ AJ3	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ872	
Vul: Both	♦ A852	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 8	

Board: 17	♠ 9653	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J2	
HCP: 8	♣ AK974	Partner bids first.

Board: 18	♠ J32	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A9876	
Vul: Both	♦ A95	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K7	

Board: 19	♠ KJ94	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A983	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 875	
HCP: 8	♣ 108	Partner bids first.

Board: 20	♠ Q87	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 52	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK10962	East Bids 5♠ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ K6	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 16
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 12
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AJ3
♥ AQ872
♦ A852
♣ 8

South:
♠ KQ1064
♥ K1043
♦ 4
♣ A64

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

1. Unusual 2NT
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 17
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♠ E

North:
♠ 9653
♥ 65
♦ J2
♣ AK974

South:
♠ J
♥ A1042
♦ AK9765
♣ Q6

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 18
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ J32
♥ A9876
♦ A95
♣ K7

South:
♠ AQ10987
♥ KJ10
♦ Q6
♣ Q3

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

1. Unusual 2NT
2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 19
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♥ E

North:
♠ KJ94
♥ A983
♦ 875
♣ 108

South:
♠ 872
♥ 6
♦ AKQ6
♣ KJ643

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 20
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 8
Contract: 5♠X W

North:
♠ Q87
♥ 52
♦ AK10962
♣ K6

South:
♠ —
♥ K964
♦ J8753
♣ A1098

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	X
4♠	5♦	5♠	X
AP			

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 16	♠ KQ1064	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K1043	
Vul: Both	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A64	
Board: 17	♠ J	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A1042	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK9765	
HCP: 14	♣ Q6	You bid first.
Board: 18	♠ AQ10987	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ Q6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q3	
Board: 19	♠ 872	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ6	
HCP: 13	♣ KJ643	You bid first.
Board: 20	♠ —	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K964	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J8753	East Bids 5♠ if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ A1098	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 16
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 12
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AJ3
♥ AQ872
♦ A852
♣ 8

South:
♠ KQ1064
♥ K1043
♦ 4
♣ A64

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

1. Unusual 2NT
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 17
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♠ E

North:
♠ 9653
♥ 65
♦ J2
♣ AK974

South:
♠ J
♥ A1042
♦ AK9765
♣ Q6

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 18
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ J32
♥ A9876
♦ A95
♣ K7

South:
♠ AQ10987
♥ KJ10
♦ Q6
♣ Q3

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

1. Unusual 2NT
2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 19
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♥ E

North:
♠ KJ94
♥ A983
♦ 875
♣ 108

South:
♠ 872
♥ 6
♦ AKQ6
♣ KJ643

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 20
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 8
Contract: 5♠X W

North:
♠ Q87
♥ 52
♦ AK10962
♣ K6

South:
♠ —
♥ K964
♦ J8753
♣ A1098

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	X
4♠	5♦	5♠	X
AP			

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 21	♠ K94	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ7643	East Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 5	
HCP: 7	♣ 743	Partner bids first.
Board: 22	♠ K1096	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8732	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 8	
HCP: 12	♣ AK4	You bid first.
Board: 23	♠ A5	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q3	
Vul: None	♦ J6532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A873	
Board: 24	♠ AQ	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J82	
Vul: NS	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ10865	
Board: 25	♠ 863	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A9632	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KQ8	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 9	♣ 42	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 21
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♦ X E

North:
 ♠ K94
 ♥ KJ7643
 ♦ 5
 ♣ 743

South:
 ♠ QJ1075
 ♥ AQ5
 ♦ J2
 ♣ Q86

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2NT ¹	Pass	5♦	Pass
Pass	X	AP	

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 22
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ K1096
 ♥ Q8732
 ♦ 8
 ♣ AK4

South:
 ♠ A8754
 ♥ K6
 ♦ A1075
 ♣ 76

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 23
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A5
 ♥ Q3
 ♦ J6532
 ♣ A873

South:
 ♠ K964
 ♥ AKJ102
 ♦ A874
 ♣ —

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 24
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:
 ♠ AQ
 ♥ J82
 ♦ K5
 ♣ QJ10865

South:
 ♠ KJ654
 ♥ A97
 ♦ 43
 ♣ K92

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

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 25
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3♠ S

North:
 ♠ 863
 ♥ A9632
 ♦ KQ8
 ♣ 42

South:
 ♠ KQ754
 ♥ K7
 ♦ A73
 ♣ Q76

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. to the partner's longer

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 21	♠ QJ1075	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ5	East Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J2	
HCP: 12	♣ Q86	You bid first.
Board: 22	♠ A8754	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A1075	
HCP: 11	♣ 76	Partner bids first.
Board: 23	♠ K964	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ102	
Vul: None	♦ A874	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	
Board: 24	♠ KJ654	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A97	
Vul: NS	♦ 43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K92	
Board: 25	♠ KQ754	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A73	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 14	♣ Q76	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 21
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♦ X E

North:
 ♠ K94
 ♥ KJ7643
 ♦ 5
 ♣ 743

South:
 ♠ QJ1075
 ♥ AQ5
 ♦ J2
 ♣ Q86

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2NT ¹	Pass	5♦	Pass
Pass	X	AP	

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 22
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ K1096
 ♥ Q8732
 ♦ 8
 ♣ AK4

South:
 ♠ A8754
 ♥ K6
 ♦ A1075
 ♣ 76

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 23
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A5
 ♥ Q3
 ♦ J6532
 ♣ A873

South:
 ♠ K964
 ♥ AKJ102
 ♦ A874
 ♣ —

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 24
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:
 ♠ AQ
 ♥ J82
 ♦ K5
 ♣ QJ10865

South:
 ♠ KJ654
 ♥ A97
 ♦ 43
 ♣ K92

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

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 25
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3♠ S

North:
 ♠ 863
 ♥ A9632
 ♦ KQ8
 ♣ 42

South:
 ♠ KQ754
 ♥ K7
 ♦ A73
 ♣ Q76

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. to the partner's longer

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 26
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 14

♠ J95
♥ KJ954
♦ AKQ5
♣ 5

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 27
Dealer: S
Vul: None
HCP: 8

♠ 876
♥ 954
♦ J643
♣ AK7

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 28
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
HCP: 13

♠ —
♥ AQ10753
♦ AK1097
♣ 98

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 29
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
HCP: 7

♠ K1063
♥ J8
♦ K109532
♣ 10

West Bids 2♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 30
Dealer: N
Vul: None
HCP: 17

♠ AK76
♥ K6532
♦ AK
♣ 72

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J95	♠ A42		1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ KJ954	♥ 86		2NT ²	Pass	3♣ AP
North HCP: 14	♦ AKQ5	♦ J10843		1. Michaels Cuebid		
South HCP: 8	♣ 5	♣ K86		2. to the partner's longer		
Contract: 3♣ E						

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 876	♠ 32				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 954	♥ K62	2♦ ¹	X	3♠	4♦
North HCP: 8	♦ J643	♦ AKQ87	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AK7	♣ Q32		1. Michaels Cuebid		
Contract: 4♦ S						

Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ —	♠ A9732		1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ AQ10753	♥ 98	2♠	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AK1097	♦ Q63	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 98	♣ A32		1. Michaels Cuebid		
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1063	♠ AQ754				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J8	♥ 7	2♠ ¹	X	4♥	X
North HCP: 7	♦ K109532	♦ AJ84	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 10	♣ K93		1. Michaels Cuebid		
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 30	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK76	♠ 92		1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
Vul: None	♥ K6532	♥ AQ104	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AK	♦ Q1095		1. Michaels Cuebid		
South HCP: 10	♣ 72	♣ Q63		2. limit raise or better in ♥		
Contract: 4♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 26
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 8

♠ A42
♥ 86
♦ J10843
♣ K86

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 27
Dealer: S
Vul: None
HCP: 14

♠ 32
♥ K62
♦ AKQ87
♣ Q32

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 28
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
HCP: 10

♠ A9732
♥ 98
♦ Q63
♣ A32

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 29
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
HCP: 14

♠ AQ754
♥ 7
♦ AJ84
♣ K93

West Bids 2♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 30
Dealer: N
Vul: None
HCP: 10

♠ 92
♥ AQ104
♦ Q1095
♣ Q63

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 26
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 8
Contract: 3♣ E

North:
♠ J95
♥ KJ954
♦ AKQ5
♣ 5

South:
♠ A42
♥ 86
♦ J10843
♣ K86

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
	2NT ²	Pass	3♣ AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 27
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♦ S

North:
♠ 876
♥ 954
♦ J643
♣ AK7

South:
♠ 32
♥ K62
♦ AKQ87
♣ Q32

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	X	3♠	4♦
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 28
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AQ10753
♦ AK1097
♣ 98

South:
♠ A9732
♥ 98
♦ Q63
♣ A32

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
2♠	3♥	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 29
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ K1063
♥ J8
♦ K109532
♣ 10

South:
♠ AQ754
♥ 7
♦ AJ84
♣ K93

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	X	4♥	X
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 30
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AK76
♥ K6532
♦ AK
♣ 72

South:
♠ 92
♥ AQ104
♦ Q1095
♣ Q63

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 31	♠ AQJ52	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 106	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 963	
HCP: 8	♣ J107	Partner bids first.

Board: 32	♠ KQ842	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K52	
Vul: Both	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K94	

Board: 33	♠ 9852	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ10	
HCP: 9	♣ 10982	Partner bids first.

Board: 34	♠ QJ103	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K853	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 2	
HCP: 13	♣ AK62	You bid first.

Board: 35	♠ AQ3	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 84	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 9762	
HCP: 7	♣ J965	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 31	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ52	♠ 43				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 106	♥ 87				
North HCP: 8	♦ 963	♦ AJ87	2NT ¹	Pass	4♥	AP
South HCP: 14	♣ J107	♣ AKQ53	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 4♥ E						
Board: 32	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ842	♠ A9653		1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
Vul: Both	♥ K52	♥ QJ7	Pass	3♠	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ K4	♦ 53	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 9	♣ K94	♣ Q62	2. limit raise or better in ♠			
Contract: 3♠ N						
Board: 33	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9852	♠ J				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A5	♥ Q432	2♣ ¹	X	2♥	3♣
North HCP: 9	♦ AJ10	♦ Q97	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 10982	♣ AKQ63	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 3♣ S						
Board: 34	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ103	♠ A9542		1♣	2NT ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ K853	♥ 4	3♥	AP		
North HCP: 13	♦ 2	♦ J83	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 7	♣ AK62	♣ Q1074				
Contract: 3♥ W						
Board: 35	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ3	♠ K2				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 84	♥ AQ73	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥	AP
North HCP: 7	♦ 9762	♦ KQ85	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 18	♣ J965	♣ A43				
Contract: 3♥ E						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 31	♠ 43	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 87	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AJ87	
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ53	You bid first.
Board: 32	♠ A9653	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ 53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q62	
Board: 33	♠ J	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q432	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q97	
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ63	You bid first.
Board: 34	♠ A9542	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J83	
HCP: 7	♣ Q1074	Partner bids first.
Board: 35	♠ K2	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ73	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ KQ85	
HCP: 18	♣ A43	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 31	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ52	♠ 43				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 106	♥ 87				
North HCP: 8	♦ 963	♦ AJ87	2NT ¹	Pass	4♥	AP
South HCP: 14	♣ J107	♣ AKQ53	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 4♥ E						
Board: 32	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ842	♠ A9653		1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
Vul: Both	♥ K52	♥ QJ7	Pass	3♠	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ K4	♦ 53	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 9	♣ K94	♣ Q62	2. limit raise or better in ♠			
Contract: 3♠ N						
Board: 33	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9852	♠ J				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A5	♥ Q432	2♣ ¹	X	2♥	3♣
North HCP: 9	♦ AJ10	♦ Q97	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 10982	♣ AKQ63	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 3♣ S						
Board: 34	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ103	♠ A9542		1♣	2NT ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ K853	♥ 4	3♥	AP		
North HCP: 13	♦ 2	♦ J83	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 7	♣ AK62	♣ Q1074				
Contract: 3♥ W						
Board: 35	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ3	♠ K2				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 84	♥ AQ73	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥	AP
North HCP: 7	♦ 9762	♦ KQ85	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 18	♣ J965	♣ A43				
Contract: 3♥ E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 36	♠ Q73	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K84	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK765	
HCP: 12	♣ 72	You bid first.

Board: 37	♠ J1095	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 84	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 87	
HCP: 7	♣ AQ765	Partner bids first.

Board: 38	♠ AQ	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J532	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A1076	
HCP: 13	♣ Q52	You bid first.

Board: 39	♠ 7	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J32	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 865	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ AK10863	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
		Partner bids first.

Board: 40	♠ J6	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ875	
Vul: NS	♦ AK942	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 36
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♣X W

North:
♠ Q73
♥ K84
♦ AK765
♣ 72

South:
♠ A1085
♥ 973
♦ J1084
♣ KJ

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	Pass
4♣	Pass	Pass	X
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 37
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ J1095
♥ 84
♦ 87
♣ AQ765

South:
♠ AKQ42
♥ AJ75
♦ 109
♣ K8

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	X	2NT ²	4♠
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 38
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♦ N

North:
♠ AQ
♥ J532
♦ A1076
♣ Q52

South:
♠ K832
♥ 1064
♦ KQJ52
♣ 8

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

Board: 39
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♠ E

North:
♠ 7
♥ J32
♦ 865
♣ AK10863

South:
♠ AQ98
♥ 974
♦ AJ1094
♣ J

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	Pass
Pass	3♣	Pass	Pass
3♥	Pass	3♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 40
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ J6
♥ AQJ875
♦ AK942
♣ —

South:
♠ A43
♥ K10432
♦ QJ3
♣ A9

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♦ ⁴
Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♣ ⁶
Pass	6♥	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			
3. Splinter			
4. Cue bid, surplus			
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
6. A=0/5 or 3/5			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 36	♠ A1085	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 973	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J1084	
HCP: 9	♣ KJ	Partner bids first.

Board: 37	♠ AKQ42	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ75	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 109	
HCP: 17	♣ K8	You bid first.

Board: 38	♠ K832	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 1064	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ52	
HCP: 9	♣ 8	Partner bids first.

Board: 39	♠ AQ98	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 974	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ1094	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ J	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
		You bid first.

Board: 40	♠ A43	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K10432	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A9	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 36
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♣X W

North:
♠ Q73
♥ K84
♦ AK765
♣ 72

South:
♠ A1085
♥ 973
♦ J1084
♣ KJ

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	Pass
4♣	Pass	Pass	X
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 37
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ J1095
♥ 84
♦ 87
♣ AQ765

South:
♠ AKQ42
♥ AJ75
♦ 109
♣ K8

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	X	2NT ²	4♠
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 38
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♦ N

North:
♠ AQ
♥ J532
♦ A1076
♣ Q52

South:
♠ K832
♥ 1064
♦ KQJ52
♣ 8

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

Board: 39
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♠ E

North:
♠ 7
♥ J32
♦ 865
♣ AK10863

South:
♠ AQ98
♥ 974
♦ AJ1094
♣ J

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	Pass
Pass	3♣	Pass	Pass
3♥	Pass	3♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 40
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ J6
♥ AQJ875
♦ AK942
♣ —

South:
♠ A43
♥ K10432
♦ QJ3
♣ A9

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♦ ⁴
Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♣ ⁶
Pass	6♥	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			
3. Splinter			
4. Cue bid, surplus			
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
6. A=0/5 or 3/5			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 41	♠ J853	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 9852	
HCP: 8	♣ AK74	Partner bids first.
Board: 42	♠ AJ63	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AK	
HCP: 14	♣ Q76542	You bid first.
Board: 43	♠ A82	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ962	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A43	
HCP: 12	♣ 93	Partner bids first.
Board: 44	♠ AQ103	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1084	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q62	
HCP: 14	♣ A2	You bid first.
Board: 45	♠ J8	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 763	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 1054	
HCP: 8	♣ AQJ85	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 41	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J853	♠ A42				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 8	♥ A62				
North HCP: 8	♦ 9852	♦ KJ1063	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥	AP
South HCP: 12	♣ AK74	♣ 96				
Contract: 3♥ E			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 42	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ63	♠ Q8752		1♣	2NT ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ 6	♥ Q42				
North HCP: 14	♦ AK	♦ 865	3♥	AP		
South HCP: 8	♣ Q76542	♣ A8				
Contract: 3♥ W			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 43	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A82	♠ QJ5				1♥
Vul: None	♥ KJ962	♥ AQ1085	2NT ¹	3♣ ²	4♦	4♥
North HCP: 12	♦ A43	♦ 5	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 93	♣ A542				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Unusual 2NT			
			2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 44	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ103	♠ 954		1♦	2NT ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ Q1084	♥ 95				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q62	♦ AKJ73	3♣	AP		
South HCP: 8	♣ A2	♣ 1093				
Contract: 3♣ W			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 45	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8	♠ 5				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 763	♥ Q	2♣ ¹	X	4♠	5♣
North HCP: 8	♦ 1054	♦ AKQ98	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AQJ85	♣ K106432				
Contract: 5♣ S			1. Michaels Cuebid			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 41	♠ A42	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A62	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ KJ1063	
HCP: 12	♣ 96	You bid first.
Board: 42	♠ Q8752	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q42	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 865	
HCP: 8	♣ A8	Partner bids first.
Board: 43	♠ QJ5	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1085	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 5	
HCP: 13	♣ A542	You bid first.
Board: 44	♠ 954	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 95	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ73	
HCP: 8	♣ 1093	Partner bids first.
Board: 45	♠ 5	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKQ98	
HCP: 14	♣ K106432	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 41	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J853	♠ A42				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 8	♥ A62				
North HCP: 8	♦ 9852	♦ KJ1063	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥	AP
South HCP: 12	♣ AK74	♣ 96				
Contract: 3♥ E			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 42	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ63	♠ Q8752		1♣	2NT ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ 6	♥ Q42				
North HCP: 14	♦ AK	♦ 865	3♥	AP		
South HCP: 8	♣ Q76542	♣ A8				
Contract: 3♥ W			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 43	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A82	♠ QJ5				1♥
Vul: None	♥ KJ962	♥ AQ1085	2NT ¹	3♣ ²	4♦	4♥
North HCP: 12	♦ A43	♦ 5	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 93	♣ A542				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Unusual 2NT			
			2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 44	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ103	♠ 954		1♦	2NT ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ Q1084	♥ 95				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q62	♦ AKJ73	3♣	AP		
South HCP: 8	♣ A2	♣ 1093				
Contract: 3♣ W			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 45	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8	♠ 5				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 763	♥ Q	2♣ ¹	X	4♠	5♣
North HCP: 8	♦ 1054	♦ AKQ98	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AQJ85	♣ K106432				
Contract: 5♣ S			1. Michaels Cuebid			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 46	♠ AQ103	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K64	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ103	
HCP: 21	♣ K	You bid first.
Board: 47	♠ 106	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K8543	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ84	
HCP: 9	♣ 4	Partner bids first.
Board: 48	♠ 754	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ KQ743	
HCP: 13	♣ A72	You bid first.
Board: 49	♠ 3	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 87632	
HCP: 7	♣ AQJ973	Partner bids first.
Board: 50	♠ 32	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK10532	
HCP: 12	♣ AJ4	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 46
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 21
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3♥ N

North:
 ♠ AQ103
 ♥ K64
 ♦ AKQ103
 ♣ K

South:
 ♠ K9
 ♥ A973
 ♦ 742
 ♣ 8753

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

1. Unusual 2NT
2. strength cue bid

Board: 47
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2♠ W

North:
 ♠ 106
 ♥ K8543
 ♦ KQJ84
 ♣ 4

South:
 ♠ 743
 ♥ AQ7
 ♦ A953
 ♣ Q62

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

Board: 48
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ 754
 ♥ A2
 ♦ KQ743
 ♣ A72

South:
 ♠ A983
 ♥ 8
 ♦ A92
 ♣ J8643

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 49
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♥ E

North:

♠	3
♥	4
♦	87632
♣	AQJ973

South:
 ♠ KQ2
 ♥ 976
 ♦ AQ104
 ♣ K65

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 50
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♦ N

North:

♠	32
♥	65
♦	AK10532
♣	AJ4

South:

♠	98
♥	AJ9
♦	9874
♣	KQ97

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 46	♠ K9	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A973	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 742	
HCP: 7	♣ 8753	Partner bids first.
Board: 47	♠ 743	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ7	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A953	
HCP: 12	♣ Q62	You bid first.
Board: 48	♠ A983	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A92	
HCP: 9	♣ J8643	Partner bids first.
Board: 49	♠ KQ2	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 976	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ104	
HCP: 14	♣ K65	You bid first.
Board: 50	♠ 98	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ9	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 9874	
HCP: 10	♣ KQ97	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 46
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 21
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3♥ N

North:
 ♠ AQ103
 ♥ K64
 ♦ AKQ103
 ♣ K

South:
 ♠ K9
 ♥ A973
 ♦ 742
 ♣ 8753

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

1. Unusual 2NT
2. strength cue bid

Board: 47
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2♠ W

North:
 ♠ 106
 ♥ K8543
 ♦ KQJ84
 ♣ 4

South:
 ♠ 743
 ♥ AQ7
 ♦ A953
 ♣ Q62

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

Board: 48
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ 754
 ♥ A2
 ♦ KQ743
 ♣ A72

South:
 ♠ A983
 ♥ 8
 ♦ A92
 ♣ J8643

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 49
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♥ E

North:

♠	3
♥	4
♦	87632
♣	AQJ973

South:
 ♠ KQ2
 ♥ 976
 ♦ AQ104
 ♣ K65

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 50
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♦ N

North:

♠	32
♥	65
♦	AK10532
♣	AJ4

South:

♠	98
♥	AJ9
♦	9874
♣	KQ97

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 51	♠ KQ65	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q7	
Vul: EW	♦ 1073	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ65	

Board: 52	♠ Q72	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K64	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K83	
HCP: 12	♣ A762	You bid first.

Board: 53	♠ 75	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 109	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A1094	
HCP: 9	♣ KQ543	Partner bids first.

Board: 54	♠ 8	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 1086	
Vul: None	♦ KJ64	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ96	

Board: 55	♠ Q73	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 76	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AJ864	
HCP: 10	♣ K53	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 51
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ KQ65
 ♥ Q7
 ♦ 1073
 ♣ AQ65

South:
 ♠ A32
 ♥ A109865
 ♦ A942
 ♣ —

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	3NT	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 52
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ Q72
 ♥ K64
 ♦ K83
 ♣ A762

South:
 ♠ KJ1063
 ♥ 82
 ♦ 52
 ♣ K1043

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

Board: 53
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠X E

North:
 ♠ 75
 ♥ 109
 ♦ A1094
 ♣ KQ543

South:
 ♠ 84
 ♥ AKQJ843
 ♦ Q7
 ♣ 87

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	Pass	4♠	Pass
Pass	X	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 54
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ 1086
 ♦ KJ64
 ♣ AKJ96

South:
 ♠ AK1076432
 ♥ J32
 ♦ 8
 ♣ 2

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	4♠
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 55
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ Q73
 ♥ 76
 ♦ AJ864
 ♣ K53

South:
 ♠ 654
 ♥ KQ3
 ♦ K107
 ♣ AJ72

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	2♦ ²	Pass	3♦
3♥	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 51	♠ A32	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A109865	
Vul: EW	♦ A942	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ —	
Board: 52	♠ KJ1063	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 52	
HCP: 7	♣ K1043	Partner bids first.
Board: 53	♠ 84	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ843	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q7	
HCP: 12	♣ 87	You bid first.
Board: 54	♠ AK1076432	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J32	
Vul: None	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 2	
Board: 55	♠ 654	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ3	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K107	
HCP: 13	♣ AJ72	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 51
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ KQ65
 ♥ Q7
 ♦ 1073
 ♣ AQ65

South:
 ♠ A32
 ♥ A109865
 ♦ A942
 ♣ —

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	3NT	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 52
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ Q72
 ♥ K64
 ♦ K83
 ♣ A762

South:
 ♠ KJ1063
 ♥ 82
 ♦ 52
 ♣ K1043

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

Board: 53
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠X E

North:
 ♠ 75
 ♥ 109
 ♦ A1094
 ♣ KQ543

South:
 ♠ 84
 ♥ AKQJ843
 ♦ Q7
 ♣ 87

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	Pass	4♠	Pass
Pass	X	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 54
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ 1086
 ♦ KJ64
 ♣ AKJ96

South:
 ♠ AK1076432
 ♥ J32
 ♦ 8
 ♣ 2

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	4♠
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 55
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ Q73
 ♥ 76
 ♦ AJ864
 ♣ K53

South:
 ♠ 654
 ♥ KQ3
 ♦ K107
 ♣ AJ72

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	2♦ ²	Pass	3♦
3♥	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 56	♠ —	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ853	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K73	
HCP: 12	♣ KQ984	You bid first.

Board: 57	♠ 965	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K73	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A53	
HCP: 7	♣ 9654	Partner bids first.

Board: 58	♠ AKQ87	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ J86	
HCP: 13	♣ K983	You bid first.

Board: 59	♠ A76	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J108	

Board: 60	♠ K95	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ8752	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ —	
HCP: 12	♣ K943	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 56
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 4♠X W

North:
 ♠ —
 ♥ KJ853
 ♦ K73
 ♣ KQ984

South:
 ♠ 983
 ♥ Q6
 ♦ Q84
 ♣ AJ1072

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 57
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♠ E

North:
 ♠ 965
 ♥ K73
 ♦ A53
 ♣ 9654

South:
 ♠ K2
 ♥ AQ986
 ♦ KJ1064
 ♣ 2

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	X	3♠	AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 58
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ AKQ87
 ♥ 6
 ♦ J86
 ♣ K983

South:
 ♠ 43
 ♥ 952
 ♦ AK1095
 ♣ 764

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 59
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A76
 ♥ K2
 ♦ KJ742
 ♣ J108

South:
 ♠ K
 ♥ 987
 ♦ AQ109
 ♣ KQ942

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 60
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ K95
 ♥ AQ8752
 ♦ —
 ♣ K943

South:
 ♠ A10742
 ♥ 10
 ♦ A842
 ♣ 652

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

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 56	♠ 983	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q6	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q84	
HCP: 9	♣ AJ1072	Partner bids first.

Board: 57	♠ K2	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ986	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ1064	
HCP: 13	♣ 2	You bid first.

Board: 58	♠ 43	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 952	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AK1095	
HCP: 7	♣ 764	Partner bids first.

Board: 59	♠ K	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 987	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ109	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ942	

Board: 60	♠ A10742	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A842	
HCP: 8	♣ 652	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 56
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 4♠X W

North:
 ♠ —
 ♥ KJ853
 ♦ K73
 ♣ KQ984

South:
 ♠ 983
 ♥ Q6
 ♦ Q84
 ♣ AJ1072

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
4♠	Pass	Pass	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 57
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♠ E

North:
 ♠ 965
 ♥ K73
 ♦ A53
 ♣ 9654

South:
 ♠ K2
 ♥ AQ986
 ♦ KJ1064
 ♣ 2

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	X	3♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 58
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ AKQ87
 ♥ 6
 ♦ J86
 ♣ K983

South:
 ♠ 43
 ♥ 952
 ♦ AK1095
 ♣ 764

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	Pass
3♥	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 59
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A76
 ♥ K2
 ♦ KJ742
 ♣ J108

South:
 ♠ K
 ♥ 987
 ♦ AQ109
 ♣ KQ942

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	2NT	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 60
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ K95
 ♥ AQ8752
 ♦ —
 ♣ K943

South:
 ♠ A10742
 ♥ 10
 ♦ A842
 ♣ 652

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 61 ♠ J42
Dealer: S ♥ K98
Vul: Both ♦ 1095
HCP: 7 ♣ QJ43

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.
East Doubles Pass if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 62 ♠ K106
Dealer: N ♥ K8
Vul: EW ♦ 3
HCP: 14 ♣ AKJ10743

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 63 ♠ J1097
Dealer: S ♥ AQ
Vul: Both ♦ 1032
HCP: 11 ♣ A843

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 64 ♠ 104
Dealer: N ♥ A9432
Vul: NS ♦ A2
HCP: 12 ♣ A1093

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 65 ♠ KQ832
Dealer: S ♥ AQ872
Vul: Both ♦ 97
HCP: 11 ♣ 7

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 61
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 5♣X S

North:
 ♠ J42
 ♥ K98
 ♦ 1095
 ♣ QJ43

South:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ A72
 ♦ AKQ8
 ♣ 109865

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	4♠	5♣
Pass	Pass	X	AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 62
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:
 ♠ K106
 ♥ K8
 ♦ 3
 ♣ AKJ10743

South:
 ♠ A97
 ♥ A964
 ♦ Q
 ♣ Q9862

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 63
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 5♦ S

North:
 ♠ J1097
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ 1032
 ♣ A843

South:
 ♠ AQ43
 ♥ 3
 ♦ AK97654
 ♣ 6

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 64
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 2♠ W

North:
 ♠ 104
 ♥ A9432
 ♦ A2
 ♣ A1093

South:
 ♠ 753
 ♥ 87
 ♦ Q7
 ♣ KQ8652

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 65
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3♣X E

North:
 ♠ KQ832
 ♥ AQ872
 ♦ 97
 ♣ 7

South:
 ♠ A75
 ♥ 95
 ♦ AQ65
 ♣ A983

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

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 61 ♠ 5
Dealer: S ♥ A72
Vul: Both ♦ AKQ8
HCP: 13 ♣ 109865

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.
East Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 62 ♠ A97
Dealer: N ♥ A964
Vul: EW ♦ Q
HCP: 12 ♣ Q9862

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 63 ♠ AQ43
Dealer: S ♥ 3
Vul: Both ♦ AK97654
HCP: 13 ♣ 6

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 64 ♠ 753
Dealer: N ♥ 87
Vul: NS ♦ Q7
HCP: 7 ♣ KQ8652

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 65 ♠ A75
Dealer: S ♥ 95
Vul: Both ♦ AQ65
HCP: 14 ♣ A983

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 61
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 5♣X S

North:
 ♠ J42
 ♥ K98
 ♦ 1095
 ♣ QJ43

South:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ A72
 ♦ AKQ8
 ♣ 109865

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	4♠	5♣
Pass	Pass	X	AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 62
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:
 ♠ K106
 ♥ K8
 ♦ 3
 ♣ AKJ10743

South:
 ♠ A97
 ♥ A964
 ♦ Q
 ♣ Q9862

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 63
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 5♦ S

North:
 ♠ J1097
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ 1032
 ♣ A843

South:
 ♠ AQ43
 ♥ 3
 ♦ AK97654
 ♣ 6

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 64
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 2♠ W

North:
 ♠ 104
 ♥ A9432
 ♦ A2
 ♣ A1093

South:
 ♠ 753
 ♥ 87
 ♦ Q7
 ♣ KQ8652

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 65
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3♣X E

North:
 ♠ KQ832
 ♥ AQ872
 ♦ 97
 ♣ 7

South:
 ♠ A75
 ♥ 95
 ♦ AQ65
 ♣ A983

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

1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 66	♠ KQ1086	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK63	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 963	
HCP: 15	♣ K	You bid first.
Board: 67	♠ J108	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A1063	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K9643	
HCP: 8	♣ 6	Partner bids first.
Board: 68	♠ KQ543	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A972	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q5	
HCP: 14	♣ K2	You bid first.
Board: 69	♠ 104	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9652	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK8	
HCP: 9	♣ Q742	Partner bids first.
Board: 70	♠ A10876	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK974	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J5	
HCP: 12	♣ 7	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 66
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ KQ1086
 ♥ AK63
 ♦ 963
 ♣ K

South:
 ♠ A9
 ♥ 72
 ♦ K852
 ♣ 109654

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 67
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♠ S

North:
 ♠ J108
 ♥ A1063
 ♦ K9643
 ♣ 6

South:
 ♠ AK762
 ♥ 854
 ♦ AQ82
 ♣ 8

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	X	2NT ²	3♠
	AP		

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. to the partner's longer

Board: 68
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♠ N

North:
 ♠ KQ543
 ♥ A972
 ♦ Q5
 ♣ K2

South:
 ♠ A102
 ♥ 3
 ♦ J109763
 ♣ Q96

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	X
2NT ²	3♠	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. to the partner's longer

Board: 69
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♠ E

North:
 ♠ 104
 ♥ 9652
 ♦ AK8
 ♣ Q742

South:
 ♠ K5
 ♥ 74
 ♦ Q632
 ♣ AKJ65

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	4♠	AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 70
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 5♣ X W

North:
 ♠ A10876
 ♥ AK974
 ♦ J5
 ♣ 7

South:
 ♠ K53
 ♥ QJ10852
 ♦ K94
 ♣ J

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
5♣	X	AP	

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 66	♠ A9	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 72	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ K852	
HCP: 7	♣ 109654	Partner bids first.
Board: 67	♠ AK762	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 854	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AQ82	
HCP: 13	♣ 8	You bid first.
Board: 68	♠ A102	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J109763	
HCP: 7	♣ Q96	Partner bids first.
Board: 69	♠ K5	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 74	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q632	
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ65	You bid first.
Board: 70	♠ K53	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10852	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K94	
HCP: 10	♣ J	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 66
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ KQ1086
 ♥ AK63
 ♦ 963
 ♣ K

South:
 ♠ A9
 ♥ 72
 ♦ K852
 ♣ 109654

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 67
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♠ S

North:
 ♠ J108
 ♥ A1063
 ♦ K9643
 ♣ 6

South:
 ♠ AK762
 ♥ 854
 ♦ AQ82
 ♣ 8

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	X	2NT ²	3♠
	AP		

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. to the partner's longer

Board: 68
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♠ N

North:
 ♠ KQ543
 ♥ A972
 ♦ Q5
 ♣ K2

South:
 ♠ A102
 ♥ 3
 ♦ J109763
 ♣ Q96

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	X
2NT ²	3♠	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. to the partner's longer

Board: 69
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♠ E

North:
 ♠ 104
 ♥ 9652
 ♦ AK8
 ♣ Q742

South:
 ♠ K5
 ♥ 74
 ♦ Q632
 ♣ AKJ65

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	4♠	AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 70
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 5♣ X W

North:
 ♠ A10876
 ♥ AK974
 ♦ J5
 ♣ 7

South:
 ♠ K53
 ♥ QJ10852
 ♦ K94
 ♣ J

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
5♣	X	AP	

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 71	♠ 63	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KQ543	
HCP: 12	♣ K8732	Partner bids first.
Board: 72	♠ KJ	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A62	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AK9754	
HCP: 15	♣ 87	You bid first.
Board: 73	♠ AQ75	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 53	East Doubles 4NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 8	
HCP: 11	♣ KQ10954	Partner bids first.
Board: 74	♠ 8752	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q76	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q52	
HCP: 13	♣ AKQ	You bid first.
Board: 75	♠ 1093	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q74	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K3	
HCP: 7	♣ Q8643	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 71

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ E

North:

♠ 63

♥ A

♦ KQ543

♣ K8732

South:

♠ AJ42

♥ 3

♦ A1096

♣ A1095

West North East South

1♦

2♦¹ X 4♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 72

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♥ W

North:

♠ KJ

♥ A62

♦ AK9754

♣ 87

South:

♠ Q10765

♥ Q5

♦ J108

♣ KQ9

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹

Pass

3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 73

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ AQ75

♥ 53

♦ 8

♣ KQ10954

South:

♠ 9

♥ KQ872

♦ Q76

♣ AJ86

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ 2NT Pass 3♣

Pass 4NT² X Pass³

Pass 5♣ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 74

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♦ W

North:

♠ 8752

♥ Q76

♦ Q52

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ AK4

♥ K984

♦ 98

♣ 10763

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹

Pass

3♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 75

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ E

North:

♠ 1093

♥ Q74

♦ K3

♣ Q8643

South:

♠ AKQJ4

♥ K10986

♦ 982

♣ —

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ Pass 3♣ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 71	♠ AJ42	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A1096	
HCP: 13	♣ A1095	You bid first.
Board: 72	♠ Q10765	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q5	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J108	
HCP: 10	♣ KQ9	Partner bids first.
Board: 73	♠ 9	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ872	East Doubles 4NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q76	
HCP: 12	♣ AJ86	You bid first.
Board: 74	♠ AK4	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K984	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 98	
HCP: 10	♣ 10763	Partner bids first.
Board: 75	♠ AKQJ4	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K10986	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 982	
HCP: 13	♣ —	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 71

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ E

North:

♠ 63

♥ A

♦ KQ543

♣ K8732

South:

♠ AJ42

♥ 3

♦ A1096

♣ A1095

West North East South

1♦

2♦¹ X 4♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 72

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♥ W

North:

♠ KJ

♥ A62

♦ AK9754

♣ 87

South:

♠ Q10765

♥ Q5

♦ J108

♣ KQ9

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ Pass

3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 73

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ AQ75

♥ 53

♦ 8

♣ KQ10954

South:

♠ 9

♥ KQ872

♦ Q76

♣ AJ86

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ 2NT Pass 3♣

Pass 4NT² X Pass³

Pass 5♣ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 74

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♦ W

North:

♠ 8752

♥ Q76

♦ Q52

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ AK4

♥ K984

♦ 98

♣ 10763

West North East South

1♣ 2NT¹ Pass

3♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 75

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ E

North:

♠ 1093

♥ Q74

♦ K3

♣ Q8643

South:

♠ AKQJ4

♥ K10986

♦ 982

♣ —

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ Pass 3♣ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 76
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
HCP: 12

♠ AJ9
♥ —
♦ K862
♣ KJ9865

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.
East Doubles 5♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 77
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
HCP: 7

♠ 10532
♥ AK843
♦ 74
♣ 62

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 78
Dealer: N
Vul: None
HCP: 13

♠ 10
♥ AKQJ3
♦ 872
♣ K985

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 79
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
HCP: 12

♠ K72
♥ J84
♦ K6
♣ AJ1073

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 80
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
HCP: 14

♠ A865
♥ 732
♦ AQ32
♣ A7

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 76
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 5♣X N

North:
 ♠ AJ9
 ♥ —
 ♦ K862
 ♣ KJ9865

South:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ A73
 ♦ Q1053
 ♣ A10732

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	2♥ ²
4♥	5♣	X	AP

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♣

Board: 77
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♣ E

North:
 ♠ 10532
 ♥ AK843
 ♦ 74
 ♣ 62

South:
 ♠ QJ6
 ♥ 6
 ♦ AKQ962
 ♣ 873

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 78
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:
 ♠ 10
 ♥ AKQJ3
 ♦ 872
 ♣ K985

South:
 ♠ A42
 ♥ 104
 ♦ A4
 ♣ QJ7642

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	2NT
Pass	3♣	Pass	5♣

AP
 1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 79
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 2N N

North:
 ♠ K72
 ♥ J84
 ♦ K6
 ♣ AJ1073

South:
 ♠ J53
 ♥ A932
 ♦ AQJ107
 ♣ 4

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 80
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♠ S

North:
 ♠ A865
 ♥ 732
 ♦ AQ32
 ♣ A7

South:
 ♠ KQJ9
 ♥ 54
 ♦ J95
 ♣ 8653

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

AP
 1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 76 ♠ 5
Dealer: N ♥ A73
Vul: NS ♦ Q1053
HCP: 10 ♣ A10732

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.
East Doubles 5♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 77 ♠ QJ6
Dealer: S ♥ 6
Vul: Both ♦ AKQ962
HCP: 12 ♣ 873

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 78 ♠ A42
Dealer: N ♥ 104
Vul: None ♦ A4
HCP: 11 ♣ QJ7642

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 79 ♠ J53
Dealer: S ♥ A932
Vul: NS ♦ AQJ107
HCP: 12 ♣ 4

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 80 ♠ KQJ9
Dealer: N ♥ 54
Vul: EW ♦ J95
HCP: 7 ♣ 8653

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 76
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 5♣X N

North:
 ♠ AJ9
 ♥ —
 ♦ K862
 ♣ KJ9865

South:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ A73
 ♦ Q1053
 ♣ A10732

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	2♥ ²
4♥	5♣	X	AP

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♣

Board: 77
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♣ E

North:
 ♠ 10532
 ♥ AK843
 ♦ 74
 ♣ 62

South:
 ♠ QJ6
 ♥ 6
 ♦ AKQ962
 ♣ 873

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 78
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:
 ♠ 10
 ♥ AKQJ3
 ♦ 872
 ♣ K985

South:
 ♠ A42
 ♥ 104
 ♦ A4
 ♣ QJ7642

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	2NT
Pass	3♣	Pass	5♣

AP
 1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 79
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 2N N

North:
 ♠ K72
 ♥ J84
 ♦ K6
 ♣ AJ1073

South:
 ♠ J53
 ♥ A932
 ♦ AQJ107
 ♣ 4

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 80
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♠ S

North:
 ♠ A865
 ♥ 732
 ♦ AQ32
 ♣ A7

South:
 ♠ KQJ9
 ♥ 54
 ♦ J95
 ♣ 8653

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

AP
 1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 81	♠ J94	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8653	
Vul: Both	♦ A62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 52	
Board: 82	♠ K864	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ86	East Bids 5♣ if possible.
HCP: 14	♣ 653	You bid first.
Board: 83	♠ KJ76	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K32	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J543	
HCP: 12	♣ A8	Partner bids first.
Board: 84	♠ A	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ9653	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K98	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 14	♣ A82	You bid first.
Board: 85	♠ 2	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 93	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AQ5	West Doubles 5♦ if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ Q1076543	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 81
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 18
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ J94
♥ Q8653
♦ A62
♣ 52

South:
♠ K3
♥ AKJ94
♦ K74
♣ A93

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 82
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 8
Contract: 5♣ W

North:
♠ K864
♥ Q
♦ AKQ86
♣ 653

South:
♠ AQJ1072
♥ 963
♦ J52
♣ 4

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	Pass
4♣	Pass	5♣	AP
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 83
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♥ E

North:
♠ KJ76
♥ K32
♦ J543
♣ A8

South:
♠ 10984
♥ A5
♦ K
♣ KQJ652

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	X	3♥	AP
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 84
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♠ W

North:
♠ A
♥ QJ9653
♦ K98
♣ A82

South:
♠ Q9
♥ K1072
♦ 632
♣ KQ93

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
3♠	4♥	Pass	Pass
4♠	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 85
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 12
Contract: 5♦ X S

North:
♠ 2
♥ 93
♦ AQ5
♣ Q1076543

South:
♠ A
♥ J86
♦ K1087432
♣ A8

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	4♠	5♦
X	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 81	♠ K3	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ94	
Vul: Both	♦ K74	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A93	
Board: 82	♠ AQJ1072	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 963	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ J52	East Bids 5♣ if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ 4	Partner bids first.
Board: 83	♠ 10984	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K	
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ652	You bid first.
Board: 84	♠ Q9	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K1072	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 632	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 10	♣ KQ93	Partner bids first.
Board: 85	♠ A	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J86	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K1087432	West Doubles 5♦ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ A8	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 81
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 18
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ J94
♥ Q8653
♦ A62
♣ 52

South:
♠ K3
♥ AKJ94
♦ K74
♣ A93

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 82
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 8
Contract: 5♣ W

North:
♠ K864
♥ Q
♦ AKQ86
♣ 653

South:
♠ AQJ1072
♥ 963
♦ J52
♣ 4

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	Pass
4♣	Pass	5♣	AP
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 83
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♥ E

North:
♠ KJ76
♥ K32
♦ J543
♣ A8

South:
♠ 10984
♥ A5
♦ K
♣ KQJ652

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	X	3♥	AP
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 84
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♠ W

North:
♠ A
♥ QJ9653
♦ K98
♣ A82

South:
♠ Q9
♥ K1072
♦ 632
♣ KQ93

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
3♠	4♥	Pass	Pass
4♠	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 85
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 12
Contract: 5♦ X S

North:
♠ 2
♥ 93
♦ AQ5
♣ Q1076543

South:
♠ A
♥ J86
♦ K1087432
♣ A8

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	4♠	5♦
X	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 86	♠ 54	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK64	
Vul: Both	♦ Q76	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ54	
Board: 87	♠ A763	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ —	
HCP: 7	♣ J1087654	Partner bids first.
Board: 88	♠ KQJ6	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ K2	
HCP: 12	♣ K10842	You bid first.
Board: 89	♠ K874	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J763	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 85	West Doubles 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 7	♣ K97	Partner bids first.
Board: 90	♠ K4	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AK5	East Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ K876432	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3♥ S

North:
♠ 54
♥ AK64
♦ Q76
♣ AJ54

South:
♠ A92
♥ QJ10852
♦ 98
♣ 87

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

Board: 87
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A763
♥ Q2
♦ —
♣ J1087654

South:
♠ 95
♥ AKJ1075
♦ 2
♣ AQ32

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	Pass	2♠	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 88
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♥ W

North:
♠ KQJ6
♥ 82
♦ K2
♣ K10842

South:
♠ A853
♥ 3
♦ 983
♣ AQJ73

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	3♣
4♥	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 89
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ X S

North:
♠ K874
♥ J763
♦ 85
♣ K97

South:
♠ AQJ
♥ AKQ542
♦ 1096
♣ 10

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	Pass	4♣	4♥
X	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 90
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 8
Contract: 4♠ X S

North:
♠ K4
♥ Q
♦ AK5
♣ K876432

South:
♠ AQJ763
♥ J742
♦ 987
♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♥	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣	Pass	Pass
X	Pass	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	4♠
Pass	Pass	X	AP
1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 86	♠ A92	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10852	
Vul: Both	♦ 98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 87	
Board: 87	♠ 95	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ1075	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 2	
HCP: 14	♣ AQ32	You bid first.
Board: 88	♠ A853	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 983	
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ73	Partner bids first.
Board: 89	♠ AQJ	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ542	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 1096	West Doubles 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ 10	You bid first.
Board: 90	♠ AQJ763	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J742	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 987	East Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ —	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3♥ S

North:
♠ 54
♥ AK64
♦ Q76
♣ AJ54

South:
♠ A92
♥ QJ10852
♦ 98
♣ 87

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

Board: 87
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A763
♥ Q2
♦ —
♣ J1087654

South:
♠ 95
♥ AKJ1075
♦ 2
♣ AQ32

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	Pass	2♠	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 88
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♥ W

North:
♠ KQJ6
♥ 82
♦ K2
♣ K10842

South:
♠ A853
♥ 3
♦ 983
♣ AQJ73

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	3♣
4♥	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 89
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ X S

North:
♠ K874
♥ J763
♦ 85
♣ K97

South:
♠ AQJ
♥ AKQ542
♦ 1096
♣ 10

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	Pass	4♣	4♥
X	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 90
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 8
Contract: 4♠ X S

North:
♠ K4
♥ Q
♦ AK5
♣ K876432

South:
♠ AQJ763
♥ J742
♦ 987
♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♥	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣	Pass	Pass
X	Pass	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	4♠
Pass	Pass	X	AP
1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 91	♠ A1086	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: Both	♦ 83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A98764	
Board: 92	♠ KJ	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ6	
Vul: None	♦ 9643	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK75	
Board: 93	♠ A5	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ1086	
Vul: EW	♦ J4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K107	
Board: 94	♠ KQJ83	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 94	East Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 6	
HCP: 12	♣ AQ1073	You bid first.
Board: 95	♠ A864	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J6	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K652	
HCP: 8	♣ 864	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 91	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1086	♠ KQJ32				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 10	♥ A854	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 8	♦ 83	♦ 742	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A98764	♣ Q	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 92	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ AQ7653				
Vul: None	♥ QJ6	♥ 753		1♦	2NT ¹	3♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 9643	♦ AQ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AK75	♣ 6	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 93	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A5	♠ J6				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ1086	♥ A7532	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 14	♦ J4	♦ 6	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K107	♣ AQJ94	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 94	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ83	♠ A9642				
Vul: Both	♥ 94	♥ 7652		1♠	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²
North HCP: 12	♦ 6	♦ K2	Pass	4♠	5♦	AP
South HCP: 10	♣ AQ1073	♣ K4	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 5♦ E			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 95	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A864	♠ —				1♥
Vul: None	♥ J6	♥ AK932	2♥ ¹	Pass	3♠	X
North HCP: 8	♦ K652	♦ AJ104	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 864	♣ K1053	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 3♠ X E						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 91	♠ KQJ32	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A854	
Vul: Both	♦ 742	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q	

Board: 92	♠ AQ7653	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 753	
Vul: None	♦ AQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 6	

Board: 93	♠ J6	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A7532	
Vul: EW	♦ 6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ94	

Board: 94	♠ A9642	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 7652	East Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K2	
HCP: 10	♣ K4	Partner bids first.

Board: 95	♠ —	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK932	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ104	
HCP: 15	♣ K1053	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 91	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1086	♠ KQJ32				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 10	♥ A854	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 8	♦ 83	♦ 742	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A98764	♣ Q	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 92	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ AQ7653				
Vul: None	♥ QJ6	♥ 753		1♦	2NT ¹	3♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 9643	♦ AQ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AK75	♣ 6	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 93	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A5	♠ J6				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ1086	♥ A7532	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 14	♦ J4	♦ 6	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K107	♣ AQJ94	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 94	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ83	♠ A9642				
Vul: Both	♥ 94	♥ 7652		1♠	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²
North HCP: 12	♦ 6	♦ K2	Pass	4♠	5♦	AP
South HCP: 10	♣ AQ1073	♣ K4	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 5♦ E			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 95	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A864	♠ —				1♥
Vul: None	♥ J6	♥ AK932	2♥ ¹	Pass	3♠	X
North HCP: 8	♦ K652	♦ AJ104	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 864	♣ K1053	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 3♠ X E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 96	♠ QJ974	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: NS	♦ 972	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK4	
Board: 97	♠ AK984	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J64	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9	
Board: 98	♠ AKQ6	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9854	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J43	
HCP: 17	♣ —	You bid first.
Board: 99	♠ KQ76	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 72	
Vul: NS	♦ AK964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 84	
Board: 100	♠ AQ2	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K64	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AJ9843	
HCP: 14	♣ 5	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 96	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ974	♠ A10653		1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
Vul: NS	♥ A3	♥ K8	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ 972	♦ K3	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 10	♣ AK4	♣ 9862	2. limit raise or better in ♠			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 97	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK984	♠ QJ753				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J64	♥ 52	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ98	♦ A63	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 9	♣ AQ4	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 98	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ6	♠ J108432		1♥	2NT ¹	3♠
Vul: None	♥ AK9854	♥ QJ	5♣	6♠	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ J43	♦ A9	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 14	♣ —	♣ AQ7				
Contract: 6♠ S						

Board: 99	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ76	♠ 9				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 72	♥ KQJ93	2♥ ¹	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ AK964	♦ Q5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 84	♣ A7653	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 100	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ2	♠ KJ105		1♦	2NT ¹	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ K64	♥ 9	3♥	AP		
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ9843	♦ K107	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 9	♣ 5	♣ Q7632				
Contract: 3♥ W						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 96	♠ A10653	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: NS	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 9862	
Board: 97	♠ QJ753	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 52	
Vul: Both	♦ A63	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ4	
Board: 98	♠ J108432	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A9	
HCP: 14	♣ AQ7	Partner bids first.
Board: 99	♠ 9	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ93	
Vul: NS	♦ Q5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A7653	
Board: 100	♠ KJ105	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K107	
HCP: 9	♣ Q7632	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 96	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ974	♠ A10653		1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
Vul: NS	♥ A3	♥ K8	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ 972	♦ K3	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 10	♣ AK4	♣ 9862	2. limit raise or better in ♠			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 97	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK984	♠ QJ753				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J64	♥ 52	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ98	♦ A63	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 9	♣ AQ4	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 98	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ6	♠ J108432		1♥	2NT ¹	3♠
Vul: None	♥ AK9854	♥ QJ	5♣	6♠	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ J43	♦ A9	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 14	♣ —	♣ AQ7				
Contract: 6♠ S						

Board: 99	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ76	♠ 9				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 72	♥ KQJ93	2♥ ¹	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ AK964	♦ Q5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 84	♣ A7653	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 100	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ2	♠ KJ105		1♦	2NT ¹	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ K64	♥ 9	3♥	AP		
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ9843	♦ K107	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 9	♣ 5	♣ Q7632				
Contract: 3♥ W						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 101 ♠ 932
Dealer: S ♥ 4
Vul: None ♦ A92
HCP: 8 ♣ KJ9762

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.
East Bids 5♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 102 ♠ 64
Dealer: N ♥ A96
Vul: NS ♦ A9
HCP: 14 ♣ AQ10876

East Bids 2♠ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 103 ♠ A5
Dealer: S ♥ 75
Vul: EW ♦ A854
HCP: 14 ♣ KQJ107

West Bids 2♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 104 ♠ AK
Dealer: N ♥ AJ752
Vul: Both ♦ A1053
HCP: 18 ♣ Q4

East Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 105 ♠ 874
Dealer: S ♥ Q1043
Vul: NS ♦ AQ642
HCP: 8 ♣ 7

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 101
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 13
Contract: 5♥X E

North:
♠ 932
♥ 4
♦ A92
♣ KJ9762

South:
♠ K87
♥ 6
♦ KJ53
♣ AQ1085

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	4♥	5♣
Pass	Pass	5♥	Pass
Pass	X	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 102
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3♠ E

North:
♠ 64
♥ A96
♦ A9
♣ AQ10876

South:
♠ 73
♥ 10832
♦ K87
♣ KJ93

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

Board: 103
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ A5
♥ 75
♦ A854
♣ KQJ107

South:
♠ K83
♥ Q2
♦ KJ97
♣ A863

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 104
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ AJ752
♦ A1053
♣ Q4

South:
♠ 76
♥ KQ6
♦ KJ8742
♣ 53

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

Board: 105
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♠X E

North:
♠ 874
♥ Q1043
♦ AQ642
♣ 7

South:
♠ A5
♥ AK9765
♦ J107
♣ A3

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 101 ♠ K87
Dealer: S ♥ 6
Vul: None ♦ KJ53
HCP: 13 ♣ AQ1085

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.
East Bids 5♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 102 ♠ 73
Dealer: N ♥ 10832
Vul: NS ♦ K87
HCP: 7 ♣ KJ93

East Bids 2♠ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 103 ♠ K83
Dealer: S ♥ Q2
Vul: EW ♦ KJ97
HCP: 13 ♣ A863

West Bids 2♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 104 ♠ 76
Dealer: N ♥ KQ6
Vul: Both ♦ KJ8742
HCP: 9 ♣ 53

East Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 105 ♠ A5
Dealer: S ♥ AK9765
Vul: NS ♦ J107
HCP: 16 ♣ A3

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 101
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 13
Contract: 5♥X E

North:
♠ 932
♥ 4
♦ A92
♣ KJ9762

South:
♠ K87
♥ 6
♦ KJ53
♣ AQ1085

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	4♥	5♣
Pass	Pass	5♥	Pass
Pass	X	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 102
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3♠ E

North:
♠ 64
♥ A96
♦ A9
♣ AQ10876

South:
♠ 73
♥ 10832
♦ K87
♣ KJ93

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

Board: 103
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ A5
♥ 75
♦ A854
♣ KQJ107

South:
♠ K83
♥ Q2
♦ KJ97
♣ A863

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 104
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ AJ752
♦ A1053
♣ Q4

South:
♠ 76
♥ KQ6
♦ KJ8742
♣ 53

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

Board: 105
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♠X E

North:
♠ 874
♥ Q1043
♦ AQ642
♣ 7

South:
♠ A5
♥ AK9765
♦ J107
♣ A3

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 106	♠ AJ53	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J8	
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ102	You bid first.
Board: 107	♠ 96	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 75	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK765	
HCP: 12	♣ AJ64	Partner bids first.
Board: 108	♠ AKJ87	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J983	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A74	
HCP: 17	♣ A	You bid first.
Board: 109	♠ J9	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9753	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK8642	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ 10	Partner bids first.
Board: 110	♠ AK1092	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 872	
Vul: None	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K83	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 106
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ AJ53
 ♥ 65
 ♦ J8
 ♣ AQJ102

South:
 ♠ KQ102
 ♥ KQ9743
 ♦ 764
 ♣ —

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

Board: 107
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ 96
 ♥ 75
 ♦ AK765
 ♣ AJ64

South:
 ♠ AKQJ7
 ♥ A4
 ♦ 3
 ♣ Q9852

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	Pass	3♥	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 108
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♣X W

North:
 ♠ AKJ87
 ♥ J983
 ♦ A74
 ♣ A

South:
 ♠ Q106
 ♥ AKQ542
 ♦ K83
 ♣ 4

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
5♣	X	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 109
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:
 ♠ J9
 ♥ 9753
 ♦ AK8642
 ♣ 10

South:
 ♠ 874
 ♥ AKJ
 ♦ Q1095
 ♣ A52

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

Board: 110
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ AK1092
 ♥ 872
 ♦ A8
 ♣ K83

South:
 ♠ QJ84
 ♥ A
 ♦ 97653
 ♣ 975

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 106	♠ KQ102	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ9743	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 764	
HCP: 10	♣ —	Partner bids first.
Board: 107	♠ AKQJ7	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 3	
HCP: 16	♣ Q9852	You bid first.
Board: 108	♠ Q106	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ542	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K83	
HCP: 14	♣ 4	Partner bids first.
Board: 109	♠ 874	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q1095	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 14	♣ A52	You bid first.
Board: 110	♠ QJ84	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ 97653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 975	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 106
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ AJ53
 ♥ 65
 ♦ J8
 ♣ AQJ102

South:
 ♠ KQ102
 ♥ KQ9743
 ♦ 764
 ♣ —

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

Board: 107
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ 96
 ♥ 75
 ♦ AK765
 ♣ AJ64

South:
 ♠ AKQJ7
 ♥ A4
 ♦ 3
 ♣ Q9852

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	Pass	3♥	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 108
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♣X W

North:
 ♠ AKJ87
 ♥ J983
 ♦ A74
 ♣ A

South:
 ♠ Q106
 ♥ AKQ542
 ♦ K83
 ♣ 4

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
5♣	X	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 109
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:
 ♠ J9
 ♥ 9753
 ♦ AK8642
 ♣ 10

South:
 ♠ 874
 ♥ AKJ
 ♦ Q1095
 ♣ A52

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

Board: 110
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ AK1092
 ♥ 872
 ♦ A8
 ♣ K83

South:
 ♠ QJ84
 ♥ A
 ♦ 97653
 ♣ 975

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 111	♠ K432	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q72	
HCP: 11	♣ Q843	Partner bids first.
Board: 112	♠ 432	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J6	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AK	
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ872	You bid first.
Board: 113	♠ AJ83	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 86	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ QJ85	
HCP: 10	♣ Q43	Partner bids first.
Board: 114	♠ 95	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K32	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ8	
HCP: 14	♣ K1095	You bid first.
Board: 115	♠ Q6	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A986542	
Vul: Both	♦ K2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 74	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 111
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 5♣ S

North:
 ♠ K432
 ♥ A6
 ♦ Q72
 ♣ Q843

South:
 ♠ 86
 ♥ 8
 ♦ AJ103
 ♣ AKJ962

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	2♥ ²	4♥	5♣
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♣			

Board: 112
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ 432
 ♥ J6
 ♦ AK
 ♣ KQJ872

South:
 ♠ K865
 ♥ Q82
 ♦ 953
 ♣ A109

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

Board: 113
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♦ X E

North:
 ♠ AJ83
 ♥ 86
 ♦ QJ85
 ♣ Q43

South:
 ♠ KQ9
 ♥ Q1042
 ♦ 6
 ♣ AJ1082

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

Board: 114
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ 95
 ♥ K32
 ♦ AKJ8
 ♣ K1095

South:
 ♠ K873
 ♥ J
 ♦ Q10432
 ♣ J83

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	X
4♥	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 115
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ Q6
 ♥ A986542
 ♦ K2
 ♣ 74

South:
 ♠ AK872
 ♥ KQ3
 ♦ —
 ♣ KQ953

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2NT ¹	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♦ ³	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=1/5 or 4/5			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 111	♠ 86	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AJ103	
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ962	You bid first.
Board: 112	♠ K865	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q82	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 953	
HCP: 9	♣ A109	Partner bids first.
Board: 113	♠ KQ9	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1042	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 6	
HCP: 12	♣ AJ1082	You bid first.
Board: 114	♠ K873	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ Q10432	
HCP: 7	♣ J83	Partner bids first.
Board: 115	♠ AK872	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ3	
Vul: Both	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ953	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 111
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 5♣ S

North:
 ♠ K432
 ♥ A6
 ♦ Q72
 ♣ Q843

South:
 ♠ 86
 ♥ 8
 ♦ AJ103
 ♣ AKJ962

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	2♥ ²	4♥	5♣
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♣			

Board: 112
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ 432
 ♥ J6
 ♦ AK
 ♣ KQJ872

South:
 ♠ K865
 ♥ Q82
 ♦ 953
 ♣ A109

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

Board: 113
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♦ X E

North:
 ♠ AJ83
 ♥ 86
 ♦ QJ85
 ♣ Q43

South:
 ♠ KQ9
 ♥ Q1042
 ♦ 6
 ♣ AJ1082

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

Board: 114
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ 95
 ♥ K32
 ♦ AKJ8
 ♣ K1095

South:
 ♠ K873
 ♥ J
 ♦ Q10432
 ♣ J83

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	X
4♥	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 115
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ Q6
 ♥ A986542
 ♦ K2
 ♣ 74

South:
 ♠ AK872
 ♥ KQ3
 ♦ —
 ♣ KQ953

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2NT ¹	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♦ ³	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=1/5 or 4/5			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 116	♠ AKJ82	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K1096	
Vul: EW	♦ 5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K54	

Board: 117	♠ KQ943	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 83	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 62	West Bids 5♦ if possible.
HCP: 7	♣ Q1072	Partner bids first.

Board: 118	♠ 98	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	West Bids 5♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ1075	
HCP: 12	♣ Q1092	You bid first.

Board: 119	♠ Q109754	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A8	
HCP: 11	♣ 52	Partner bids first.

Board: 120	♠ KQJ92	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K8	
HCP: 15	♣ AQ842	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 116
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ AKJ82
 ♥ K1096
 ♦ 5
 ♣ K54

South:
 ♠ Q1076
 ♥ AJ842
 ♦ 743
 ♣ 6

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			
3. Splinter			

Board: 117
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♦ E

North:
 ♠ KQ943
 ♥ 83
 ♦ 62
 ♣ Q1072

South:
 ♠ A7
 ♥ 1065
 ♦ 108
 ♣ AKJ865

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	Pass	4♦	Pass
5♦	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 118
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 5♠X W

North:
 ♠ 98
 ♥ A7
 ♦ AQ1075
 ♣ Q1092

South:
 ♠ Q6
 ♥ K4
 ♦ K9432
 ♣ AK76

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	5♦
5♠	Pass	Pass	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 119
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ Q109754
 ♥ AJ10
 ♦ A8
 ♣ 52

South:
 ♠ A8
 ♥ KQ832
 ♦ K532
 ♣ 83

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	3♣ ²	4♣	Pass
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 120
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ KQJ92
 ♥ 9
 ♦ K8
 ♣ AQ842

South:
 ♠ 654
 ♥ K8642
 ♦ J65
 ♣ K9

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	Pass
2NT ²	3♣	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. to the partner's longer			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 116	♠ Q1076	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ842	
Vul: EW	♦ 743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 6	
Board: 117	♠ A7	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 1065	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 108	West Bids 5♦ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ865	You bid first.
Board: 118	♠ Q6	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	West Bids 5♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K9432	
HCP: 15	♣ AK76	Partner bids first.
Board: 119	♠ A8	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ832	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K532	
HCP: 12	♣ 83	You bid first.
Board: 120	♠ 654	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K8642	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J65	
HCP: 7	♣ K9	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 116
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AKJ82
♥ K1096
♦ 5
♣ K54

South:
♠ Q1076
♥ AJ842
♦ 743
♣ 6

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			
3. Splinter			

Board: 117
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 12
Contract: 5♦ E

North:
♠ KQ943
♥ 83
♦ 62
♣ Q1072

South:
♠ A7
♥ 1065
♦ 108
♣ AKJ865

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	Pass	4♦	Pass
5♦	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 118
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♠X W

North:
♠ 98
♥ A7
♦ AQ1075
♣ Q1092

South:
♠ Q6
♥ K4
♦ K9432
♣ AK76

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	5♦
5♠	Pass	Pass	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 119
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ Q109754
♥ AJ10
♦ A8
♣ 52

South:
♠ A8
♥ KQ832
♦ K532
♣ 83

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	3♣ ²	4♣	Pass
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 120
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ KQJ92
♥ 9
♦ K8
♣ AQ842

South:
♠ 654
♥ K8642
♦ J65
♣ K9

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	Pass
2NT ²	3♣	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. to the partner's longer			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 121	♠ 98	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A2	
HCP: 8	♣ A1098632	Partner bids first.
Board: 122	♠ 1085	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ762	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 6	
Board: 123	♠ 2	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q7	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQ97543	
HCP: 8	♣ 964	Partner bids first.
Board: 124	♠ 3	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ1092	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ Q4	
HCP: 12	♣ A1072	You bid first.
Board: 125	♠ K53	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ872	
Vul: Both	♦ K53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 96	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 121
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ E

North:
♠ 98
♥ 92
♦ A2
♣ A1098632

South:
♠ AQ7
♥ 83
♦ 985
♣ KQJ74

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	3♣	4♥	AP
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 122
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ 1085
♥ KQ
♦ AKQJ762
♣ 6

South:
♠ A4
♥ 987
♦ 3
♣ AJ98732

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	2NT ²
Pass	3♣	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. Lebensohl after 1m			

Board: 123
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ E

North:
♠ 2
♥ Q7
♦ AQ97543
♣ 964

South:
♠ 1094
♥ 65
♦ K6
♣ AKQ1085

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	3♦	4♥	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 124
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ 3
♥ KQJ1092
♦ Q4
♣ A1072

South:
♠ A2
♥ A7
♦ 652
♣ KJ9653

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	3♣
3♠	4♥	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 125
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ K53
♥ KQ872
♦ K53
♣ 96

South:
♠ QJ107
♥ AJ643
♦ Q
♣ K43

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	3♣ ²	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 121	♠ AQ7	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 83	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 985	
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ74	You bid first.
Board: 122	♠ A4	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 987	
Vul: None	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ98732	
Board: 123	♠ 1094	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ K6	
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ1085	You bid first.
Board: 124	♠ A2	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 652	
HCP: 12	♣ KJ9653	Partner bids first.
Board: 125	♠ QJ107	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ643	
Vul: Both	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K43	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 121
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ E

North:
♠ 98
♥ 92
♦ A2
♣ A1098632

South:
♠ AQ7
♥ 83
♦ 985
♣ KQJ74

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	3♣	4♥	AP
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 122
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ 1085
♥ KQ
♦ AKQJ762
♣ 6

South:
♠ A4
♥ 987
♦ 3
♣ AJ98732

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	2NT ²
Pass	3♣	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. Lebensohl after 1m			

Board: 123
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ E

North:
♠ 2
♥ Q7
♦ AQ97543
♣ 964

South:
♠ 1094
♥ 65
♦ K6
♣ AKQ1085

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	3♦	4♥	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 124
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ 3
♥ KQJ1092
♦ Q4
♣ A1072

South:
♠ A2
♥ A7
♦ 652
♣ KJ9653

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	3♣
3♠	4♥	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 125
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ K53
♥ KQ872
♦ K53
♣ 96

South:
♠ QJ107
♥ AJ643
♦ Q
♣ K43

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	3♣ ²	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 126	♠ A9875	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K75	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQ1065	
HCP: 13	♣ —	You bid first.
Board: 127	♠ A1076532	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 763	
Board: 128	♠ K8	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K965	
HCP: 19	♣ AQJ108	You bid first.
Board: 129	♠ 72	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q105	
Vul: EW	♦ A98643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J9	
Board: 130	♠ AQ743	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A52	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 9	
HCP: 12	♣ Q932	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 126
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♣X E

North:
♠ A9875
♥ K75
♦ AQ1065
♣ —

South:
♠ KQJ6
♥ Q843
♦ 98
♣ QJ2

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²
Pass	3♠	4♣	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 127
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ A1076532
♥ 7
♦ A7
♣ 763

South:
♠ KQJ9
♥ 83
♦ Q10982
♣ A9

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2NT ¹	4♠	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 128
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♥ W

North:
♠ K8
♥ AQ
♦ K965
♣ AQJ108

South:
♠ 109765
♥ 5
♦ A874
♣ K93

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	Pass
4♥	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 129
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ 72
♥ Q105
♦ A98643
♣ J9

South:
♠ K54
♥ AJ8
♦ 7
♣ AQ8652

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

Board: 130
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3♠ N

North:
♠ AQ743
♥ A52
♦ 9
♣ Q932

South:
♠ J1092
♥ KQ63
♦ 64
♣ K74

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
3♦	3♠	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 126	♠ KQJ6	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q843	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 98	
HCP: 11	♣ QJ2	Partner bids first.
Board: 127	♠ KQJ9	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 83	
Vul: EW	♦ Q10982	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A9	
Board: 128	♠ 109765	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A874	
HCP: 7	♣ K93	Partner bids first.
Board: 129	♠ K54	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ 7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ8652	
Board: 130	♠ J1092	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ63	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 64	
HCP: 9	♣ K74	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 126
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♣X E

North:
♠ A9875
♥ K75
♦ AQ1065
♣ —

South:
♠ KQJ6
♥ Q843
♦ 98
♣ QJ2

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²
Pass	3♠	4♣	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 127
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ A1076532
♥ 7
♦ A7
♣ 763

South:
♠ KQJ9
♥ 83
♦ Q10982
♣ A9

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2NT ¹	4♠	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 128
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♥ W

North:
♠ K8
♥ AQ
♦ K965
♣ AQJ108

South:
♠ 109765
♥ 5
♦ A874
♣ K93

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	Pass
4♥	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 129
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ 72
♥ Q105
♦ A98643
♣ J9

South:
♠ K54
♥ AJ8
♦ 7
♣ AQ8652

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

Board: 130
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3♠ N

North:
♠ AQ743
♥ A52
♦ 9
♣ Q932

South:
♠ J1092
♥ KQ63
♦ 64
♣ K74

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
3♦	3♠	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 131
Dealer: S
Vul: None
HCP: 10

♠ 72
♥ 985
♦ KQ109
♣ KQ65

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Doubles Pass if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 132
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
HCP: 13

♠ A84
♥ 83
♦ Q62
♣ AK863

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 2♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 133
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
HCP: 12

♠ K8432
♥ AQ9
♦ 1095
♣ K9

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 134
Dealer: N
Vul: None
HCP: 15

♠ A86
♥ —
♦ AK852
♣ A9875

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 135
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
HCP: 15

♠ KJ3
♥ 1042
♦ J9
♣ AKQJ7

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 131
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♦X S

North:
 ♠ 72
 ♥ 985
 ♦ KQ109
 ♣ KQ65

South:
 ♠ A98
 ♥ A6
 ♦ AJ85
 ♣ J1094

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 132
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:
 ♠ A84
 ♥ 83
 ♦ Q62
 ♣ AK863

South:
 ♠ K76
 ♥ A1052
 ♦ 73
 ♣ J974

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	X
2♥	3♣	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 133
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ K8432
 ♥ AQ9
 ♦ 1095
 ♣ K9

South:
 ♠ A7
 ♥ 8
 ♦ AKQ42
 ♣ Q7532

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 134
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 5♣X S

North:
 ♠ A86
 ♥ —
 ♦ AK852
 ♣ A9875

South:
 ♠ 75
 ♥ KJ974
 ♦ 43
 ♣ K1042

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 135
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♠X E

North:
 ♠ KJ3
 ♥ 1042
 ♦ J9
 ♣ AKQJ7

South:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ AKQ9853
 ♦ A75
 ♣ 43

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	3♠	4♥
4♠	X	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 131 ♠ A98
Dealer: S ♥ A6
Vul: None ♦ AJ85
HCP: 14 ♣ J1094

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 132 ♠ K76
Dealer: N ♥ A1052
Vul: NS ♦ 73
HCP: 8 ♣ J974

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 2♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 133 ♠ A7
Dealer: S ♥ 8
Vul: Both ♦ AKQ42
HCP: 15 ♣ Q7532

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 134 ♠ 75
Dealer: N ♥ KJ974
Vul: None ♦ 43
HCP: 7 ♣ K1042

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 135 ♠ 5
Dealer: S ♥ AKQ9853
Vul: NS ♦ A75
HCP: 13 ♣ 43

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 131
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♦X S

North:
♠ 72
♥ 985
♦ KQ109
♣ KQ65

South:
♠ A98
♥ A6
♦ AJ85
♣ J1094

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 132
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 8
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ A84
♥ 83
♦ Q62
♣ AK863

South:
♠ K76
♥ A1052
♦ 73
♣ J974

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	X
2♥	3♣	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 133
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ K8432
♥ AQ9
♦ 1095
♣ K9

South:
♠ A7
♥ 8
♦ AKQ42
♣ Q7532

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 134
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 7
Contract: 5♣X S

North:
♠ A86
♥ —
♦ AK852
♣ A9875

South:
♠ 75
♥ KJ974
♦ 43
♣ K1042

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 135
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♠X E

North:
♠ KJ3
♥ 1042
♦ J9
♣ AKQJ7

South:
♠ 5
♥ AKQ9853
♦ A75
♣ 43

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	3♠	4♥
4♠	X	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 136 ♠ —
Dealer: N ♥ 84
Vul: EW ♦ AKQ9832
HCP: 13 ♣ A1076

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 137 ♠ Q965
Dealer: S ♥ J832
Vul: None ♦ Q72
HCP: 8 ♣ K8

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 138 ♠ AJ
Dealer: N ♥ J74
Vul: EW ♦ QJ103
HCP: 12 ♣ K652

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 139 ♠ AJ105
Dealer: S ♥ —
Vul: Both ♦ 853
HCP: 10 ♣ KQ10976

West Bids 2NT if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 140 ♠ A6
Dealer: N ♥ KQ87642
Vul: NS ♦ 3
HCP: 12 ♣ K84

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 136
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♠X W

North:
 ♠ —
 ♥ 84
 ♦ AKQ9832
 ♣ A1076

South:
 ♠ J862
 ♥ Q73
 ♦ 7
 ♣ KQ984

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	Pass
3♠	4♦	4♠	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 137
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 2♠ E

North:
 ♠ Q965
 ♥ J832
 ♦ Q72
 ♣ K8

South:
 ♠ 73
 ♥ 1096
 ♦ AKJ10
 ♣ A652

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 138
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ AJ
 ♥ J74
 ♦ QJ103
 ♣ K652

South:
 ♠ 943
 ♥ A5
 ♦ K52
 ♣ 108743

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	Pass
2♥	Pass	3♠	Pass
4♥	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 139
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:
 ♠ AJ105
 ♥ —
 ♦ 853
 ♣ KQ10976

South:
 ♠ 73
 ♥ K872
 ♦ A74
 ♣ AJ54

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	3♣	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 140
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ A6
 ♥ KQ87642
 ♦ 3
 ♣ K84

South:
 ♠ KQJ1085
 ♥ J
 ♦ 10875
 ♣ A5

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2NT ¹	X
3♦	4♥	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 136 ♠ J862
Dealer: N ♥ Q73
Vul: EW ♦ 7
HCP: 8 ♣ KQ984

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 137 ♠ 73
Dealer: S ♥ 1096
Vul: None ♦ AKJ10
HCP: 12 ♣ A652

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 138 ♠ 943
Dealer: N ♥ A5
Vul: EW ♦ K52
HCP: 7 ♣ 108743

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 139 ♠ 73
Dealer: S ♥ K872
Vul: Both ♦ A74
HCP: 12 ♣ AJ54

West Bids 2NT if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 140 ♠ KQJ1085
Dealer: N ♥ J
Vul: NS ♦ 10875
HCP: 11 ♣ A5

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 136
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♠X W

North:
 ♠ —
 ♥ 84
 ♦ AKQ9832
 ♣ A1076

South:
 ♠ J862
 ♥ Q73
 ♦ 7
 ♣ KQ984

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	Pass
3♠	4♦	4♠	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 137
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 2♠ E

North:
 ♠ Q965
 ♥ J832
 ♦ Q72
 ♣ K8

South:
 ♠ 73
 ♥ 1096
 ♦ AKJ10
 ♣ A652

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 138
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ AJ
 ♥ J74
 ♦ QJ103
 ♣ K652

South:
 ♠ 943
 ♥ A5
 ♦ K52
 ♣ 108743

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♦ ¹	Pass
2♥	Pass	3♠	Pass
4♥	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 139
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:
 ♠ AJ105
 ♥ —
 ♦ 853
 ♣ KQ10976

South:
 ♠ 73
 ♥ K872
 ♦ A74
 ♣ AJ54

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	3♣	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 140
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ A6
 ♥ KQ87642
 ♦ 3
 ♣ K84

South:
 ♠ KQJ1085
 ♥ J
 ♦ 10875
 ♣ A5

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2NT ¹	X
3♦	4♥	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 141 ♠ AJ8763
Dealer: S ♥ J82
Vul: EW ♦ J95
HCP: 7 ♣ 9

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♦ if possible.
West Doubles 5♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 142 ♠ A63
Dealer: N ♥ J107
Vul: Both ♦ AKQ86
HCP: 14 ♣ 87

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 3♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 143 ♠ K4
Dealer: S ♥ 632
Vul: Both ♦ Q109742
HCP: 7 ♣ Q9

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 144 ♠ A1062
Dealer: N ♥ 4
Vul: None ♦ QJ104
HCP: 13 ♣ AQ65

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 145 ♠ 9853
Dealer: S ♥ AQ
Vul: NS ♦ J74
HCP: 7 ♣ 7642

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 141
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♣X S

North:
 ♠ AJ8763
 ♥ J82
 ♦ J95
 ♣ 9

South:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ A753
 ♦ —
 ♣ AKQJ8765

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 142
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♦ N

North:
 ♠ A63
 ♥ J107
 ♦ AKQ86
 ♣ 87

South:
 ♠ Q7
 ♥ K9652
 ♦ 109742
 ♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♣	2♦
3♣	3♦	4♣	4♦
AP			

Board: 143
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 4♥ E

North:
 ♠ K4
 ♥ 632
 ♦ Q109742
 ♣ Q9

South:
 ♠ 1052
 ♥ K
 ♦ AK63
 ♣ AJ763

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 144
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ A1062
 ♥ 4
 ♦ QJ104
 ♣ AQ65

South:
 ♠ 97
 ♥ 2
 ♦ AK762
 ♣ J8743

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 145
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3♠X W

North:
 ♠ 9853
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ J74
 ♣ 7642

South:
 ♠ J4
 ♥ KJ643
 ♦ AK983
 ♣ A

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 141 ♠ 4
Dealer: S ♥ A753
Vul: EW ♦ —
HCP: 14 ♣ AKQJ8765

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♦ if possible.
West Doubles 5♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 142 ♠ Q7
Dealer: N ♥ K9652
Vul: Both ♦ 109742
HCP: 8 ♣ K

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 3♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 143 ♠ 1052
Dealer: S ♥ K
Vul: Both ♦ AK63
HCP: 15 ♣ AJ763

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 144 ♠ 97
Dealer: N ♥ 2
Vul: None ♦ AK762
HCP: 8 ♣ J8743

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 145 ♠ J4
Dealer: S ♥ KJ643
Vul: NS ♦ AK983
HCP: 16 ♣ A

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 141
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♣X S

North:
 ♠ AJ8763
 ♥ J82
 ♦ J95
 ♣ 9

South:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ A753
 ♦ —
 ♣ AKQJ8765

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 142
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♦ N

North:
 ♠ A63
 ♥ J107
 ♦ AKQ86
 ♣ 87

South:
 ♠ Q7
 ♥ K9652
 ♦ 109742
 ♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♣	2♦
3♣	3♦	4♣	4♦
AP			

Board: 143
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 4♥ E

North:
 ♠ K4
 ♥ 632
 ♦ Q109742
 ♣ Q9

South:
 ♠ 1052
 ♥ K
 ♦ AK63
 ♣ AJ763

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 144
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ A1062
 ♥ 4
 ♦ QJ104
 ♣ AQ65

South:
 ♠ 97
 ♥ 2
 ♦ AK762
 ♣ J8743

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 145
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3♠X W

North:
 ♠ 9853
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ J74
 ♣ 7642

South:
 ♠ J4
 ♥ KJ643
 ♦ AK983
 ♣ A

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 146
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 13

♠ K3
♥ K743
♦ KQ72
♣ Q65

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 147
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
HCP: 10

♠ AJ103
♥ 4
♦ KQ754
♣ 762

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♣ if possible.
West Doubles 4♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 148
Dealer: N
Vul: None
HCP: 15

♠ AJ3
♥ Q
♦ AQJ63
♣ J853

East Bids 2NT if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 149
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
HCP: 13

♠ Q3
♥ A6
♦ 9873
♣ AK765

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 150
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
HCP: 12

♠ A62
♥ A106542
♦ Q6
♣ Q2

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.
West Bids 4♦ if possible.
East Bids 5♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 146
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ K3
 ♥ K743
 ♦ KQ72
 ♣ Q65

South:
 ♠ QJ76
 ♥ 10
 ♦ A1094
 ♣ 9874

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 147
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♦ X S

North:
 ♠ AJ103
 ♥ 4
 ♦ KQ754
 ♣ 762

South:
 ♠ KQ96
 ♥ QJ65
 ♦ AJ93
 ♣ 9

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♦

Board: 148
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ AJ3
 ♥ Q
 ♦ AQJ63
 ♣ J853

South:
 ♠ K10
 ♥ A97
 ♦ 987542
 ♣ Q7

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 149
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ Q3
 ♥ A6
 ♦ 9873
 ♣ AK765

South:
 ♠ A94
 ♥ 842
 ♦ AQJ4
 ♣ Q94

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	X	3♥	AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 150
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 5♦ E

North:
 ♠ A62
 ♥ A106542
 ♦ Q6
 ♣ Q2

South:
 ♠ Q543
 ♥ 3
 ♦ J3
 ♣ A109875

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. to the partner's longer

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 146
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 7

♠ QJ76
♥ 10
♦ A1094
♣ 9874

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 147
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
HCP: 13

♠ KQ96
♥ QJ65
♦ AJ93
♣ 9

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♣ if possible.
West Doubles 4♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 148
Dealer: N
Vul: None
HCP: 9

♠ K10
♥ A97
♦ 987542
♣ Q7

East Bids 2NT if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 149
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
HCP: 13

♠ A94
♥ 842
♦ AQJ4
♣ Q94

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 150
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
HCP: 7

♠ Q543
♥ 3
♦ J3
♣ A109875

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.
West Bids 4♦ if possible.
East Bids 5♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 146
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ K3
 ♥ K743
 ♦ KQ72
 ♣ Q65

South:
 ♠ QJ76
 ♥ 10
 ♦ A1094
 ♣ 9874

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 147
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♦ X S

North:
 ♠ AJ103
 ♥ 4
 ♦ KQ754
 ♣ 762

South:
 ♠ KQ96
 ♥ QJ65
 ♦ AJ93
 ♣ 9

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♦

Board: 148
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ AJ3
 ♥ Q
 ♦ AQJ63
 ♣ J853

South:
 ♠ K10
 ♥ A97
 ♦ 987542
 ♣ Q7

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 149
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ Q3
 ♥ A6
 ♦ 9873
 ♣ AK765

South:
 ♠ A94
 ♥ 842
 ♦ AQJ4
 ♣ Q94

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	X	3♥	AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 150
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 5♦ E

North:
 ♠ A62
 ♥ A106542
 ♦ Q6
 ♣ Q2

South:
 ♠ Q543
 ♥ 3
 ♦ J3
 ♣ A109875

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. to the partner's longer

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 151	♠ 532	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K852	
Vul: NS	♦ K973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A9	
Board: 152	♠ A7	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J53	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ107652	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	
Board: 153	♠ A75	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q32	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 86	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 9	♣ QJ753	Partner bids first.
Board: 154	♠ Q53	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ1062	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A53	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ Q7	You bid first.
Board: 155	♠ A93	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ942	
HCP: 11	♣ J2	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 151
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ 532
♥ K852
♦ K973
♣ A9

South:
♠ A106
♥ QJ643
♦ A
♣ Q652

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 152
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A7
♥ J53
♦ AQ107652
♣ Q

South:
♠ K
♥ Q10974
♦ KJ983
♣ K6

West	North	East	South
			2♥ ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing			

Board: 153
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♠X E

North:
♠ A75
♥ Q32
♦ 86
♣ QJ753

South:
♠ 94
♥ AKJ865
♦ A42
♣ A9

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	3♣	4♥
4♠	Pass	Pass	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 154
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♠ E

North:
♠ Q53
♥ KJ1062
♦ A53
♣ Q7

South:
♠ 6
♥ 843
♦ K74
♣ A108653

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	X
4♦ ²	Pass	4♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. Splinter			

Board: 155
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♦ S

North:
♠ A93
♥ 65
♦ KQJ942
♣ J2

South:
♠ KQ74
♥ 74
♦ A875
♣ A96

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2NT ¹	3♣ ²	3♥	4♦
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♦			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 151	♠ A106	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ643	
Vul: NS	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q652	
Board: 152	♠ K	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10974	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K6	
Board: 153	♠ 94	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ865	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A42	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ A9	You bid first.
Board: 154	♠ 6	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 843	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ KW	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 7	♣ A108653	Partner bids first.
Board: 155	♠ KQ74	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 74	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A875	
HCP: 13	♣ A96	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 151
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ 532
♥ K852
♦ K973
♣ A9

South:
♠ A106
♥ QJ643
♦ A
♣ Q652

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 152
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A7
♥ J53
♦ AQ107652
♣ Q

South:
♠ K
♥ Q10974
♦ KJ983
♣ K6

West	North	East	South
			2♥ ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing			

Board: 153
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♠X E

North:
♠ A75
♥ Q32
♦ 86
♣ QJ753

South:
♠ 94
♥ AKJ865
♦ A42
♣ A9

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	3♠	4♥
4♠	Pass	Pass	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 154
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♠ E

North:
♠ Q53
♥ KJ1062
♦ A53
♣ Q7

South:
♠ 6
♥ 843
♦ K74
♣ A108653

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	X
4♦ ²	Pass	4♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. Splinter			

Board: 155
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♦ S

North:
♠ A93
♥ 65
♦ KQJ942
♣ J2

South:
♠ KQ74
♥ 74
♦ A875
♣ A96

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2NT ¹	3♣ ²	3♥	4♦
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♦			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 156	♠ KJ763	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A53	West Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 63	
HCP: 12	♣ A108	You bid first.

Board: 157	♠ 975	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ86	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 72	
HCP: 7	♣ J94	Partner bids first.

Board: 158	♠ AJ7	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A872	
Vul: None	♦ A754	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 86	

Board: 159	♠ Q62	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 975	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A1065	
HCP: 8	♣ Q76	Partner bids first.

Board: 160	♠ 10	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A754	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J42	
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ72	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 156
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 5♦X W

North:
 ♠ KJ763
 ♥ A53
 ♦ 63
 ♣ A108

South:
 ♠ A54
 ♥ KQJ9876
 ♦ —
 ♣ 432

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 157
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♦ E

North:
 ♠ 975
 ♥ KQJ86
 ♦ 72
 ♣ J94

South:
 ♠ AKQ42
 ♥ 742
 ♦ K5
 ♣ 732

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 158
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ AJ7
 ♥ A872
 ♦ A754
 ♣ 86

South:
 ♠ KQ109843
 ♥ Q96
 ♦ 62
 ♣ 2

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	4♠
	AP		

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 159
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♥X E

North:
 ♠ Q62
 ♥ 975
 ♦ A1065
 ♣ Q76

South:
 ♠ AKJ97
 ♥ 2
 ♦ KJ84
 ♣ J98

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	3♥ ²	4♥	X
	AP		

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 160
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ 10
 ♥ A754
 ♦ J42
 ♣ AKJ72

South:
 ♠ Q653
 ♥ 6
 ♦ A73
 ♣ Q8653

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

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 156	♠ A54	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ9876	West Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ —	
HCP: 10	♣ 432	Partner bids first.
Board: 157	♠ AKQ42	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 742	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K5	
HCP: 12	♣ 732	You bid first.
Board: 158	♠ KQ109843	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q96	
Vul: None	♦ 62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 2	
Board: 159	♠ AKJ97	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ84	
HCP: 13	♣ J98	You bid first.
Board: 160	♠ Q653	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A73	
HCP: 8	♣ Q8653	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 156
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 5♦X W

North:
 ♠ KJ763
 ♥ A53
 ♦ 63
 ♣ A108

South:
 ♠ A54
 ♥ KQJ9876
 ♦ —
 ♣ 432

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 157
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♦ E

North:
 ♠ 975
 ♥ KQJ86
 ♦ 72
 ♣ J94

South:
 ♠ AKQ42
 ♥ 742
 ♦ K5
 ♣ 732

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 158
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ AJ7
 ♥ A872
 ♦ A754
 ♣ 86

South:
 ♠ KQ109843
 ♥ Q96
 ♦ 62
 ♣ 2

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	4♠
	AP		

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 159
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♥X E

North:
 ♠ Q62
 ♥ 975
 ♦ A1065
 ♣ Q76

South:
 ♠ AKJ97
 ♥ 2
 ♦ KJ84
 ♣ J98

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	3♥ ²	4♥	X
	AP		

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 160
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ 10
 ♥ A754
 ♦ J42
 ♣ AKJ72

South:
 ♠ Q653
 ♥ 6
 ♦ A73
 ♣ Q8653

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

1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 161
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
HCP: 11

♠ A7
♥ Q952
♦ Q6
♣ K9743

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Redoubles if possible.
West Bids 3♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 162
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 17

♠ KJ932
♥ K1097
♦ AQ
♣ A5

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 163
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
HCP: 9

♠ Q982
♥ K9
♦ A9763
♣ 76

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 164
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 12

♠ 5
♥ 86
♦ QJ1043
♣ AKQ65

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 165
Dealer: S
Vul: None
HCP: 7

♠ 9764
♥ 7
♦ AK85
♣ 8652

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.
East Bids 5♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 161
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3♣X W

North:
 ♠ A7
 ♥ Q952
 ♦ Q6
 ♣ K9743

South:
 ♠ Q1093
 ♥ A63
 ♦ A7543
 ♣ A

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. show your better suit

Board: 162
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ KJ932
 ♥ K1097
 ♦ AQ
 ♣ A5

South:
 ♠ Q10875
 ♥ AQ86
 ♦ 7
 ♣ 874

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 163
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ Q982
 ♥ K9
 ♦ A9763
 ♣ 76

South:
 ♠ AJ764
 ♥ A10863
 ♦ 4
 ♣ K8

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 164
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ 86
 ♦ QJ1043
 ♣ AKQ65

South:
 ♠ K842
 ♥ J107
 ♦ K982
 ♣ 92

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 165
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 5♠X E

North:
 ♠ 9764
 ♥ 7
 ♦ AK85
 ♣ 8652

South:
 ♠ —
 ♥ A32
 ♦ Q762
 ♣ AKQ1073

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	4♠	5♣
Pass	Pass	5♠	Pass
Pass	X	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 161 ♠ Q1093
Dealer: S ♥ A63
Vul: EW ♦ A7543
HCP: 14 ♣ A

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Redoubles if possible.
West Bids 3♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 162 ♠ Q10875
Dealer: N ♥ AQ86
Vul: Both ♦ 7
HCP: 8 ♣ 874

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 163 ♠ AJ764
Dealer: S ♥ A10863
Vul: NS ♦ 4
HCP: 12 ♣ K8

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 164 ♠ K842
Dealer: N ♥ J107
Vul: Both ♦ K982
HCP: 7 ♣ 92

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 165 ♠ —
Dealer: S ♥ A32
Vul: None ♦ Q762
HCP: 15 ♣ AKQ1073

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.
East Bids 5♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 161
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3♣X W

North:
 ♠ A7
 ♥ Q952
 ♦ Q6
 ♣ K9743

South:
 ♠ Q1093
 ♥ A63
 ♦ A7543
 ♣ A

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. show your better suit

Board: 162
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ KJ932
 ♥ K1097
 ♦ AQ
 ♣ A5

South:
 ♠ Q10875
 ♥ AQ86
 ♦ 7
 ♣ 874

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 163
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ Q982
 ♥ K9
 ♦ A9763
 ♣ 76

South:
 ♠ AJ764
 ♥ A10863
 ♦ 4
 ♣ K8

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 164
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ 86
 ♦ QJ1043
 ♣ AKQ65

South:
 ♠ K842
 ♥ J107
 ♦ K982
 ♣ 92

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 165
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 5♠X E

North:
 ♠ 9764
 ♥ 7
 ♦ AK85
 ♣ 8652

South:
 ♠ —
 ♥ A32
 ♦ Q762
 ♣ AKQ1073

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	4♠	5♣
Pass	Pass	5♠	Pass
Pass	X	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 166	♠ AKJ97	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K854	
HCP: 14	♣ QJ2	You bid first.
Board: 167	♠ A3	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J763	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ953	
HCP: 9	♣ 96	Partner bids first.
Board: 168	♠ 1043	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9832	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 7	
HCP: 14	♣ AK10	You bid first.
Board: 169	♠ AQ842	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 732	
Vul: NS	♦ 83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K83	
Board: 170	♠ A6	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 97	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ Q102	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ9763	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 166
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ AKJ97
 ♥ 9
 ♦ K854
 ♣ QJ2

South:
 ♠ 104
 ♥ A84
 ♦ 7
 ♣ K987653

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 167
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ A3
 ♥ J763
 ♦ KJ953
 ♣ 96

South:
 ♠ 862
 ♥ AQ1095
 ♦ AQ10
 ♣ 73

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 168
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ 1043
 ♥ AK9832
 ♦ 7
 ♣ AK10

South:
 ♠ A9875
 ♥ Q6
 ♦ Q32
 ♣ 932

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. to the partner's longer

Board: 169
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ AQ842
 ♥ 732
 ♦ 83
 ♣ K83

South:
 ♠ K7653
 ♥ 95
 ♦ AKQ106
 ♣ 6

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 170
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 4♠ W

North:
 ♠ A6
 ♥ 97
 ♦ Q102
 ♣ AQ9763

South:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ J6532
 ♦ AKJ98
 ♣ 84

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 166	♠ 104	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A84	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 7	
HCP: 7	♣ K987653	Partner bids first.
Board: 167	♠ 862	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1095	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQ10	
HCP: 12	♣ 73	You bid first.
Board: 168	♠ A9875	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q6	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q32	
HCP: 8	♣ 932	Partner bids first.
Board: 169	♠ K7653	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ106	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 6	
Board: 170	♠ 4	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J6532	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ98	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 9	♣ 84	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 166
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ AKJ97
 ♥ 9
 ♦ K854
 ♣ QJ2

South:
 ♠ 104
 ♥ A84
 ♦ 7
 ♣ K987653

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 167
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ A3
 ♥ J763
 ♦ KJ953
 ♣ 96

South:
 ♠ 862
 ♥ AQ1095
 ♦ AQ10
 ♣ 73

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 168
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ 1043
 ♥ AK9832
 ♦ 7
 ♣ AK10

South:
 ♠ A9875
 ♥ Q6
 ♦ Q32
 ♣ 932

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. to the partner's longer

Board: 169
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ AQ842
 ♥ 732
 ♦ 83
 ♣ K83

South:
 ♠ K7653
 ♥ 95
 ♦ AKQ106
 ♣ 6

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 170
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 4♠ W

North:
 ♠ A6
 ♥ 97
 ♦ Q102
 ♣ AQ9763

South:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ J6532
 ♦ AKJ98
 ♣ 84

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 171	♠ —	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A853	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A874	
HCP: 8	♣ 108763	Partner bids first.
Board: 172	♠ AKJ108	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ9	
Vul: EW	♦ 843	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 83	
Board: 173	♠ KQ6	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J752	
Vul: Both	♦ A74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ4	
Board: 174	♠ K865	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK752	
Vul: NS	♦ 1062	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q	
Board: 175	♠ J84	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K10852	
HCP: 8	♣ A62	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 171	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ K1063				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A853	♥ K2	2♦ ¹	X	4♠	5♦
North HCP: 8	♦ A874	♦ KQJ2	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ 108763	♣ AQ5	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 5♦ S						

Board: 172	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ108	♠ Q942		1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
Vul: EW	♥ AJ9	♥ Q106	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13	♦ 843	♦ Q6	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 83	♣ AK94	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 4♠ N			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 173	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ6	♠ AJ8				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ J752	♥ K	2NT ¹	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ A74	♦ 9652	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ4	♣ A10852				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 174	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K865	♠ 109		1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
Vul: NS	♥ AK752	♥ Q10864	Pass	3♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ 1062	♦ QJ73	1. Michaels Cuebid			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q	♣ A9	2. limit raise or better in ♥			
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 175	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J84	♠ KQ103				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 95	♥ AJ2	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥	AP
North HCP: 8	♦ K10852	♦ QJ963	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 13	♣ A62	♣ 8				
Contract: 3♥ E						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 171 ♠ K1063
Dealer: S ♥ K2
Vul: None ♦ KQJ2
HCP: 18 ♣ AQ5

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 172 ♠ Q942
Dealer: N ♥ Q106
Vul: EW ♦ Q6
HCP: 13 ♣ AK94

East Bids 2NT if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 173 ♠ AJ8
Dealer: S ♥ K
Vul: Both ♦ 9652
HCP: 12 ♣ A10852

West Bids 2NT if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 174 ♠ 109
Dealer: N ♥ Q10864
Vul: NS ♦ QJ73
HCP: 9 ♣ A9

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 175 ♠ KQ103
Dealer: S ♥ AJ2
Vul: EW ♦ QJ963
HCP: 13 ♣ 8

West Bids 2NT if possible.

East Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 171	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ K1063				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A853	♥ K2	2♦ ¹	X	4♠	5♦
North HCP: 8	♦ A874	♦ KQJ2	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ 108763	♣ AQ5	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 5♦ S						

Board: 172	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ108	♠ Q942		1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
Vul: EW	♥ AJ9	♥ Q106	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13	♦ 843	♦ Q6	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 83	♣ AK94	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 4♠ N			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 173	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ6	♠ AJ8				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ J752	♥ K	2NT ¹	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ A74	♦ 9652	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ4	♣ A10852				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 174	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K865	♠ 109		1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
Vul: NS	♥ AK752	♥ Q10864	Pass	3♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ 1062	♦ QJ73	1. Michaels Cuebid			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q	♣ A9	2. limit raise or better in ♥			
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 175	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J84	♠ KQ103				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 95	♥ AJ2	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥	AP
North HCP: 8	♦ K10852	♦ QJ963	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 13	♣ A62	♣ 8				
Contract: 3♥ E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 176	♠ 7	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ764	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ84	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A8	
Board: 177	♠ J9873	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K8	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A76	
HCP: 12	♣ A74	Partner bids first.
Board: 178	♠ 10	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ98732	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ5	
HCP: 12	♣ J2	You bid first.
Board: 179	♠ A8643	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 973	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 32	
HCP: 8	♣ A65	Partner bids first.
Board: 180	♠ 5	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ876	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q95	
HCP: 12	♣ AJ102	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 176
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ QJ764
 ♦ KQJ84
 ♣ A8

South:
 ♠ K53
 ♥ AK10832
 ♦ 953
 ♣ 9

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 177
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♠ N

North:
 ♠ J9873
 ♥ K8
 ♦ A76
 ♣ A74

South:
 ♠ AQ2
 ♥ 643
 ♦ KQJ83
 ♣ 95

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 178
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 5♣ W

North:
 ♠ 10
 ♥ AQ98732
 ♦ AJ5
 ♣ J2

South:
 ♠ K65
 ♥ J1054
 ♦ 9763
 ♣ K6

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	X
5♣	AP		

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 179
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:
 ♠ A8643
 ♥ 973
 ♦ 32
 ♣ A65

South:
 ♠ Q5
 ♥ AQ64
 ♦ AQJ1094
 ♣ K

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 180
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 3♠ W

North:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ KQ876
 ♦ Q95
 ♣ AJ102

South:
 ♠ A982
 ♥ A103
 ♦ 876
 ♣ Q95

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	X
3♠	AP		

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 176	♠ K53	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10832	
Vul: Both	♦ 953	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 9	
Board: 177	♠ AQ2	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 643	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQJ83	
HCP: 12	♣ 95	You bid first.
Board: 178	♠ K65	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J1054	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 9763	
HCP: 7	♣ K6	Partner bids first.
Board: 179	♠ Q5	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ64	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ1094	
HCP: 18	♣ K	You bid first.
Board: 180	♠ A982	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A103	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 876	
HCP: 10	♣ Q95	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 176
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ QJ764
 ♦ KQJ84
 ♣ A8

South:
 ♠ K53
 ♥ AK10832
 ♦ 953
 ♣ 9

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 177
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♠ N

North:
 ♠ J9873
 ♥ K8
 ♦ A76
 ♣ A74

South:
 ♠ AQ2
 ♥ 643
 ♦ KQJ83
 ♣ 95

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 178
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 5♣ W

North:
 ♠ 10
 ♥ AQ98732
 ♦ AJ5
 ♣ J2

South:
 ♠ K65
 ♥ J1054
 ♦ 9763
 ♣ K6

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	X
5♣	AP		

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 179
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:
 ♠ A8643
 ♥ 973
 ♦ 32
 ♣ A65

South:
 ♠ Q5
 ♥ AQ64
 ♦ AQJ1094
 ♣ K

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 180
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 3♠ W

North:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ KQ876
 ♦ Q95
 ♣ AJ102

South:
 ♠ A982
 ♥ A103
 ♦ 876
 ♣ Q95

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	X
3♠	AP		

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 181	♠ AK85	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K762	
Vul: Both	♦ 72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q106	

Board: 182	♠ AQJ85	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K65	
Vul: None	♦ A74	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 104	

Board: 183	♠ K743	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: None	♦ 872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK105	

Board: 184	♠ AJ1093	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A962	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 2	

Board: 185	♠ AQ984	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: NS	♦ Q10762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J9	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 181

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ AK85

♥ K762

♦ 72

♣ Q106

South:

♠ 93

♥ 4

♦ KJ9

♣ AKJ9753

West North East South

1♣

2♠ X Pass 3♣

AP

Board: 182

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ AQJ85

♥ K65

♦ A74

♣ 104

South:

♠ K1042

♥ A1074

♦ 95

♣ J96

West North East South

1♠ 2NT¹ 3♣²

Pass 3♠ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 183

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K743

♥ K10

♦ 872

♣ AK105

South:

♠ A98

♥ AJ8653

♦ A6

♣ QJ

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ 3NT AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 184

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AJ1093

♥ A962

♦ AQ2

♣ 2

South:

♠ KQ86542

♥ 105

♦ 4

♣ QJ9

West North East South

1♠ 2♠¹ 3♥²

Pass 3NT³ Pass 4♦⁴

Pass 4♥⁵ Pass 4♠

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♠

3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

5. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 185

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ984

♥ 2

♦ Q10762

♣ J9

South:

♠ KJ1052

♥ AK6

♦ K853

♣ 10

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹ 3♥² Pass 4♠

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♠

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 181	♠ 93	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ9753	
Board: 182	♠ K1042	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A1074	
Vul: None	♦ 95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J96	
Board: 183	♠ A98	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ8653	
Vul: None	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ	
Board: 184	♠ KQ86542	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 105	
Vul: Both	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ QJ9	
Board: 185	♠ KJ1052	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK6	
Vul: NS	♦ K853	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 181

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ AK85

♥ K762

♦ 72

♣ Q106

South:

♠ 93

♥ 4

♦ KJ9

♣ AKJ9753

West North East South

1♣

2♠ X Pass 3♣

AP

Board: 182

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ AQJ85

♥ K65

♦ A74

♣ 104

South:

♠ K1042

♥ A1074

♦ 95

♣ J96

West North East South

1♠ 2NT¹ 3♣²

Pass 3♠ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 183

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K743

♥ K10

♦ 872

♣ AK105

South:

♠ A98

♥ AJ8653

♦ A6

♣ QJ

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ 3NT AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 184

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AJ1093

♥ A962

♦ AQ2

♣ 2

South:

♠ KQ86542

♥ 105

♦ 4

♣ QJ9

West North East South

1♠ 2♠¹ 3♥²

Pass 3NT³ Pass 4♦⁴

Pass 4♥⁵ Pass 4♠

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♠

3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

5. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 185

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ984

♥ 2

♦ Q10762

♣ J9

South:

♠ KJ1052

♥ AK6

♦ K853

♣ 10

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹ 3♥² Pass 4♠

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♠

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 186
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
HCP: 12

♠ —
♥ 1095
♦ AKQ86
♣ QJ765

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 187
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
HCP: 8

♠ 976
♥ Q972
♦ K4
♣ K753

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 188
Dealer: N
Vul: None
HCP: 13

♠ QJ1076
♥ KQ62
♦ A10
♣ J10

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 189
Dealer: S
Vul: None
HCP: 8

♠ A98
♥ J72
♦ 5
♣ QJ8732

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 190
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 13

♠ Q5
♥ AKQ832
♦ Q964
♣ 5

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.
East Bids 5♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 186
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♠ W

North:
♠ —
♥ 1095
♦ AKQ86
♣ QJ765

South:
♠ 863
♥ 762
♦ 72
♣ AK942

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 187
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ E

North:
♠ 976
♥ Q972
♦ K4
♣ K753

South:
♠ A
♥ J4
♦ A109763
♣ AJ94

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 188
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 8
Contract: 3♦ W

North:
♠ QJ1076
♥ KQ62
♦ A10
♣ J10

South:
♠ A98
♥ A1053
♦ 743
♣ 874

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 189
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♦ E

North:
♠ A98
♥ J72
♦ 5
♣ QJ8732

South:
♠ J72
♥ AKQ65
♦ KJ873
♣ —

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 190
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 10
Contract: 5♠X W

North:
♠ Q5
♥ AKQ832
♦ Q964
♣ 5

South:
♠ K8
♥ 10974
♦ AK107
♣ 1087

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
3♠	4♥	4♠	Pass
Pass	5♥	5♠	X

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 186 ♠ 863
Dealer: N ♥ 762
Vul: EW ♦ 72
HCP: 7 ♣ AK942

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 187 ♠ A
Dealer: S ♥ J4
Vul: Both ♦ A109763
HCP: 14 ♣ AJ94

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 188 ♠ A98
Dealer: N ♥ A1053
Vul: None ♦ 743
HCP: 8 ♣ 874

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 189 ♠ J72
Dealer: S ♥ AKQ65
Vul: None ♦ KJ873
HCP: 14 ♣ —

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 190 ♠ K8
Dealer: N ♥ 10974
Vul: Both ♦ AK107
HCP: 10 ♣ 1087

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.
East Bids 5♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 186
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♠ W

North:
♠ —
♥ 1095
♦ AKQ86
♣ QJ765

South:
♠ 863
♥ 762
♦ 72
♣ AK942

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 187
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ E

North:
♠ 976
♥ Q972
♦ K4
♣ K753

South:
♠ A
♥ J4
♦ A109763
♣ AJ94

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 188
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 8
Contract: 3♦ W

North:
♠ QJ1076
♥ KQ62
♦ A10
♣ J10

South:
♠ A98
♥ A1053
♦ 743
♣ 874

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 189
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♦ E

North:
♠ A98
♥ J72
♦ 5
♣ QJ8732

South:
♠ J72
♥ AKQ65
♦ KJ873
♣ —

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 190
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 10
Contract: 5♠X W

North:
♠ Q5
♥ AKQ832
♦ Q964
♣ 5

South:
♠ K8
♥ 10974
♦ AK107
♣ 1087

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
3♠	4♥	4♠	Pass
Pass	5♥	5♠	X

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 191	♠ J984	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K76	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J643	
HCP: 9	♣ A8	Partner bids first.
Board: 192	♠ 43	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 64	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ764	
HCP: 14	♣ AK10	You bid first.
Board: 193	♠ J63	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ9	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K752	
HCP: 9	♣ 1076	Partner bids first.
Board: 194	♠ A97	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J92	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A75	
HCP: 12	♣ K1093	You bid first.
Board: 195	♠ A8754	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 83	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 8753	
HCP: 7	♣ QJ	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 191
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥X S

North:
 ♠ J984
 ♥ K76
 ♦ J643
 ♣ A8

South:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ AJ832
 ♦ AKQ105
 ♣ 94

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 192
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 4♥X W

North:
 ♠ 43
 ♥ 64
 ♦ AQJ764
 ♣ AK10

South:
 ♠ AK75
 ♥ 87
 ♦ 832
 ♣ Q852

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 193
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♠ E

North:
 ♠ J63
 ♥ KQ9
 ♦ K752
 ♣ 1076

South:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ 542
 ♦ AJ106
 ♣ AKJ83

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 194
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♦ W

North:
 ♠ A97
 ♥ J92
 ♦ A75
 ♣ K1093

South:
 ♠ J10854
 ♥ K5
 ♦ 4
 ♣ QJ654

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 195
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ A8754
 ♥ 83
 ♦ 8753
 ♣ QJ

South:
 ♠ K6
 ♥ 92
 ♦ AQ6
 ♣ K97654

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

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 191	♠ 7	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ832	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKQ105	
HCP: 14	♣ 94	You bid first.
Board: 192	♠ AK75	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 87	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 832	
HCP: 9	♣ Q852	Partner bids first.
Board: 193	♠ 5	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 542	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ106	
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ83	You bid first.
Board: 194	♠ J10854	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 4	
HCP: 7	♣ QJ654	Partner bids first.
Board: 195	♠ K6	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ6	
HCP: 12	♣ K97654	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 191
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥X S

North:
 ♠ J984
 ♥ K76
 ♦ J643
 ♣ A8

South:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ AJ832
 ♦ AKQ105
 ♣ 94

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 192
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 4♥X W

North:
 ♠ 43
 ♥ 64
 ♦ AQJ764
 ♣ AK10

South:
 ♠ AK75
 ♥ 87
 ♦ 832
 ♣ Q852

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 193
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♠ E

North:
 ♠ J63
 ♥ KQ9
 ♦ K752
 ♣ 1076

South:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ 542
 ♦ AJ106
 ♣ AKJ83

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 194
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♦ W

North:
 ♠ A97
 ♥ J92
 ♦ A75
 ♣ K1093

South:
 ♠ J10854
 ♥ K5
 ♦ 4
 ♣ QJ654

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 195
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ A8754
 ♥ 83
 ♦ 8753
 ♣ QJ

South:
 ♠ K6
 ♥ 92
 ♦ AQ6
 ♣ K97654

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

1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 196 ♠ K96
Dealer: N ♥ J96
Vul: NS ♦ AKQ1064
HCP: 13 ♣ 4

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 197 ♠ A64
Dealer: S ♥ 87
Vul: Both ♦ KJ875
HCP: 8 ♣ 1062

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 198 ♠ A1065
Dealer: N ♥ KQ82
Vul: None ♦ K102
HCP: 19 ♣ AK

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 2♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 199 ♠ J109
Dealer: S ♥ A842
Vul: EW ♦ 10863
HCP: 9 ♣ A7

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 200 ♠ AJ4
Dealer: N ♥ QJ1094
Vul: Both ♦ 7
HCP: 12 ♣ A632

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♥ W

North:

♠ K96

♥ J96

♦ AKQ1064

♣ 4

South:

♠ J3

♥ K32

♦ J85

♣ AJ985

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ Pass

3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 197

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♥ E

North:

♠ A64

♥ 87

♦ KJ875

♣ 1062

South:

♠ KQJ2

♥ K95

♦ 64

♣ A974

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 198

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A1065

♥ KQ82

♦ K102

♣ AK

South:

♠ 7

♥ 63

♦ AJ54

♣ QJ10986

West North East South

1♦ 2♦¹ X

2♥ 3NT AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 199

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ E

North:

♠ J109

♥ A842

♦ 10863

♣ A7

South:

♠ AK83

♥ J

♦ 97

♣ KJ9632

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 200

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ XN

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ QJ1094

♦ 7

♣ A632

South:

♠ KQ632

♥ A75

♦ K52

♣ 97

West North East South

1♥ 2NT¹ 3♣²

Pass 4♥ Pass Pass

X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 196	♠ J3	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K32	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J85	
HCP: 10	♣ AJ985	Partner bids first.
Board: 197	♠ KQJ2	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K95	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 64	
HCP: 13	♣ A974	You bid first.
Board: 198	♠ 7	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 63	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ54	
HCP: 8	♣ QJ10986	Partner bids first.
Board: 199	♠ AK83	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 97	
HCP: 12	♣ KJ9632	You bid first.
Board: 200	♠ KQ632	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A75	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K52	
HCP: 12	♣ 97	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ K96
 ♥ J96
 ♦ AKQ1064
 ♣ 4

South:
 ♠ J3
 ♥ K32
 ♦ J85
 ♣ AJ985

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 197
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ A64
 ♥ 87
 ♦ KJ875
 ♣ 1062

South:
 ♠ KQJ2
 ♥ K95
 ♦ 64
 ♣ A974

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 198
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 19
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A1065
 ♥ KQ82
 ♦ K102
 ♣ AK

South:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ 63
 ♦ AJ54
 ♣ QJ10986

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 199
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ J109
 ♥ A842
 ♦ 10863
 ♣ A7

South:
 ♠ AK83
 ♥ J
 ♦ 97
 ♣ KJ9632

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 200
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♥ X N

North:
 ♠ AJ4
 ♥ QJ1094
 ♦ 7
 ♣ A632

South:
 ♠ KQ632
 ♥ A75
 ♦ K52
 ♣ 97

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 201	♠ AJ942	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 94	
HCP: 11	♣ AQ103	Partner bids first.
Board: 202	♠ A982	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ A85	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K32	
Board: 203	♠ Q8	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ843	
Vul: None	♦ 54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ K1043	
Board: 204	♠ KQ85	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K42	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQ1073	
HCP: 17	♣ K	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 201
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♦X E

North:
♠ AJ942
♥ 65
♦ 94
♣ AQ103

South:
♠ KQ6
♥ AK84
♦ 85
♣ 7542

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 202
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ A982
♥ QJ5
♦ A85
♣ K32

South:
♠ 7
♥ AK64
♦ 63
♣ AJ9654

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

1. strength cue bid
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=0/5 or 3/5
5. no ♣ queen

Board: 203
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ Q8
♥ QJ843
♦ 54
♣ K1043

South:
♠ K65
♥ AK762
♦ 3
♣ AQ92

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥
3. Splinter

Board: 204
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♣X W

North:
♠ KQ85
♥ K42
♦ AQ1073
♣ K

South:
♠ A10932
♥ 10986
♦ K4
♣ A3

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	X
4♣	X	AP	

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 201	♠ KQ6	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK84	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 85	
HCP: 12	♣ 7542	You bid first.
Board: 202	♠ 7	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK64	
Vul: Both	♦ 63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ9654	
Board: 203	♠ K65	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK762	
Vul: None	♦ 3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ92	
Board: 204	♠ A10932	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10986	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ K4	
HCP: 11	♣ A3	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 201
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♦X E

North:
 ♠ AJ942
 ♥ 65
 ♦ 94
 ♣ AQ103

South:
 ♠ KQ6
 ♥ AK84
 ♦ 85
 ♣ 7542

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 202
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 6♣ N

North:
 ♠ A982
 ♥ QJ5
 ♦ A85
 ♣ K32

South:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ AK64
 ♦ 63
 ♣ AJ9654

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

1. strength cue bid
 2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
 5. no ♣ queen

Board: 203
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ Q8
 ♥ QJ843
 ♦ 54
 ♣ K1043

South:
 ♠ K65
 ♥ AK762
 ♦ 3
 ♣ AQ92

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♥
 3. Splinter

Board: 204
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 4♣X W

North:
 ♠ KQ85
 ♥ K42
 ♦ AQ1073
 ♣ K

South:
 ♠ A10932
 ♥ 10986
 ♦ K4
 ♣ A3

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2NT ¹	X
4♣	X	AP	

1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 205	♠ A3	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A96	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 542	
Board: 206	♠ K98	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ32	
Vul: EW	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ643	
Board: 207	♠ 8	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q753	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ	
HCP: 10	♣ A98765	Partner bids first.
Board: 208	♠ KQ652	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	West Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K62	
HCP: 12	♣ A973	You bid first.
Board: 209	♠ J108	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 7643	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 542	
HCP: 7	♣ AQ8	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♦ N

North:

♠ A3

♥ A96

♦ KQ764

♣ 542

South:

♠ QJ965

♥ J5

♦ AJ83

♣ K8

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹ 3♦ Pass 4♦

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 206

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K98

♥ KQJ32

♦ —

♣ KQ643

South:

♠ A10752

♥ A10854

♦ 976

♣ —

West North East South

1♥ 2NT¹ 4♣²

Pass 4♦³ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT⁴ Pass 5♠⁵

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 207

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ E

North:

♠ 8

♥ Q753

♦ KJ

♣ A98765

South:

♠ Q2

♥ 92

♦ A62

♣ KQJ1043

West North East South

1♣

2♣¹ 2♥² 4♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♣

Board: 208

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10

Contract: 5♦ X W

North:

♠ KQ652

♥ 6

♦ K62

♣ A973

South:

♠ A987

♥ K8743

♦ —

♣ K862

West North East South

1♠ 2NT¹ 4♦²

5♦ X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. Splinter

Board: 209

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♦ E

North:

♠ J108

♥ 7643

♦ 542

♣ AQ8

South:

♠ AK32

♥ A105

♦ J8

♣ 10765

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 3♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 205	♠ QJ965	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J5	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ83	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K8	
Board: 206	♠ A10752	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A10854	
Vul: EW	♦ 976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ —	
Board: 207	♠ Q2	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A62	
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ1043	You bid first.
Board: 208	♠ A987	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K8743	West Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ —	
HCP: 10	♣ K862	Partner bids first.
Board: 209	♠ AK32	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A105	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J8	
HCP: 12	♣ 10765	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♦ N

North:

♠ A3

♥ A96

♦ KQ764

♣ 542

South:

♠ QJ965

♥ J5

♦ AJ83

♣ K8

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹ 3♦ Pass 4♦

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 206

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K98

♥ KQJ32

♦ —

♣ KQ643

South:

♠ A10752

♥ A10854

♦ 976

♣ —

West North East South

1♥ 2NT¹ 4♣²

Pass 4♦³ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT⁴ Pass 5♠⁵

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 207

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ E

North:

♠ 8

♥ Q753

♦ KJ

♣ A98765

South:

♠ Q2

♥ 92

♦ A62

♣ KQJ1043

West North East South

1♣

2♣¹ 2♥² 4♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♣

Board: 208

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10

Contract: 5♦ X W

North:

♠ KQ652

♥ 6

♦ K62

♣ A973

South:

♠ A987

♥ K8743

♦ —

♣ K862

West North East South

1♠ 2NT¹ 4♦²

5♦ X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. Splinter

Board: 209

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♦ E

North:

♠ J108

♥ 7643

♦ 542

♣ AQ8

South:

♠ AK32

♥ A105

♦ J8

♣ 10765

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 3♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 210	♠ KQJ	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q973	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK754	
HCP: 15	♣ 10	You bid first.
Board: 211	♠ AJ64	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ52	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 95	
HCP: 15	♣ A82	Partner bids first.
Board: 212	♠ Q2	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ64	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q6	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ K10863	You bid first.
Board: 213	♠ KQJ743	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A53	East Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ K	
HCP: 17	♣ A104	Partner bids first.
Board: 214	♠ Q43	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ943	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J	
HCP: 13	♣ A842	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 210

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQJ

♥ Q973

♦ AK754

♣ 10

South:

♠ A102

♥ A54

♦ J1098

♣ K93

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ X

3♣ 3♥² Pass 3NT

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. strength cue bid

Board: 211

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AJ64

♥ AQ52

♦ 95

♣ A82

South:

♠ KQ108

♥ KJ10874

♦ 6

♣ K5

West North East South

1♥

2NT¹ 3♣² 4♦ 4♥

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 212

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♠ E

North:

♠ Q2

♥ AQ64

♦ Q6

♣ K10863

South:

♠ A64

♥ 83

♦ A10743

♣ 742

West North East South

1♣ 2♣¹ Pass

2♥ Pass 2♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 213

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ KQJ743

♥ A53

♦ K

♣ A104

South:

♠ A1098

♥ 82

♦ A6

♣ KJ986

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ 3♠ 5♦ 5♠

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 214

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ X N

North:

♠ Q43

♥ AQ943

♦ J

♣ A842

South:

♠ 62

♥ K62

♦ K865

♣ KQ53

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ 2♠²

Pass 4♥ Pass Pass

X AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 210	♠ A102	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A54	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J1098	
HCP: 12	♣ K93	Partner bids first.
Board: 211	♠ KQ108	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ10874	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 6	
HCP: 12	♣ K5	You bid first.
Board: 212	♠ A64	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 83	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A10743	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ 742	Partner bids first.
Board: 213	♠ A1098	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 82	East Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A6	
HCP: 12	♣ KJ986	You bid first.
Board: 214	♠ 62	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K62	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K865	
HCP: 11	♣ KQ53	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 210

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQJ

♥ Q973

♦ AK754

♣ 10

South:

♠ A102

♥ A54

♦ J1098

♣ K93

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ X

3♣ 3♥² Pass 3NT

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. strength cue bid

Board: 211

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AJ64

♥ AQ52

♦ 95

♣ A82

South:

♠ KQ108

♥ KJ10874

♦ 6

♣ K5

West North East South

1♥

2NT¹ 3♣² 4♦ 4♥

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 212

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♠ E

North:

♠ Q2

♥ AQ64

♦ Q6

♣ K10863

South:

♠ A64

♥ 83

♦ A10743

♣ 742

West North East South

1♣ 2♣¹ Pass

2♥ Pass 2♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 213

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ KQJ743

♥ A53

♦ K

♣ A104

South:

♠ A1098

♥ 82

♦ A6

♣ KJ986

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ 3♠ 5♦ 5♠

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 214

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ X N

North:

♠ Q43

♥ AQ943

♦ J

♣ A842

South:

♠ 62

♥ K62

♦ K865

♣ KQ53

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ 2♠²

Pass 4♥ Pass Pass

X AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 215	♠ J98	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ10763	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 98	
HCP: 7	♣ K4	Partner bids first.
Board: 216	♠ K	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ QJ9542	
HCP: 14	♣ A1084	You bid first.
Board: 217	♠ K9754	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K865	
Vul: EW	♦ K53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 2	
Board: 218	♠ 4	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ1083	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ532	
Board: 219	♠ AJ98765	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ —	East Bids 5♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 93	
HCP: 7	♣ Q754	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 215

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♦ E

North:

♠ J98

♥ QJ10763

♦ 98

♣ K4

South:

♠ KQ732

♥ A852

♦ K2

♣ 32

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ Pass 3♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 216

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4♥ W

North:

♠ K

♥ A4

♦ QJ9542

♣ A1084

South:

♠ J8543

♥ 63

♦ AK73

♣ 72

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹

Pass

4♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 217

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ K9754

♥ K865

♦ K53

♣ 2

South:

♠ A62

♥ AQJ43

♦ Q74

♣ 108

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ 2♠² Pass 4♥

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 218

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ 4

♥ 3

♦ AKQ1083

♣ KJ532

South:

♠ AKQJ

♥ A754

♦ J7652

♣ —

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹

3♣²

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♦

Board: 219

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♥ X E

North:

♠ AJ98765

♥ —

♦ 93

♣ Q754

South:

♠ 103

♥ A652

♦ 542

♣ AKJ8

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ 4♠ 5♥ X

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 215	♠ KQ732	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A852	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K2	
HCP: 12	♣ 32	You bid first.
Board: 216	♠ J8543	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 63	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK73	
HCP: 8	♣ 72	Partner bids first.
Board: 217	♠ A62	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ43	
Vul: EW	♦ Q74	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 108	
Board: 218	♠ AKQJ	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A754	
Vul: None	♦ J7652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	
Board: 219	♠ 103	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A652	East Bids 5♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 542	
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ8	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 215

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♦ E

North:

♠ J98

♥ QJ10763

♦ 98

♣ K4

South:

♠ KQ732

♥ A852

♦ K2

♣ 32

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ Pass 3♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 216

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4♥ W

North:

♠ K

♥ A4

♦ QJ9542

♣ A1084

South:

♠ J8543

♥ 63

♦ AK73

♣ 72

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹

Pass

4♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 217

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ K9754

♥ K865

♦ K53

♣ 2

South:

♠ A62

♥ AQJ43

♦ Q74

♣ 108

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ 2♠² Pass 4♥

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 218

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ 4

♥ 3

♦ AKQ1083

♣ KJ532

South:

♠ AKQJ

♥ A754

♦ J7652

♣ —

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹

3♣²

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♦

Board: 219

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♥ X E

North:

♠ AJ98765

♥ —

♦ 93

♣ Q754

South:

♠ 103

♥ A652

♦ 542

♣ AKJ8

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ 4♠ 5♥ X

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 220	♠ Q	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ10832	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K5	
HCP: 12	♣ J1097	You bid first.

Board: 221	♠ J62	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q642	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 6	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 10	♣ AK974	West Bids 5♠ if possible.
		Partner bids first.

Board: 222	♠ AQ753	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K962	
Vul: Both	♦ 96	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K5	

Board: 223	♠ 975	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: None	♦ AQ852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K1054	

Board: 224	♠ J1042	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ3	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ5	
HCP: 13	♣ 62	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 220

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ Q
♥ AQ10832
♦ K5
♣ J1097

South:

♠ A2
♥ K65
♦ 1082
♣ AQ842

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ 2♠²
3♣ 4♥ AP
1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 221

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♠ E

North:

♠ J62
♥ Q642
♦ 6
♣ AK974

South:

♠ 7
♥ AKJ973
♦ Q85
♣ Q102

West North East South

1♥
2♥¹ 2♠² 3♣ 4♥
4♣ Pass Pass 5♥
5♠ AP
1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 222

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ AQ753
♥ K962
♦ 96
♣ K5

South:

♠ KJ862
♥ 84
♦ AJ4
♣ 643

West North East South

1♠ 2NT¹ 3♣²
Pass 3♠ AP
1. Unusual 2NT
2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 223

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 975
♥ 5
♦ AQ852
♣ K1054

South:

♠ AK862
♥ QJ4
♦ K10974
♣ —

West North East South

1♠
2♠¹ 3♥² Pass 4♠
AP
1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 224

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3♥ W

North:

♠ J1042
♥ KQ3
♦ AQJ5
♣ 62

South:

♠ A96
♥ 974
♦ K107
♣ 10853

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ Pass
3♥ AP
1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 220
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 13

♠ A2
♥ K65
♦ 1082
♣ AQ842

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Partner bids first.

Board: 221
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
HCP: 12

♠ 7
♥ AKJ973
♦ Q85
♣ Q102

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.
West Bids 5♠ if possible.
You bid first.

Board: 222
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 9

♠ KJ862
♥ 84
♦ AJ4
♣ 643

East Bids 2NT if possible.
Partner bids first.

Board: 223
Dealer: S
Vul: None
HCP: 13

♠ AK862
♥ QJ4
♦ K10974
♣ —

West Bids 2♠ if possible.
You bid first.

Board: 224
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
HCP: 7

♠ A96
♥ 974
♦ K107
♣ 10853

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 220

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ Q
♥ AQ10832
♦ K5
♣ J1097

South:

♠ A2
♥ K65
♦ 1082
♣ AQ842

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ 2♠²
3♣ 4♥ AP
1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 221

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♠ E

North:

♠ J62
♥ Q642
♦ 6
♣ AK974

South:

♠ 7
♥ AKJ973
♦ Q85
♣ Q102

West North East South

1♥
2♥¹ 2♠² 3♣ 4♥
4♣ Pass Pass 5♥
5♠ AP
1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 222

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ AQ753
♥ K962
♦ 96
♣ K5

South:

♠ KJ862
♥ 84
♦ AJ4
♣ 643

West North East South

1♠ 2NT¹ 3♣²
Pass 3♠ AP
1. Unusual 2NT
2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 223

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 975
♥ 5
♦ AQ852
♣ K1054

South:

♠ AK862
♥ QJ4
♦ K10974
♣ —

West North East South

1♠
2♠¹ 3♥² Pass 4♠
AP
1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 224

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3♥ W

North:

♠ J1042
♥ KQ3
♦ AQJ5
♣ 62

South:

♠ A96
♥ 974
♦ K107
♣ 10853

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ Pass
3♥ AP
1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 225	♠ KQ98532	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ 65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A74	
Board: 226	♠ AQ4	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 743	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK107	
HCP: 13	♣ 653	You bid first.
Board: 227	♠ 9532	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 42	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ32	
HCP: 8	♣ A95	Partner bids first.
Board: 228	♠ AK6	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J1086	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 963	
HCP: 14	♣ AQ6	You bid first.
Board: 229	♠ AK1085	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K1053	East Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 8763	East Doubles 5♠ if possible.
HCP: 10	♣ —	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 225

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQ98532

♥ Q

♦ 65

♣ A74

South:

♠ AJ10

♥ J943

♦ AQ109

♣ J2

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹ 4♠ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 226

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4♣ X W

North:

♠ AQ4

♥ 743

♦ AK107

♣ 653

South:

♠ KJ10653

♥ AJ8

♦ J64

♣ 7

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ Pass

4♣ Pass Pass X

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 227

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ E

North:

♠ 9532

♥ 42

♦ KJ32

♣ A95

South:

♠ A86

♥ A8

♦ 854

♣ KJ874

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 4♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 228

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 4♣ N

North:

♠ AK6

♥ J1086

♦ 963

♣ AQ6

South:

♠ QJ8542

♥ 2

♦ 8

♣ KJ753

West North East South

1♣ 2NT¹ 3♣

Pass Pass 3♦ 4♣

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 229

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♠ X S

North:

♠ AK1085

♥ K1053

♦ 8763

♣ —

South:

♠ QJ743

♥ 872

♦ AQ

♣ K62

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ 4♣² Pass 4♦³

Pass 4♠ 5♣ X

Pass 5♠ X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 225	♠ AJ10	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J943	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ109	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J2	
Board: 226	♠ KJ10653	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ8	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J64	
HCP: 10	♣ 7	Partner bids first.
Board: 227	♠ A86	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 854	
HCP: 12	♣ KJ874	You bid first.
Board: 228	♠ QJ8542	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 8	
HCP: 7	♣ KJ753	Partner bids first.
Board: 229	♠ QJ743	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 872	East Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ	East Doubles 5♠ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ K62	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 225

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQ98532

♥ Q

♦ 65

♣ A74

South:

♠ AJ10

♥ J943

♦ AQ109

♣ J2

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹ 4♠ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 226

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4♣ X W

North:

♠ AQ4

♥ 743

♦ AK107

♣ 653

South:

♠ KJ10653

♥ AJ8

♦ J64

♣ 7

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹

Pass

4♣ Pass Pass X

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 227

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ E

North:

♠ 9532

♥ 42

♦ KJ32

♣ A95

South:

♠ A86

♥ A8

♦ 854

♣ KJ874

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 4♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 228

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 4♣ N

North:

♠ AK6

♥ J1086

♦ 963

♣ AQ6

South:

♠ QJ8542

♥ 2

♦ 8

♣ KJ753

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹

3♣

Pass Pass 3♦ 4♣

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 229

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♠ X S

North:

♠ AK1085

♥ K1053

♦ 8763

♣ —

South:

♠ QJ743

♥ 872

♦ AQ

♣ K62

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ 4♣² Pass 4♦³

Pass 4♠ 5♣ X

Pass 5♠ X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 230	♠ 5	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K73	
Vul: Both	♦ K94	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK10952	
Board: 231	♠ K92	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 643	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 964	
HCP: 7	♣ A1054	Partner bids first.
Board: 232	♠ KQ3	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ1092	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K43	
HCP: 15	♣ 2	You bid first.
Board: 233	♠ 1042	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 873	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ95	Partner bids first.
Board: 234	♠ KJ1098	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A742	
Vul: EW	♦ 5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A65	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 230

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 5

♥ K73

♦ K94

♣ AK10952

South:

♠ AK9

♥ AQ85

♦ 852

♣ J84

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

Board: 231

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ E

North:

♠ K92

♥ 643

♦ 964

♣ A1054

South:

♠ A843

♥ J

♦ AK852

♣ 983

West	North	East	South
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1♦

2NT ¹	Pass	3♥	AP
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1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 232

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♣X W

North:

♠ KQ3

♥ AQJ1092

♦ K43

♣ 2

South:

♠ 10986

♥ K653

♦ A8

♣ A53

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
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5♣	X	AP	
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1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 233

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠X E

North:

♠ 1042

♥ A9

♦ 873

♣ AKJ95

South:

♠ K5

♥ KQJ10532

♦ J6

♣ Q8

West	North	East	South
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1♥

2♥ ¹	Pass	3♠	Pass
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4♠	X	AP	
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1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 234

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ KJ1098

♥ A742

♦ 5

♣ A65

South:

♠ A754

♥ 6

♦ AK87642

♣ Q

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. no ♠ queen

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 230	♠ AK9	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ85	
Vul: Both	♦ 852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J84	
Board: 231	♠ A843	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK852	
HCP: 12	♣ 983	You bid first.
Board: 232	♠ 10986	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K653	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A8	
HCP: 11	♣ A53	Partner bids first.
Board: 233	♠ K5	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ10532	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J6	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ Q8	You bid first.
Board: 234	♠ A754	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: EW	♦ AK87642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 230

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 5

♥ K73

♦ K94

♣ AK10952

South:

♠ AK9

♥ AQ85

♦ 852

♣ J84

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

Board: 231

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ E

North:

♠ K92

♥ 643

♦ 964

♣ A1054

South:

♠ A843

♥ J

♦ AK852

♣ 983

West	North	East	South
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1♦

2NT ¹	Pass	3♥	AP
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1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 232

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♣X W

North:

♠ KQ3

♥ AQJ1092

♦ K43

♣ 2

South:

♠ 10986

♥ K653

♦ A8

♣ A53

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
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5♣	X	AP	
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1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 233

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠X E

North:

♠ 1042

♥ A9

♦ 873

♣ AKJ95

South:

♠ K5

♥ KQJ10532

♦ J6

♣ Q8

West	North	East	South
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1♥

2♥ ¹	Pass	3♠	Pass
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4♠	X	AP	
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1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 234

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ KJ1098

♥ A742

♦ 5

♣ A65

South:

♠ A754

♥ 6

♦ AK87642

♣ Q

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. no ♠ queen

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 235	♠ QJ54	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ964	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A95	
HCP: 10	♣ 4	Partner bids first.
Board: 236	♠ AQ92	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 975	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ109	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ 7	You bid first.
Board: 237	♠ KQJ2	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K83	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J93	
HCP: 11	♣ J98	Partner bids first.
Board: 238	♠ K1074	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ —	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A96	
HCP: 12	♣ KQ10762	You bid first.
Board: 239	♠ J932	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 632	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ QJ92	East Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 7	♣ QJ	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 235

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ QJ54

♥ QJ964

♦ A95

♣ 4

South:

♠ AK1063

♥ AK732

♦ 3

♣ 87

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ 3♣² 4♣ 4♠

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 236

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ92

♥ 975

♦ KQJ109

♣ 7

South:

♠ KJ103

♥ J10

♦ A732

♣ KJ3

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ X

3♥ Pass Pass 3♠

Pass 4♣² 4♥ 4♠

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 237

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ KQJ2

♥ K83

♦ J93

♣ J98

South:

♠ 863

♥ A95

♦ —

♣ AKQ10752

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 4♦ 5♣

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 238

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ X W

North:

♠ K1074

♥ —

♦ A96

♣ KQ10762

South:

♠ AQ98

♥ 943

♦ J7

♣ AJ94

West North East South

1♣ 2NT¹ X

4♥ Pass Pass X

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 239

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♦ X S

North:

♠ J932

♥ 632

♦ QJ92

♣ QJ

South:

♠ 7

♥ 84

♦ AK1054

♣ AK953

West North East South

1♦

2♦¹ X 3♠ 5♦

Pass Pass X AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 235 ♠ AK1063
Dealer: S ♥ AK732
Vul: None ♦ 3
HCP: 14 ♣ 87

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 236 ♠ KJ103
Dealer: N ♥ J10
Vul: NS ♦ A732
HCP: 13 ♣ KJ3

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 237 ♠ 863
Dealer: S ♥ A95
Vul: Both ♦ —
HCP: 13 ♣ AKQ10752

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 238 ♠ AQ98
Dealer: N ♥ 943
Vul: None ♦ J7
HCP: 12 ♣ AJ94

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 239 ♠ 7
Dealer: S ♥ 84
Vul: NS ♦ AK1054
HCP: 14 ♣ AK953

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 235

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ QJ54

♥ QJ964

♦ A95

♣ 4

South:

♠ AK1063

♥ AK732

♦ 3

♣ 87

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ 3♣² 4♣ 4♠

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 236

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ92

♥ 975

♦ KQJ109

♣ 7

South:

♠ KJ103

♥ J10

♦ A732

♣ KJ3

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ X

3♥ Pass Pass 3♠

Pass 4♣² 4♥ 4♠

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 237

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ KQJ2

♥ K83

♦ J93

♣ J98

South:

♠ 863

♥ A95

♦ —

♣ AKQ10752

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 4♦ 5♣

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 238

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ X W

North:

♠ K1074

♥ —

♦ A96

♣ KQ10762

South:

♠ AQ98

♥ 943

♦ J7

♣ AJ94

West North East South

1♣ 2NT¹ X

4♥ Pass Pass X

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 239

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♦ X S

North:

♠ J932

♥ 632

♦ QJ92

♣ QJ

South:

♠ 7

♥ 84

♦ AK1054

♣ AK953

West North East South

1♦

2♦¹ X 3♠ 5♦

Pass Pass X AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 240 ♠ J3
Dealer: N ♥ KQ107543
Vul: None ♦ A
HCP: 12 ♣ Q84

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 241 ♠ 2
Dealer: S ♥ Q1092
Vul: NS ♦ 432
HCP: 8 ♣ AQ965

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 242 ♠ Q74
Dealer: N ♥ 87
Vul: EW ♦ AQ1054
HCP: 14 ♣ AQ2

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 243 ♠ Q5
Dealer: S ♥ K4
Vul: Both ♦ Q102
HCP: 12 ♣ AJ6543

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 244 ♠ AQJ105
Dealer: N ♥ K954
Vul: NS ♦ K5
HCP: 13 ♣ 83

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 240
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠X W

North:
 ♠ J3
 ♥ KQ107543
 ♦ A
 ♣ Q84

South:
 ♠ 752
 ♥ 6
 ♦ 1076
 ♣ AK10952

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
3♠	4♥	4♠	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 241
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ E

North:
 ♠ 2
 ♥ Q1092
 ♦ 432
 ♣ AQ965

South:
 ♠ K3
 ♥ 8
 ♦ KQ1075
 ♣ KJ1072

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	4♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 242
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ Q74
 ♥ 87
 ♦ AQ1054
 ♣ AQ2

South:
 ♠ A1032
 ♥ Q3
 ♦ K8632
 ♣ 43

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♥	3♦
AP			

Board: 243
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♠ E

North:
 ♠ Q5
 ♥ K4
 ♦ Q102
 ♣ AJ6543

South:
 ♠ 6
 ♥ A65
 ♦ AK986
 ♣ Q1082

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	4♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 244
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ AQJ105
 ♥ K954
 ♦ K5
 ♣ 83

South:
 ♠ K94
 ♥ Q873
 ♦ A6
 ♣ K1072

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
4♦	4♠	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 240 ♠ 752
Dealer: N ♥ 6
Vul: None ♦ 1076
HCP: 7 ♣ AK10952

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 241 ♠ K3
Dealer: S ♥ 8
Vul: NS ♦ KQ1075
HCP: 12 ♣ KJ1072

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 242 ♠ A1032
Dealer: N ♥ Q3
Vul: EW ♦ K8632
HCP: 9 ♣ 43

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 243 ♠ 6
Dealer: S ♥ A65
Vul: Both ♦ AK986
HCP: 13 ♣ Q1082

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 244 ♠ K94
Dealer: N ♥ Q873
Vul: NS ♦ A6
HCP: 12 ♣ K1072

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 240
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠X W

North:
 ♠ J3
 ♥ KQ107543
 ♦ A
 ♣ Q84

South:
 ♠ 752
 ♥ 6
 ♦ 1076
 ♣ AK10952

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
3♠	4♥	4♠	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 241
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ E

North:
 ♠ 2
 ♥ Q1092
 ♦ 432
 ♣ AQ965

South:
 ♠ K3
 ♥ 8
 ♦ KQ1075
 ♣ KJ1072

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	4♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 242
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ Q74
 ♥ 87
 ♦ AQ1054
 ♣ AQ2

South:
 ♠ A1032
 ♥ Q3
 ♦ K8632
 ♣ 43

West	North	East	South
	1♦	2♥	3♦
AP			

Board: 243
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♠ E

North:
 ♠ Q5
 ♥ K4
 ♦ Q102
 ♣ AJ6543

South:
 ♠ 6
 ♥ A65
 ♦ AK986
 ♣ Q1082

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	Pass	4♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 244
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ AQJ105
 ♥ K954
 ♦ K5
 ♣ 83

South:
 ♠ K94
 ♥ Q873
 ♦ A6
 ♣ K1072

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
4♦	4♠	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 245 ♠ 87
Dealer: S ♥ 9874
Vul: Both ♦ K7
HCP: 7 ♣ A9852

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 2♠ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.
East Doubles 5♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 246 ♠ 3
Dealer: N ♥ 82
Vul: None ♦ AKQ985
HCP: 13 ♣ KJ106

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 247 ♠ J109
Dealer: S ♥ 6
Vul: None ♦ J42
HCP: 11 ♣ AKQ1054

West Bids 2NT if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 248 ♠ Q8
Dealer: N ♥ A765
Vul: NS ♦ K1096
HCP: 13 ♣ A93

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 249 ♠ K5
Dealer: S ♥ 10642
Vul: Both ♦ 97652
HCP: 7 ♣ A4

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 245
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 5♥X S

North:
 ♠ 87
 ♥ 9874
 ♦ K7
 ♣ A9852

South:
 ♠ A4
 ♥ AKQ632
 ♦ 853
 ♣ 76

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 246
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ 3
 ♥ 82
 ♦ AKQ985
 ♣ KJ106

South:
 ♠ 109765
 ♥ K74
 ♦ 642
 ♣ A9

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 247
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♣X S

North:
 ♠ J109
 ♥ 6
 ♦ J42
 ♣ AKQ1054

South:
 ♠ KQ74
 ♥ K32
 ♦ K85
 ♣ J87

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	5♣	Pass	Pass
X	AP		

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 248
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ Q8
 ♥ A765
 ♦ K1096
 ♣ A93

South:
 ♠ K974
 ♥ 83
 ♦ QJ7
 ♣ Q876

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 249
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 2♠ E

North:
 ♠ K5
 ♥ 10642
 ♦ 97652
 ♣ A4

South:
 ♠ J97
 ♥ A73
 ♦ A104
 ♣ K1095

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 245 ♠ A4
Dealer: S ♥ AKQ632
Vul: Both ♦ 853
HCP: 13 ♣ 76

West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 2♠ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.
East Doubles 5♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 246 ♠ 109765
Dealer: N ♥ K74
Vul: None ♦ 642
HCP: 7 ♣ A9

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 247 ♠ KQ74
Dealer: S ♥ K32
Vul: None ♦ K85
HCP: 12 ♣ J87

West Bids 2NT if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 248 ♠ K974
Dealer: N ♥ 83
Vul: NS ♦ QJ7
HCP: 8 ♣ Q876

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 249 ♠ J97
Dealer: S ♥ A73
Vul: Both ♦ A104
HCP: 12 ♣ K1095

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 245
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 5♥X S

North:
 ♠ 87
 ♥ 9874
 ♦ K7
 ♣ A9852

South:
 ♠ A4
 ♥ AKQ632
 ♦ 853
 ♣ 76

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 246
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ 3
 ♥ 82
 ♦ AKQ985
 ♣ KJ106

South:
 ♠ 109765
 ♥ K74
 ♦ 642
 ♣ A9

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 247
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♣X S

North:
 ♠ J109
 ♥ 6
 ♦ J42
 ♣ AKQ1054

South:
 ♠ KQ74
 ♥ K32
 ♦ K85
 ♣ J87

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	5♣	Pass	Pass
X	AP		

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 248
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ Q8
 ♥ A765
 ♦ K1096
 ♣ A93

South:
 ♠ K974
 ♥ 83
 ♦ QJ7
 ♣ Q876

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 249
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 2♠ E

North:
 ♠ K5
 ♥ 10642
 ♦ 97652
 ♣ A4

South:
 ♠ J97
 ♥ A73
 ♦ A104
 ♣ K1095

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 250
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
HCP: 12

♠ A2
♥ Q108432
♦ —
♣ AQ852

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 251
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
HCP: 9

♠ J982
♥ Q7652
♦ 5
♣ KQJ

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 252
Dealer: N
Vul: None
HCP: 14

♠ 4
♥ AK10952
♦ K
♣ KJ875

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 253
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
HCP: 7

♠ 86
♥ 75
♦ AJ852
♣ Q975

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 254
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 13

♠ A97
♥ 74
♦ AKQ842
♣ 107

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.
West Bids 5♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 250	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A2	♠ 9763		1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ Q108432	♥ A5		2NT ²	Pass	3♦ AP
North HCP: 12	♦ —	♦ K8542		1. Michaels Cuebid		
South HCP: 8	♣ AQ852	♣ J7		2. to the partner's longer		
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J982	♠ KQ7				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ Q7652	♥ J3		2NT ¹	Pass	3♦ AP
North HCP: 9	♦ 5	♦ K74		1. Unusual 2NT		
South HCP: 13	♣ KQJ	♣ A9763				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 4	♠ A10872		1♥	2♥ ¹	4♥
Vul: None	♥ AK10952	♥ J864		AP		
North HCP: 14	♦ K	♦ 873		1. Michaels Cuebid		
South HCP: 7	♣ KJ875	♣ Q				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 253	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 86	♠ KJ97				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 75	♥ K842		2NT ¹	Pass	3♥ AP
North HCP: 7	♦ AJ852	♦ KQ7		1. Unusual 2NT		
South HCP: 12	♣ Q975	♣ 42				
Contract: 3♥ E						

Board: 254	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A97	♠ 4		1♦	2♣	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ 74	♥ K953		Pass	3♦	3♠ Pass
North HCP: 13	♦ AKQ842	♦ J1065		4♠	5♦	Pass Pass
South HCP: 8	♣ 107	♣ A962		5♠	AP	
Contract: 5♠ E						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 250 ♠ 9763
Dealer: N ♥ A5
Vul: NS ♦ K8542
HCP: 8 ♣ J7

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 251 ♠ KQ7
Dealer: S ♥ J3
Vul: EW ♦ K74
HCP: 13 ♣ A9763

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 252 ♠ A10872
Dealer: N ♥ J864
Vul: None ♦ 873
HCP: 7 ♣ Q

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 253 ♠ KJ97
Dealer: S ♥ K842
Vul: NS ♦ KQ7
HCP: 12 ♣ 42

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 254 ♠ 4
Dealer: N ♥ K953
Vul: Both ♦ J1065
HCP: 8 ♣ A962

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.
West Bids 5♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 250	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A2	♠ 9763		1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ Q108432	♥ A5		2NT ²	Pass	3♦ AP
North HCP: 12	♦ —	♦ K8542		1. Michaels Cuebid		
South HCP: 8	♣ AQ852	♣ J7		2. to the partner's longer		
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J982	♠ KQ7				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ Q7652	♥ J3		2NT ¹	Pass	3♦ AP
North HCP: 9	♦ 5	♦ K74		1. Unusual 2NT		
South HCP: 13	♣ KQJ	♣ A9763				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 4	♠ A10872		1♥	2♥ ¹	4♥
Vul: None	♥ AK10952	♥ J864		AP		
North HCP: 14	♦ K	♦ 873		1. Michaels Cuebid		
South HCP: 7	♣ KJ875	♣ Q				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 253	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 86	♠ KJ97				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 75	♥ K842		2NT ¹	Pass	3♥ AP
North HCP: 7	♦ AJ852	♦ KQ7		1. Unusual 2NT		
South HCP: 12	♣ Q975	♣ 42				
Contract: 3♥ E						

Board: 254	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A97	♠ 4		1♦	2♣	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ 74	♥ K953		Pass	3♦	3♠ Pass
North HCP: 13	♦ AKQ842	♦ J1065		4♠	5♦	Pass Pass
South HCP: 8	♣ 107	♣ A962		5♠	AP	
Contract: 5♠ E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 255	♠ KQ9743	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K54	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ Q104	
HCP: 10	♣ 4	Partner bids first.
Board: 256	♠ 95	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ986	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ6	
HCP: 12	♣ J72	You bid first.
Board: 257	♠ Q97532	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ AJ6532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ —	
Board: 258	♠ 7	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ109543	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ —	
HCP: 14	♣ KQ75	You bid first.
Board: 259	♠ —	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ98764	
HCP: 7	♣ 9873	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 255

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ KQ9743

♥ K54

♦ Q104

♣ 4

South:

♠ A5

♥ 87

♦ AK987632

♣ A

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹ Pass 3♥ 4♦

Pass 4♥² Pass 5♦

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♦

Board: 256

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♠X W

North:

♠ 95

♥ AQ986

♦ AJ6

♣ J72

South:

♠ Q4

♥ KJ7

♦ K10753

♣ 964

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ X

4♠ Pass Pass X

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 257

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♦ S

North:

♠ Q97532

♥ 3

♦ AJ6532

♣ —

South:

♠ A6

♥ QJ54

♦ K1097

♣ A63

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹ 4♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 258

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 7

♥ AKQ109543

♦ —

♣ KQ75

South:

♠ AQ632

♥ J7

♦ 8732

♣ 93

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ Pass

2NT² 4♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

Board: 259

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ E

North:

♠ —

♥ 8

♦ AQJ98764

♣ 9873

South:

♠ A5

♥ AQJ1075

♦ 5

♣ AJ64

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ Pass 4♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 255	♠ A5	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 87	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AK987632	
HCP: 15	♣ A	You bid first.
Board: 256	♠ Q4	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ7	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K10753	
HCP: 9	♣ 964	Partner bids first.
Board: 257	♠ A6	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ54	
Vul: None	♦ K1097	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A63	
Board: 258	♠ AQ632	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J7	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 8732	
HCP: 7	♣ 93	Partner bids first.
Board: 259	♠ A5	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ1075	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 5	
HCP: 16	♣ AJ64	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 255

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ KQ9743

♥ K54

♦ Q104

♣ 4

South:

♠ A5

♥ 87

♦ AK987632

♣ A

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹ Pass 3♥ 4♦

Pass 4♥² Pass 5♦

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♦

Board: 256

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♠X W

North:

♠ 95

♥ AQ986

♦ AJ6

♣ J72

South:

♠ Q4

♥ KJ7

♦ K10753

♣ 964

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ X

4♠ Pass Pass X

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 257

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♦ S

North:

♠ Q97532

♥ 3

♦ AJ6532

♣ —

South:

♠ A6

♥ QJ54

♦ K1097

♣ A63

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹ 4♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 258

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 7

♥ AKQ109543

♦ —

♣ KQ75

South:

♠ AQ632

♥ J7

♦ 8732

♣ 93

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ Pass

2NT² 4♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

Board: 259

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ E

North:

♠ —

♥ 8

♦ AQJ98764

♣ 9873

South:

♠ A5

♥ AQJ1075

♦ 5

♣ AJ64

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ Pass 4♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 260	♠ K5	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 874	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 742	

Board: 261	♠ KJ85	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 854	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ108	

Board: 262	♠ —	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q843	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A1054	
HCP: 13	♣ AK762	You bid first.

Board: 263	♠ Q10842	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 7542	
HCP: 9	♣ K84	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 260

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ K5

♥ 874

♦ AKQJ2

♣ 742

South:

♠ 8

♥ AKQJ9

♦ 9874

♣ AJ8

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

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
5. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 261

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ KJ85

♥ 854

♦ A

♣ KQJ108

South:

♠ AQ962

♥ Q9

♦ 762

♣ A53

West	North	East	South
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			1♠
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2♣ ¹	3♥ ²	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 262

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4♠ W

North:

♠ —

♥ Q843

♦ A1054

♣ AK762

South:

♠ J1095

♥ 7

♦ KJ92

♣ QJ108

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	2♣ ¹	X
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4♠	AP		
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1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 263

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♥ E

North:

♠ Q10842

♥ A

♦ 7542

♣ K84

South:

♠ A53

♥ 975

♦ AQJ6

♣ Q63

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 260	♠ 8	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ9	
Vul: NS	♦ 9874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ8	

Board: 261	♠ AQ962	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9	
Vul: None	♦ 762	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A53	

Board: 262	♠ J1095	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ92	
HCP: 8	♣ QJ108	Partner bids first.

Board: 263	♠ A53	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 975	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ6	
HCP: 13	♣ Q63	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 260

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ K5

♥ 874

♦ AKQJ2

♣ 742

South:

♠ 8

♥ AKQJ9

♦ 9874

♣ AJ8

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

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
5. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 261

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ KJ85

♥ 854

♦ A

♣ KQJ108

South:

♠ AQ962

♥ Q9

♦ 762

♣ A53

West	North	East	South
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			1♠
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2♣ ¹	3♥ ²	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 262

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4♠ W

North:

♠ —

♥ Q843

♦ A1054

♣ AK762

South:

♠ J1095

♥ 7

♦ KJ92

♣ QJ108

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	2♣ ¹	X
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4♠	AP		
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1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 263

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♥ E

North:

♠ Q10842

♥ A

♦ 7542

♣ K84

South:

♠ A53

♥ 975

♦ AQJ6

♣ Q63

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 264	♠ K75	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1054	West Doubles 6♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q10	
HCP: 14	♣ Q63	You bid first.
Board: 265	♠ A1053	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K94	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 863	
HCP: 11	♣ KJ3	Partner bids first.
Board: 266	♠ 9872	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q64	
HCP: 12	♣ AQ65	You bid first.
Board: 267	♠ AJ72	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K983	
Vul: None	♦ K6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 832	
Board: 268	♠ KJ974	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ —	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K103	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ754	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 264
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 6♥X N

North:
♠ K75
♥ AK1054
♦ Q10
♣ Q63

South:
♠ A96
♥ J973
♦ AJ7653
♣ —

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 265
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♥ E

North:
♠ A1053
♥ K94
♦ 863
♣ KJ3

South:
♠ KQ2
♥ 87
♦ AQ4
♣ Q10974

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 266
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ W

North:
♠ 9872
♥ A3
♦ Q64
♣ AQ65

South:
♠ AKQ1043
♥ J5
♦ 532
♣ 87

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	X
4♥	AP		

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 267
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♠ S

North:
♠ AJ72
♥ K983
♦ K6
♣ 832

South:
♠ KQ1095
♥ Q2
♦ Q
♣ K9765

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 268
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♠X N

North:
♠ KJ974
♥ —
♦ K103
♣ KQ754

South:
♠ AQ8
♥ 76
♦ AQJ986
♣ 82

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♠

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 264	♠ A96	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J973	West Doubles 6♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ7653	
HCP: 10	♣ —	Partner bids first.
Board: 265	♠ KQ2	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 87	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQ4	
HCP: 13	♣ Q10974	You bid first.
Board: 266	♠ AKQ1043	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 532	
HCP: 10	♣ 87	Partner bids first.
Board: 267	♠ KQ1095	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: None	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K9765	
Board: 268	♠ AQ8	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 76	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ986	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ 82	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 264
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 6♥X N

North:
♠ K75
♥ AK1054
♦ Q10
♣ Q63

South:
♠ A96
♥ J973
♦ AJ7653
♣ —

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♥
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 265
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♥ E

North:
♠ A1053
♥ K94
♦ 863
♣ KJ3

South:
♠ KQ2
♥ 87
♦ AQ4
♣ Q10974

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 266
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ W

North:
♠ 9872
♥ A3
♦ Q64
♣ AQ65

South:
♠ AKQ1043
♥ J5
♦ 532
♣ 87

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	X
4♥	AP		

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 267
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♠ S

North:
♠ AJ72
♥ K983
♦ K6
♣ 832

South:
♠ KQ1095
♥ Q2
♦ Q
♣ K9765

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 268
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♠X N

North:
♠ KJ974
♥ —
♦ K103
♣ KQ754

South:
♠ AQ8
♥ 76
♦ AQJ986
♣ 82

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♠

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 269 ♠ J
Dealer: S ♥ K8
Vul: Both ♦ 1076
HCP: 12 ♣ AKJ10762

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 270 ♠ A8
Dealer: N ♥ K987
Vul: NS ♦ J54
HCP: 13 ♣ KQ103

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 2♠ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 271 ♠ J8
Dealer: S ♥ A762
Vul: None ♦ J95
HCP: 7 ♣ J852

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 272 ♠ 4
Dealer: N ♥ AKQJ987
Vul: NS ♦ J2
HCP: 13 ♣ Q83

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 273 ♠ J87
Dealer: S ♥ 6
Vul: EW ♦ KQ10642
HCP: 10 ♣ A93

West Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 269
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♥X E

North:
 ♠ J
 ♥ K8
 ♦ 1076
 ♣ AKJ10762

South:
 ♠ A76
 ♥ J6
 ♦ AQ54
 ♣ Q943

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	3♣	4♥	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 270
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 4♠ E

North:
 ♠ A8
 ♥ K987
 ♦ J54
 ♣ KQ103

South:
 ♠ 53
 ♥ A3
 ♦ A1093
 ♣ J8742

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	X
2♥	Pass	2♠	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 271
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♦ E

North:
 ♠ J8
 ♥ A762
 ♦ J95
 ♣ J852

South:
 ♠ A1074
 ♥ J53
 ♦ 862
 ♣ AK4

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

Board: 272
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 5♥ N

North:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ AKQJ987
 ♦ J2
 ♣ Q83

South:
 ♠ 632
 ♥ 54
 ♦ K4
 ♣ AKJ952

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
3♠	Pass	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♥	4♠	Pass
Pass	5♥	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 273
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♠ S

North:
 ♠ J87
 ♥ 6
 ♦ KQ10642
 ♣ A93

South:
 ♠ AQ1054
 ♥ Q72
 ♦ A973
 ♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	3♥ ²	Pass	3♠
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 269 ♠ A76
Dealer: S ♥ J6
Vul: Both ♦ AQ54
HCP: 13 ♣ Q943

West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 270 ♠ 53
Dealer: N ♥ A3
Vul: NS ♦ A1093
HCP: 9 ♣ J8742

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 2♠ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 271 ♠ A1074
Dealer: S ♥ J53
Vul: None ♦ 862
HCP: 12 ♣ AK4

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 272 ♠ 632
Dealer: N ♥ 54
Vul: NS ♦ K4
HCP: 11 ♣ AKJ952

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 273 ♠ AQ1054
Dealer: S ♥ Q72
Vul: EW ♦ A973
HCP: 12 ♣ 7

West Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 269
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♥X E

North:
 ♠ J
 ♥ K8
 ♦ 1076
 ♣ AKJ10762

South:
 ♠ A76
 ♥ J6
 ♦ AQ54
 ♣ Q943

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2♦ ¹	3♣	4♥	X
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 270
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 4♠ E

North:
 ♠ A8
 ♥ K987
 ♦ J54
 ♣ KQ103

South:
 ♠ 53
 ♥ A3
 ♦ A1093
 ♣ J8742

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	X
2♥	Pass	2♠	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♠	AP
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 271
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♦ E

North:
 ♠ J8
 ♥ A762
 ♦ J95
 ♣ J852

South:
 ♠ A1074
 ♥ J53
 ♦ 862
 ♣ AK4

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

Board: 272
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 5♥ N

North:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ AKQJ987
 ♦ J2
 ♣ Q83

South:
 ♠ 632
 ♥ 54
 ♦ K4
 ♣ AKJ952

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass
3♠	Pass	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♥	4♠	Pass
Pass	5♥	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 273
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♠ S

North:
 ♠ J87
 ♥ 6
 ♦ KQ10642
 ♣ A93

South:
 ♠ AQ1054
 ♥ Q72
 ♦ A973
 ♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	3♥ ²	Pass	3♠
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 274 ♠ J874
Dealer: N ♥ J3
Vul: None ♦ AQ1084
HCP: 12 ♣ A3

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.
West Bids 5♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 275 ♠ K75
Dealer: S ♥ 94
Vul: NS ♦ 932
HCP: 7 ♣ A8754

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 276 ♠ K73
Dealer: N ♥ A64
Vul: EW ♦ AK7654
HCP: 14 ♣ 2

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 277 ♠ J1097542
Dealer: S ♥ 74
Vul: Both ♦ KQJ7
HCP: 7 ♣ —

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 278 ♠ J96
Dealer: N ♥ A754
Vul: NS ♦ A932
HCP: 13 ♣ A5

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 274
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 5♥X W

North:
 ♠ J874
 ♥ J3
 ♦ AQ1084
 ♣ A3

South:
 ♠ AKQ9
 ♥ 64
 ♦ 97653
 ♣ 84

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 275
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♥ E

North:
 ♠ K75
 ♥ 94
 ♦ 932
 ♣ A8754

South:
 ♠ Q1063
 ♥ 83
 ♦ AQ7
 ♣ KQ63

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 276
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ K73
 ♥ A64
 ♦ AK7654
 ♣ 2

South:
 ♠ QJ105
 ♥ 872
 ♦ Q102
 ♣ K94

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 277
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ J1097542
 ♥ 74
 ♦ KQJ7
 ♣ —

South:
 ♠ A
 ♥ A952
 ♦ A983
 ♣ 10942

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 278
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 5♦X N

North:
 ♠ J96
 ♥ A754
 ♦ A932
 ♣ A5

South:
 ♠ A83
 ♥ 9
 ♦ QJ10754
 ♣ Q92

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♦

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 274 ♠ AKQ9
Dealer: N ♥ 64
Vul: None ♦ 97653
HCP: 9 ♣ 84

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.
West Bids 5♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 275 ♠ Q1063
Dealer: S ♥ 83
Vul: NS ♦ AQ7
HCP: 13 ♣ KQ63

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 276 ♠ QJ105
Dealer: N ♥ 872
Vul: EW ♦ Q102
HCP: 8 ♣ K94

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 277 ♠ A
Dealer: S ♥ A952
Vul: Both ♦ A983
HCP: 12 ♣ 10942

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 278 ♠ A83
Dealer: N ♥ 9
Vul: NS ♦ QJ10754
HCP: 9 ♣ Q92

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 274
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 5♥X W

North:
 ♠ J874
 ♥ J3
 ♦ AQ1084
 ♣ A3

South:
 ♠ AKQ9
 ♥ 64
 ♦ 97653
 ♣ 84

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 275
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♥ E

North:
 ♠ K75
 ♥ 94
 ♦ 932
 ♣ A8754

South:
 ♠ Q1063
 ♥ 83
 ♦ AQ7
 ♣ KQ63

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 276
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ K73
 ♥ A64
 ♦ AK7654
 ♣ 2

South:
 ♠ QJ105
 ♥ 872
 ♦ Q102
 ♣ K94

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 277
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ J1097542
 ♥ 74
 ♦ KQJ7
 ♣ —

South:
 ♠ A
 ♥ A952
 ♦ A983
 ♣ 10942

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 278
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 5♦X N

North:
 ♠ J96
 ♥ A754
 ♦ A932
 ♣ A5

South:
 ♠ A83
 ♥ 9
 ♦ QJ10754
 ♣ Q92

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♦

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 279	♠ KQ653	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 10953	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A72	
HCP: 9	♣ 2	Partner bids first.
Board: 280	♠ A8	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10853	
Vul: None	♦ J3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ4	
Board: 281	♠ K107632	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A52	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 7	West Bids 5♥ if possible.
HCP: 7	♣ 1074	Partner bids first.
Board: 282	♠ Q83	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK96	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 7	
HCP: 14	♣ KQ975	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ KQ653

♥ 10953

♦ A72

♣ 2

South:

♠ J974

♥ AKQJ42

♦ 5

♣ A8

West North East South

1♥

2NT¹ 3♣² 4♣ 4NT³

Pass 5♦⁴ Pass 5♥

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♥

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♥ N

North:

♠ A8

♥ QJ10853

♦ J3

♣ AJ4

South:

♠ 63

♥ A2

♦ A7

♣ KQ109872

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹

3♣

Pass 3♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 281

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♥ E

North:

♠ K107632

♥ A52

♦ 7

♣ 1074

South:

♠ J4

♥ —

♦ Q108

♣ AKQJ9853

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 4♥ 5♣

5♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 282

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 4♥ W

North:

♠ Q83

♥ AK96

♦ 7

♣ KQ975

South:

♠ KJ742

♥ —

♦ Q10852

♣ J83

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹

Pass

4♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 279	♠ J974	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ42	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 5	
HCP: 15	♣ A8	You bid first.
Board: 280	♠ 63	
Dealer: N	♥ A2	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A7	
HCP: 13	♣ KQ109872	Partner bids first.
Board: 281	♠ J4	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ —	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ Q108	West Bids 5♥ if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQJ9853	You bid first.
Board: 282	♠ KJ742	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ —	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q10852	
HCP: 7	♣ J83	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ KQ653

♥ 10953

♦ A72

♣ 2

South:

♠ J974

♥ AKQJ42

♦ 5

♣ A8

West North East South

1♥

2NT¹ 3♣² 4♣ 4NT³

Pass 5♦⁴ Pass 5♥

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♥

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♥ N

North:

♠ A8

♥ QJ10853

♦ J3

♣ AJ4

South:

♠ 63

♥ A2

♦ A7

♣ KQ109872

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹

3♣

Pass 3♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 281

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♥ E

North:

♠ K107632

♥ A52

♦ 7

♣ 1074

South:

♠ J4

♥ —

♦ Q108

♣ AKQJ9853

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 4♥ 5♣

5♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 282

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 4♥ W

North:

♠ Q83

♥ AK96

♦ 7

♣ KQ975

South:

♠ KJ742

♥ —

♦ Q10852

♣ J83

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹

Pass

4♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 283	♠ A6	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ98652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	
Board: 284	♠ K952	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ1076	
HCP: 13	♣ A4	You bid first.
Board: 285	♠ 876	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 764	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK75	
HCP: 7	♣ 973	Partner bids first.
Board: 286	♠ AK86	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 73	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q4	East Bids 5♦ if possible.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ976	You bid first.
Board: 287	♠ K1072	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 982	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ3	
HCP: 13	♣ AJ4	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 283
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 5♦ N

North:
♠ A6
♥ 65
♦ KQJ98652
♣ A

South:
♠ 10873
♥ AK83
♦ A
♣ KQ93

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing
3. strength cue bid
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 284
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3♥ W

North:
♠ K952
♥ J5
♦ AJ1076
♣ A4

South:
♠ A10863
♥ 10
♦ Q54
♣ J852

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 285
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♠ S

North:
♠ 876
♥ 764
♦ AK75
♣ 973

South:
♠ AKJ102
♥ Q85
♦ 1094
♣ A5

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	X	2NT ²	3♠
AP			

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. to the partner's longer

Board: 286
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 7
Contract: 5♦ W

North:
♠ AK86
♥ 73
♦ Q4
♣ KQ976

South:
♠ 932
♥ J102
♦ J
♣ AJ5432

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 287
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ X E

North:
♠ K1072
♥ 982
♦ KQ3
♣ AJ4

South:
♠ 943
♥ A
♦ AJ1075
♣ K1085

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 283	♠ 10873	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK83	
Vul: NS	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ93	
Board: 284	♠ A10863	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q54	
HCP: 7	♣ J852	Partner bids first.
Board: 285	♠ AKJ102	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q85	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 1094	
HCP: 14	♣ A5	You bid first.
Board: 286	♠ 932	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J102	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J	East Bids 5♦ if possible.
HCP: 7	♣ AJ5432	Partner bids first.
Board: 287	♠ 943	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ1075	
HCP: 12	♣ K1085	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 283
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 5♦ N

North:
♠ A6
♥ 65
♦ KQJ98652
♣ A

South:
♠ 10873
♥ AK83
♦ A
♣ KQ93

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing
3. strength cue bid
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 284
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3♥ W

North:
♠ K952
♥ J5
♦ AJ1076
♣ A4

South:
♠ A10863
♥ 10
♦ Q54
♣ J852

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 285
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♠ S

North:
♠ 876
♥ 764
♦ AK75
♣ 973

South:
♠ AKJ102
♥ Q85
♦ 1094
♣ A5

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♠ ¹	X	2NT ²	3♠
AP			

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. to the partner's longer

Board: 286
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 7
Contract: 5♦ W

North:
♠ AK86
♥ 73
♦ Q4
♣ KQ976

South:
♠ 932
♥ J102
♦ J
♣ AJ5432

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 287
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ X E

North:
♠ K1072
♥ 982
♦ KQ3
♣ AJ4

South:
♠ 943
♥ A
♦ AJ1075
♣ K1085

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 288	♠ AK1032	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 84	
HCP: 14	♣ AQ95	You bid first.
Board: 289	♠ Q87532	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J3	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q6	
HCP: 9	♣ A104	Partner bids first.
Board: 290	♠ AKQ	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K74	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ Q98642	
HCP: 14	♣ 8	You bid first.
Board: 291	♠ J8	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ1032	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A973	
HCP: 10	♣ 82	Partner bids first.
Board: 292	♠ K5	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1094	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A105	
HCP: 14	♣ 975	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 288

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ AK1032

♥ J5

♦ 84

♣ AQ95

South:

♠ Q86

♥ 863

♦ Q97

♣ K1086

West North East South

1♠ 2♠¹ X

3♥ 3♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 289

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ X E

North:

♠ Q87532

♥ J3

♦ Q6

♣ A104

South:

♠ AKJ104

♥ 94

♦ KJ1032

♣ 2

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹ 3♥² 4♥ Pass

Pass X AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 290

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4♥ W

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ K74

♦ Q98642

♣ 8

South:

♠ 10532

♥ 62

♦ AJ10

♣ K952

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ Pass

4♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 291

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J8

♥ AJ1032

♦ A973

♣ 82

South:

♠ AK975

♥ K

♦ 1086

♣ AJ43

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ X 3♣ 3♦²

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. strength cue bid

Board: 292

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ K5

♥ AK1094

♦ A105

♣ 975

South:

♠ Q96

♥ QJ63

♦ KJ9

♣ AQ8

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ 2♠²

3♠ X Pass 4♥

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 288	♠ Q86	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 863	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q97	
HCP: 7	♣ K1086	Partner bids first.

Board: 289	♠ AKJ104	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 94	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ1032	
HCP: 12	♣ 2	You bid first.

Board: 290	♠ 10532	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 62	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AJ10	
HCP: 8	♣ K952	Partner bids first.

Board: 291	♠ AK975	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 1086	
HCP: 15	♣ AJ43	You bid first.

Board: 292	♠ Q96	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ63	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ9	
HCP: 15	♣ AQ8	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 288

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ AK1032

♥ J5

♦ 84

♣ AQ95

South:

♠ Q86

♥ 863

♦ Q97

♣ K1086

West North East South

1♠ 2♠¹ X

3♥ 3♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 289

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ X E

North:

♠ Q87532

♥ J3

♦ Q6

♣ A104

South:

♠ AKJ104

♥ 94

♦ KJ1032

♣ 2

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹ 3♥² 4♥ Pass

Pass X AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 290

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4♥ W

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ K74

♦ Q98642

♣ 8

South:

♠ 10532

♥ 62

♦ AJ10

♣ K952

West North East South

1♦ 2NT¹ Pass

4♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 291

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J8

♥ AJ1032

♦ A973

♣ 82

South:

♠ AK975

♥ K

♦ 1086

♣ AJ43

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ X 3♣ 3♦²

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. strength cue bid

Board: 292

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ K5

♥ AK1094

♦ A105

♣ 975

South:

♠ Q96

♥ QJ63

♦ KJ9

♣ AQ8

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ 2♠²

3♠ X Pass 4♥

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 293	♠ J1092	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K87643	
Vul: Both	♦ K8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 5	
Board: 294	♠ 73	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A32	
Vul: NS	♦ 84	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQ842	
Board: 295	♠ 108754	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ1073	East Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ —	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 7	♣ Q94	Partner bids first.
Board: 296	♠ 5	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A96	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ QJ72	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ986	
Board: 297	♠ AK974	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 76	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ72	
HCP: 10	♣ 64	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 293

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ J1092

♥ K87643

♦ K8

♣ 5

South:

♠ AKQ5

♥ AQJ109

♦ 109

♣ 63

West North East South

1♥

2NT¹ 4♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 294

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♠ E

North:

♠ 73

♥ A32

♦ 84

♣ AKQ842

South:

♠ AQ6

♥ J1085

♦ 962

♣ J73

West North East South

1♣

2♠

AP

Board: 295

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♠X S

North:

♠ 108754

♥ AJ1073

♦ —

♣ Q94

South:

♠ AK932

♥ K52

♦ K7

♣ 752

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ 4♠ 5♦ Pass

Pass 5♠ Pass Pass

X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 296

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♥ W

North:

♠ 5

♥ A96

♦ QJ72

♣ AQ986

South:

♠ AK763

♥ J7

♦ A93

♣ J53

West North East South

1♣

2♣¹

Pass

2♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 297

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ E

North:

♠ AK974

♥ 76

♦ QJ72

♣ 64

South:

♠ QJ106

♥ AQ82

♦ 1094

♣ K3

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹ X 3♣ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 293	♠ AKQ5	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ109	
Vul: Both	♦ 109	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 63	
Board: 294	♠ AQ6	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J1085	
Vul: NS	♦ 962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J73	
Board: 295	♠ AK932	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K52	East Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K7	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ 752	You bid first.
Board: 296	♠ AK763	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J7	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J53	
Board: 297	♠ QJ106	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ82	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 1094	
HCP: 12	♣ K3	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 293

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ J1092

♥ K87643

♦ K8

♣ 5

South:

♠ AKQ5

♥ AQJ109

♦ 109

♣ 63

West North East South

1♥

2NT¹ 4♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 294

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♠ E

North:

♠ 73

♥ A32

♦ 84

♣ AKQ842

South:

♠ AQ6

♥ J1085

♦ 962

♣ J73

West North East South

1♣

2♠

AP

Board: 295

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♠X S

North:

♠ 108754

♥ AJ1073

♦ —

♣ Q94

South:

♠ AK932

♥ K52

♦ K7

♣ 752

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹ 4♠ 5♦ Pass

Pass 5♠ Pass Pass

X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 296

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♥ W

North:

♠ 5

♥ A96

♦ QJ72

♣ AQ986

South:

♠ AK763

♥ J7

♦ A93

♣ J53

West North East South

1♣

2♣¹

Pass

2♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 297

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ E

North:

♠ AK974

♥ 76

♦ QJ72

♣ 64

South:

♠ QJ106

♥ AQ82

♦ 1094

♣ K3

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹ X 3♣ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 298	♠ K98	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A98	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A	
HCP: 18	♣ AK8543	You bid first.
Board: 299	♠ AK932	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 532	
HCP: 11	♣ 1074	Partner bids first.
Board: 300	♠ —	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q87	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ3	
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ754	You bid first.
Board: 301	♠ J108	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A8742	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K96	
HCP: 8	♣ 42	Partner bids first.
Board: 302	♠ 742	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A976	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ3	
HCP: 14	♣ AQ5	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 298
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♦X W

North:
 ♠ K98
 ♥ A98
 ♦ A
 ♣ AK8543

South:
 ♠ A632
 ♥ J2
 ♦ Q73
 ♣ J1092

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	Pass
4♦	Pass	Pass	X
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 299
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ AK932
 ♥ A3
 ♦ 532
 ♣ 1074

South:
 ♠ Q875
 ♥ 92
 ♦ AQJ108
 ♣ K9

West	North	East	South
			1♦
2NT ¹	X	3♥	AP
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 300
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:
 ♠ —
 ♥ Q87
 ♦ AQJ3
 ♣ AQJ754

South:
 ♠ 763
 ♥ A6
 ♦ K965
 ♣ K963

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	X
3♠	5♣	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 301
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♣ E

North:
 ♠ J108
 ♥ A8742
 ♦ K96
 ♣ 42

South:
 ♠ 9653
 ♥ Q6
 ♦ AQ852
 ♣ KJ

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

Board: 302
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠X W

North:
 ♠ 742
 ♥ A976
 ♦ KJ3
 ♣ AQ5

South:
 ♠ 9
 ♥ 8
 ♦ AQ109864
 ♣ J1032

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	3♦
4♠	X	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 298	♠ A632	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J2	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q73	
HCP: 8	♣ J1092	Partner bids first.

Board: 299	♠ Q875	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ108	
HCP: 12	♣ K9	You bid first.

Board: 300	♠ 763	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A6	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K965	
HCP: 10	♣ K963	Partner bids first.

Board: 301	♠ 9653	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ852	
HCP: 12	♣ KJ	You bid first.

Board: 302	♠ 9	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ109864	
HCP: 7	♣ J1032	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 298
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♦X W

North:
 ♠ K98
 ♥ A98
 ♦ A
 ♣ AK8543

South:
 ♠ A632
 ♥ J2
 ♦ Q73
 ♣ J1092

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	Pass
4♦	Pass	Pass	X
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 299
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ AK932
 ♥ A3
 ♦ 532
 ♣ 1074

South:
 ♠ Q875
 ♥ 92
 ♦ AQJ108
 ♣ K9

West	North	East	South
			1♦
	2NT ¹	X	3♥
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 300
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:
 ♠ —
 ♥ Q87
 ♦ AQJ3
 ♣ AQJ754

South:
 ♠ 763
 ♥ A6
 ♦ K965
 ♣ K963

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	X
3♠	5♣	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 301
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3♣ E

North:
 ♠ J108
 ♥ A8742
 ♦ K96
 ♣ 42

South:
 ♠ 9653
 ♥ Q6
 ♦ AQ852
 ♣ KJ

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

Board: 302
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠X W

North:
 ♠ 742
 ♥ A976
 ♦ KJ3
 ♣ AQ5

South:
 ♠ 9
 ♥ 8
 ♦ AQ109864
 ♣ J1032

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	3♦
4♠	X	AP	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 303	♠ J62	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 93	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQ9643	
HCP: 7	♣ 53	Partner bids first.
Board: 304	♠ J8	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ832	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 842	
Board: 305	♠ KJ10987	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 84	
HCP: 7	♣ 983	Partner bids first.
Board: 306	♠ A932	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 86	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 6	
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ842	You bid first.
Board: 307	♠ J76	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K985	
HCP: 7	♣ K8753	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 303	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J62	♠ K85				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 93	♥ AK7	2♦ ¹	X	3♥	3NT
North HCP: 7	♦ AQ9643	♦ K852	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ 53	♣ AJ4	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 304	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J8	♠ 432		1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
Vul: Both	♥ AQ832	♥ 9754	Pass	3♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ4	♦ AJ86	1. Michaels Cuebid			
South HCP: 9	♣ 842	♣ KJ	2. limit raise or better in ♥			
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 305	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ10987	♠ Q543				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K7	♥ AQJ104	2NT ¹	Pass	3♦	AP
North HCP: 7	♦ 84	♦ J7	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 13	♣ 983	♣ K5				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 306	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A932	♠ 7		1♣	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ 86	♥ Q1053	2♠	AP		
North HCP: 12	♦ 6	♦ AJ9732	1. Michaels Cuebid			
South HCP: 7	♣ AKJ842	♣ 95				
Contract: 2♠ W						

Board: 307	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J76	♠ A982				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 6	♥ A4	2NT ¹	Pass	4♥	X
North HCP: 7	♦ K985	♦ A32	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ K8753	♣ AQJ4	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 4♥ X E						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 303	♠ K85	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK7	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ K852	
HCP: 18	♣ AJ4	You bid first.
Board: 304	♠ 432	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 9754	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KJ	
Board: 305	♠ Q543	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ104	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J7	
HCP: 13	♣ K5	You bid first.
Board: 306	♠ 7	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1053	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AJ9732	
HCP: 7	♣ 95	Partner bids first.
Board: 307	♠ A982	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A32	
HCP: 19	♣ AQJ4	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 303	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J62	♠ K85				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 93	♥ AK7	2♦ ¹	X	3♥	3NT
North HCP: 7	♦ AQ9643	♦ K852	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ 53	♣ AJ4	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 304	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J8	♠ 432		1♥	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²
Vul: Both	♥ AQ832	♥ 9754	Pass	3♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ4	♦ AJ86	1. Michaels Cuebid			
South HCP: 9	♣ 842	♣ KJ	2. limit raise or better in ♥			
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 305	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ10987	♠ Q543				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K7	♥ AQJ104	2NT ¹	Pass	3♦	AP
North HCP: 7	♦ 84	♦ J7	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 13	♣ 983	♣ K5				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 306	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A932	♠ 7		1♣	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ 86	♥ Q1053	2♠	AP		
North HCP: 12	♦ 6	♦ AJ9732	1. Michaels Cuebid			
South HCP: 7	♣ AKJ842	♣ 95				
Contract: 2♠ W						

Board: 307	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J76	♠ A982				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 6	♥ A4	2NT ¹	Pass	4♥	X
North HCP: 7	♦ K985	♦ A32	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ K8753	♣ AQJ4	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 4♥ X E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 308 ♠ A63
Dealer: N ♥ AJ954
Vul: NS ♦ A6
HCP: 19 ♣ AQ3

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 309 ♠ 106
Dealer: S ♥ 8764
Vul: EW ♦ A83
HCP: 8 ♣ A873

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 5♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 310 ♠ —
Dealer: N ♥ AKQ732
Vul: Both ♦ KJ72
HCP: 16 ♣ QJ9

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2NT if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 311 ♠ A10752
Dealer: S ♥ 43
Vul: Both ♦ AJ73
HCP: 9 ♣ 93

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 312 ♠ J9843
Dealer: N ♥ AKJ4
Vul: Both ♦ J7
HCP: 12 ♣ Q2

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♣ if possible.
East Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 308
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 8
Contract: 6♥X N

North:
♠ A63
♥ AJ954
♦ A6
♣ AQ3

South:
♠ 97
♥ Q102
♦ KQJ954
♣ 82

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 309
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♠X E

North:
♠ 106
♥ 8764
♦ A83
♣ A873

South:
♠ 8
♥ A
♦ KQ65
♣ KQJ10642

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	3♠	5♣
5♠	X	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 310
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AKQ732
♦ KJ72
♣ QJ9

South:
♠ KQ654
♥ J96
♦ 85
♣ K102

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	X
2NT ²	4♥	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. to the partner's longer

Board: 311
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♦ E

North:
♠ A10752
♥ 43
♦ AJ73
♣ 93

South:
♠ KQ3
♥ K9852
♦ 6
♣ AJ82

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 312
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♠X N

North:
♠ J9843
♥ AKJ4
♦ J7
♣ Q2

South:
♠ K10765
♥ Q976
♦ A83
♣ 8

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

1. Unusual 2NT
2. limit raise or better in ♠

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 308
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
HCP: 8

♠ 97
♥ Q102
♦ KQJ954
♣ 82

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 309
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
HCP: 15

♠ 8
♥ A
♦ KQ65
♣ KQJ10642

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 3♠ if possible.
West Bids 5♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 310
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 9

♠ KQ654
♥ J96
♦ 85
♣ K102

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 2NT if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 311
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
HCP: 13

♠ KQ3
♥ K9852
♦ 6
♣ AJ82

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 312
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 9

♠ K10765
♥ Q976
♦ A83
♣ 8

East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 4♣ if possible.
East Doubles Pass if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 308
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 8
Contract: 6♥X N

North:
♠ A63
♥ AJ954
♦ A6
♣ AQ3

South:
♠ 97
♥ Q102
♦ KQJ954
♣ 82

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 309
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♠X E

North:
♠ 106
♥ 8764
♦ A83
♣ A873

South:
♠ 8
♥ A
♦ KQ65
♣ KQJ10642

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	X	3♠	5♣
5♠	X	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 310
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AKQ732
♦ KJ72
♣ QJ9

South:
♠ KQ654
♥ J96
♦ 85
♣ K102

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	X
2NT ²	4♥	AP	

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. to the partner's longer

Board: 311
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♦ E

North:
♠ A10752
♥ 43
♦ AJ73
♣ 93

South:
♠ KQ3
♥ K9852
♦ 6
♣ AJ82

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 312
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♠X N

North:
♠ J9843
♥ AKJ4
♦ J7
♣ Q2

South:
♠ K10765
♥ Q976
♦ A83
♣ 8

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

1. Unusual 2NT
2. limit raise or better in ♠

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 313	♠ KJ10982	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ QJ8	
HCP: 9	♣ Q42	Partner bids first.
Board: 314	♠ AQ103	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K9632	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 8	
Board: 315	♠ 9743	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A1075	
Vul: None	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A982	
Board: 316	♠ 74	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J98763	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ	
HCP: 14	♣ A10	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 313

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ E

North:

♠ KJ10982

♥ 9

♦ QJ8

♣ Q42

South:

♠ Q7

♥ K76

♦ AK10964

♣ 108

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹ Pass 3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 314

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♥ N

North:

♠ AQ103

♥ K9632

♦ QJ7

♣ 8

South:

♠ K76

♥ AQ104

♦ 92

♣ J962

West North East South

1♥ 2NT¹ 3♣²

Pass 3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 315

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 9743

♥ A1075

♦ 5

♣ A982

South:

♠ K

♥ KJ864

♦ KQ97

♣ Q76

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ 2♠² Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 316

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 74

♥ J98763

♦ AKQ

♣ A10

South:

♠ K92

♥ AK2

♦ J10742

♣ 96

West North East South

1♥ 2♥¹ 2♠²

3♠ 4♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 313	♠ Q7	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K76	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK10964	
HCP: 12	♣ 108	You bid first.
Board: 314	♠ K76	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ104	
Vul: NS	♦ 92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J962	
Board: 315	♠ K	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ864	
Vul: None	♦ KQ97	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q76	
Board: 316	♠ K92	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK2	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J10742	
HCP: 11	♣ 96	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 313

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ E

North:

♠ KJ10982

♥ 9

♦ QJ8

♣ Q42

South:

♠ Q7

♥ K76

♦ AK10964

♣ 108

West North East South

1♦

2NT¹ Pass 3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 314

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♥ N

North:

♠ AQ103

♥ K9632

♦ QJ7

♣ 8

South:

♠ K76

♥ AQ104

♦ 92

♣ J962

West North East South

1♥

2NT¹

3♣²

Pass 3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 315

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 9743

♥ A1075

♦ 5

♣ A982

South:

♠ K

♥ KJ864

♦ KQ97

♣ Q76

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹

2♠²

Pass

3♥

Pass 4♥ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 316

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 74

♥ J98763

♦ AKQ

♣ A10

South:

♠ K92

♥ AK2

♦ J10742

♣ 96

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹

2♠²

3♠

4♥

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 317	♠ 92	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ1073	
Board: 318	♠ K7	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ10652	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK6	
HCP: 18	♣ KJ	You bid first.
Board: 319	♠ J10963	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q1042	
HCP: 7	♣ 92	Partner bids first.
Board: 320	♠ K7	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K872	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ QJ3	
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ10	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 317

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ 92

♥ K2

♦ AKQ5

♣ KJ1073

South:

♠ AK6

♥ 63

♦ J83

♣ AQ852

West	North	East	South
			1♣

2♣ ¹	2♥ ²	Pass	2♠ ³
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Pass	4♣	Pass	4♠ ⁴
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Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♠ ⁶
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♣
3. strength cue bid
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

Board: 318

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10

Contract: 5♥ N

North:

♠ K7

♥ KJ10652

♦ AK6

♣ KJ

South:

♠ A83

♥ 93

♦ 873

♣ AQ954

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass

3♠	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♥ ³	AP	
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1. Michaels Cuebid
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 319

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ E

North:

♠ J10963

♥ A4

♦ Q1042

♣ 92

South:

♠ A2

♥ 6532

♦ AK96

♣ Q75

West	North	East	South
			1♦

2NT ¹	Pass	3♣	AP
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1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 320

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K7

♥ K872

♦ QJ3

♣ AKQ10

South:

♠ A642

♥ 53

♦ A1062

♣ J92

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	Pass

2♥	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 317	♠ AK6	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 63	
Vul: EW	♦ J83	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ852	

Board: 318	♠ A83	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 93	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 873	
HCP: 10	♣ AQ954	Partner bids first.

Board: 319	♠ A2	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 6532	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK96	
HCP: 13	♣ Q75	You bid first.

Board: 320	♠ A642	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 53	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A1062	
HCP: 9	♣ J92	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 317

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ 92

♥ K2

♦ AKQ5

♣ KJ1073

South:

♠ AK6

♥ 63

♦ J83

♣ AQ852

West	North	East	South
			1♣

2♣ ¹	2♥ ²	Pass	2♠ ³
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Pass	4♣	Pass	4♠ ⁴
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Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♠ ⁶
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♣
3. strength cue bid
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

Board: 318

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10

Contract: 5♥ N

North:

♠ K7

♥ KJ10652

♦ AK6

♣ KJ

South:

♠ A83

♥ 93

♦ 873

♣ AQ954

West	North	East	South
	1♥	2♥ ¹	Pass

3♠	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♥ ³	AP	
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1. Michaels Cuebid
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 319

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ E

North:

♠ J10963

♥ A4

♦ Q1042

♣ 92

South:

♠ A2

♥ 6532

♦ AK96

♣ Q75

West	North	East	South
			1♦

2NT ¹	Pass	3♣	AP
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1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 320

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K7

♥ K872

♦ QJ3

♣ AKQ10

South:

♠ A642

♥ 53

♦ A1062

♣ J92

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	Pass

2♥	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 321	♠ Q652	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A10832	
Vul: None	♦ 43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J2	
Board: 322	♠ A64	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AK10865	
HCP: 14	♣ K102	You bid first.
Board: 323	♠ 8	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ6	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ62	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 10	♣ J832	Partner bids first.
Board: 324	♠ AKJ83	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 43	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A543	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ 32	You bid first.
Board: 325	♠ 9	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q942	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AJ853	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 7	♣ 1073	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 321

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ Q652

♥ A10832

♦ 43

♣ J2

South:

♠ AKJ93

♥ 5

♦ AJ86

♣ 1065

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹ 4♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 322

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♦ X N

North:

♠ A64

♥ 7

♦ AK10865

♣ K102

South:

♠ K97

♥ AK1054

♦ 93

♣ 765

West North East South

1♦ 2♣ 2♥¹

Pass 3♦ Pass Pass

X AP

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 323

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ X E

North:

♠ 8

♥ QJ6

♦ KQJ62

♣ J832

South:

♠ Q954

♥ 92

♦ A7

♣ AQ964

West North East South

1♣

2♣¹ 2♦² 2♠ Pass

4♠ Pass Pass X

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 324

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♠ X N

North:

♠ AKJ83

♥ 43

♦ A543

♣ 32

South:

♠ Q54

♥ AQ87

♦ 96

♣ K1087

West North East South

1♠ 2NT¹ 3♣²

Pass 3♠ 4♦ Pass

Pass 4♠ Pass Pass

X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 325

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ E

North:

♠ 9

♥ Q942

♦ AJ853

♣ 1073

South:

♠ J64

♥ AK865

♦ K102

♣ Q8

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ 2♠² 3♠ 4♥

4♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 321	♠ AKJ93	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: None	♦ AJ86	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1065	
Board: 322	♠ K97	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1054	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 93	
HCP: 10	♣ 765	Partner bids first.
Board: 323	♠ Q954	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A7	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ964	You bid first.
Board: 324	♠ Q54	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ87	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 96	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 11	♣ K1087	Partner bids first.
Board: 325	♠ J64	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK865	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ K102	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ Q8	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 321

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ Q652

♥ A10832

♦ 43

♣ J2

South:

♠ AKJ93

♥ 5

♦ AJ86

♣ 1065

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹ 4♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 322

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♦ X N

North:

♠ A64

♥ 7

♦ AK10865

♣ K102

South:

♠ K97

♥ AK1054

♦ 93

♣ 765

West North East South

1♦ 2♣ 2♥¹

Pass 3♦ Pass Pass

X AP

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 323

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ X E

North:

♠ 8

♥ QJ6

♦ KQJ62

♣ J832

South:

♠ Q954

♥ 92

♦ A7

♣ AQ964

West North East South

1♣

2♣¹ 2♦² 2♠ Pass

4♠ Pass Pass X

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 324

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♠ X N

North:

♠ AKJ83

♥ 43

♦ A543

♣ 32

South:

♠ Q54

♥ AQ87

♦ 96

♣ K1087

West North East South

1♠ 2NT¹ 3♣²

Pass 3♠ 4♦ Pass

Pass 4♠ Pass Pass

X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 325

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ E

North:

♠ 9

♥ Q942

♦ AJ853

♣ 1073

South:

♠ J64

♥ AK865

♦ K102

♣ Q8

West North East South

1♥

2♥¹ 2♠² 3♠ 4♥

4♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 326 ♠ 42
Dealer: N ♥ 9
Vul: Both ♦ AQ974
HCP: 12 ♣ KQJ87

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 327 ♠ KQ10952
Dealer: S ♥ J543
Vul: None ♦ J52
HCP: 7 ♣ —

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 328 ♠ 6
Dealer: N ♥ AQJ43
Vul: NS ♦ K943
HCP: 13 ♣ K32

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 329 ♠ K10762
Dealer: S ♥ A3
Vul: EW ♦ 10
HCP: 8 ♣ J9862

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 330 ♠ 94
Dealer: N ♥ 64
Vul: None ♦ K105
HCP: 12 ♣ AKQ843

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.
East Doubles 5♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 326
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ 42
 ♥ 9
 ♦ AQ974
 ♣ KQJ87

South:
 ♠ Q97
 ♥ J62
 ♦ 1082
 ♣ A942

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 327
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 4♦ S

North:
 ♠ KQ10952
 ♥ J543
 ♦ J52
 ♣ —

South:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ Q96
 ♦ AKQ984
 ♣ AK3

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 328
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 4♠ W

North:
 ♠ 6
 ♥ AQJ43
 ♦ K943
 ♣ K32

South:
 ♠ 932
 ♥ K9865
 ♦ QJ107
 ♣ A

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 329
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ K10762
 ♥ A3
 ♦ 10
 ♣ J9862

South:
 ♠ AJ3
 ♥ 74
 ♦ AKJ863
 ♣ 107

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 330
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♦ X S

North:
 ♠ 94
 ♥ 64
 ♦ K105
 ♣ AKQ843

South:
 ♠ K
 ♥ K
 ♦ AJ98763
 ♣ J972

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 326 ♠ Q97
Dealer: N ♥ J62
Vul: Both ♦ 1082
HCP: 7 ♣ A942

East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 327 ♠ 4
Dealer: S ♥ Q96
Vul: None ♦ AKQ984
HCP: 18 ♣ AK3

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 328 ♠ 932
Dealer: N ♥ K9865
Vul: NS ♦ QJ107
HCP: 10 ♣ A

East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 3♠ if possible.
East Bids 4♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 329 ♠ AJ3
Dealer: S ♥ 74
Vul: EW ♦ AKJ863
HCP: 13 ♣ 107

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 330 ♠ K
Dealer: N ♥ K
Vul: None ♦ AJ98763
HCP: 12 ♣ J972

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 4♠ if possible.
East Doubles 5♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 326
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ 42
 ♥ 9
 ♦ AQ974
 ♣ KQJ87

South:
 ♠ Q97
 ♥ J62
 ♦ 1082
 ♣ A942

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 327
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 4♦ S

North:
 ♠ KQ10952
 ♥ J543
 ♦ J52
 ♣ —

South:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ Q96
 ♦ AKQ984
 ♣ AK3

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 328
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 4♠ W

North:
 ♠ 6
 ♥ AQJ43
 ♦ K943
 ♣ K32

South:
 ♠ 932
 ♥ K9865
 ♦ QJ107
 ♣ A

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 329
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3♥ E

North:
 ♠ K10762
 ♥ A3
 ♦ 10
 ♣ J9862

South:
 ♠ AJ3
 ♥ 74
 ♦ AKJ863
 ♣ 107

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 330
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♦ X S

North:
 ♠ 94
 ♥ 64
 ♦ K105
 ♣ AKQ843

South:
 ♠ K
 ♥ K
 ♦ AJ98763
 ♣ J972

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 331	♠ AJ863	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: EW	♦ 97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ985	
Board: 332	♠ J76	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 863	East Doubles 5♣ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQJ104	You bid first.
Board: 333	♠ A752	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J98	
Vul: None	♦ K6542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 6	
Board: 334	♠ A9	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ Q764	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ873	You bid first.
Board: 335	♠ 5	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ863	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 94	
HCP: 7	♣ K6542	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 331

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ AJ863

♥ 6

♦ 97

♣ AQ985

South:

♠ KQ942

♥ A105

♦ A

♣ J763

West	North	East	South
			1♠

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 332

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 5♣X N

North:

♠ J76

♥ J

♦ 863

♣ AKQJ104

South:

♠ Q

♥ 7654

♦ AK9

♣ 97653

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	X

4♠	5♣	X	AP
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1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 333

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ A752

♥ J98

♦ K6542

♣ 6

South:

♠ KJ96

♥ 32

♦ AQ108

♣ A74

West	North	East	South
			1♦

2NT ¹	3♦	AP	
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1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 334

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8

Contract: 5♣X N

North:

♠ A9

♥ 65

♦ Q764

♣ AQ873

South:

♠ 87

♥ AJ742

♦ 9

♣ K10652

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2♣ ¹	X

4♠	5♣	Pass	Pass
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X	AP		
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1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 335

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 5

♥ KJ863

♦ 94

♣ K6542

South:

♠ A3

♥ AQ1074

♦ Q763

♣ A9

West	North	East	South
			1♥

2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	3♣	4♥
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AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 331	♠ KQ942	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A105	
Vul: EW	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J763	
Board: 332	♠ Q	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 7654	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK9	East Doubles 5♣ if possible.
HCP: 9	♣ 97653	Partner bids first.
Board: 333	♠ KJ96	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 32	
Vul: None	♦ AQ108	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A74	
Board: 334	♠ 87	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ742	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 9	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ K10652	Partner bids first.
Board: 335	♠ A3	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1074	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q763	
HCP: 16	♣ A9	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 331

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ AJ863

♥ 6

♦ 97

♣ AQ985

South:

♠ KQ942

♥ A105

♦ A

♣ J763

West	North	East	South
			1♠

2♠ ¹	4♥ ²	Pass	4NT ³
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Pass	5♠ ⁴	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 332

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 5♣X N

North:

♠ J76

♥ J

♦ 863

♣ AKQJ104

South:

♠ Q

♥ 7654

♦ AK9

♣ 97653

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	2♣ ¹	X
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4♠	5♣	X	AP
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1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 333

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ A752

♥ J98

♦ K6542

♣ 6

South:

♠ KJ96

♥ 32

♦ AQ108

♣ A74

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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2NT ¹	3♦	AP	
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1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 334

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8

Contract: 5♣X N

North:

♠ A9

♥ 65

♦ Q764

♣ AQ873

South:

♠ 87

♥ AJ742

♦ 9

♣ K10652

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	2♣ ¹	X
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4♠	5♣	Pass	Pass
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X	AP		
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1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 335

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 5

♥ KJ863

♦ 94

♣ K6542

South:

♠ A3

♥ AQ1074

♦ Q763

♣ A9

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 336	♠ 65	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ982	
HCP: 14	♣ AQ87	You bid first.
Board: 337	♠ J942	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A53	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q743	
HCP: 7	♣ 73	Partner bids first.
Board: 338	♠ K85	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 963	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ J	
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ953	You bid first.
Board: 339	♠ K83	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K65	
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ1065	Partner bids first.
Board: 340	♠ 9643	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ72	
HCP: 16	♣ AK3	You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 336
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 5♦ N

North:
♠ 65
♥ A9
♦ KJ982
♣ AQ87

South:
♠ A3
♥ J42
♦ AQ106
♣ K954

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 337
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ J942
♥ A53
♦ Q743
♣ 73

South:
♠ A
♥ KQ986
♦ KJ92
♣ A54

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 338
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3♥ W

North:
♠ K85
♥ 963
♦ J
♣ AKJ953

South:
♠ AQJ976
♥ 52
♦ 6543
♣ Q

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 339
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 13
Contract: 5♣ S

North:
♠ K83
♥ K
♦ K65
♣ AKQ1065

South:
♠ A2
♥ Q96
♦ AQ7
♣ J9842

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	2♥ ²	4♥	5♣
AP			

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♣

Board: 340
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♥ W

North:
♠ 9643
♥ 6
♦ AKQ72
♣ AK3

South:
♠ KQ52
♥ K
♦ 94
♣ QJ10865

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 336	♠ A3	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J42	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ106	
HCP: 14	♣ K954	Partner bids first.
Board: 337	♠ A	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ986	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ92	
HCP: 17	♣ A54	You bid first.
Board: 338	♠ AQJ976	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 52	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 6543	
HCP: 9	♣ Q	Partner bids first.
Board: 339	♠ A2	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q96	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ7	
HCP: 13	♣ J9842	You bid first.
Board: 340	♠ KQ52	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 94	
HCP: 11	♣ QJ10865	Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 336
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♦ N

North:
 ♠ 65
 ♥ A9
 ♦ KJ982
 ♣ AQ87

South:
 ♠ A3
 ♥ J42
 ♦ AQ106
 ♣ K954

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

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 337
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ J942
 ♥ A53
 ♦ Q743
 ♣ 73

South:
 ♠ A
 ♥ KQ986
 ♦ KJ92
 ♣ A54

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 338
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3♥ W

North:
 ♠ K85
 ♥ 963
 ♦ J
 ♣ AKJ953

South:
 ♠ AQJ976
 ♥ 52
 ♦ 6543
 ♣ Q

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

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 339
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 5♣ S

North:
 ♠ K83
 ♥ K
 ♦ K65
 ♣ AKQ1065

South:
 ♠ A2
 ♥ Q96
 ♦ AQ7
 ♣ J9842

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♣ ¹	2♥ ²	4♥	5♣
AP			

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. limit raise or better in ♣

Board: 340
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 4♥ W

North:
 ♠ 9643
 ♥ 6
 ♦ AKQ72
 ♣ AK3

South:
 ♠ KQ52
 ♥ K
 ♦ 94
 ♣ QJ10865

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 341 ♠ AJ9765
Dealer: S ♥ 92
Vul: Both ♦ 832
HCP: 8 ♣ K8

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.
East Bids 5♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 342 ♠ A10875
Dealer: N ♥ A65
Vul: NS ♦ —
HCP: 12 ♣ KJ1082

East Bids 2♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 343 ♠ J7643
Dealer: S ♥ 105
Vul: None ♦ 9
HCP: 7 ♣ KQJ107

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 344 ♠ K1053
Dealer: N ♥ A1097
Vul: Both ♦ 2
HCP: 12 ♣ AJ107

East Bids 2NT if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 345 ♠ KJ83
Dealer: S ♥ A653
Vul: None ♦ 2
HCP: 8 ♣ 8542

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♦ if possible.
East Doubles 5♦ if possible.
West Doubles 6♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 341
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♠ N

North:
♠ AJ9765
♥ 92
♦ 832
♣ K8

South:
♠ KQ102
♥ KQ876
♦ KQ95
♣ —

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	Pass	3♣	X
Pass	4♠	5♣	5♠
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 342
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♠X N

North:
♠ A10875
♥ A65
♦ —
♣ KJ1082

South:
♠ J93
♥ 9
♦ AK52
♣ Q6543

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²
4♥	4♠	Pass	Pass
X	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 343
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 19
Contract: 5♣ S

North:
♠ J7643
♥ 105
♦ 9
♣ KQJ107

South:
♠ AK105
♥ A872
♦ A7
♣ A53

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	3♣	4♦	5♣
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 344
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K1053
♥ A1097
♦ 2
♣ AJ107

South:
♠ AQ
♥ 6
♦ KQ843
♣ Q9852

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	3♦ ²
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♣			

Board: 345
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥X S

North:
♠ KJ83
♥ A653
♦ 2
♣ 8542

South:
♠ AQ7
♥ KQJ1098
♦ A108
♣ J

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	3♣ ²	4♦	4NT ³
Pass	5♦ ⁴	X	6♥
X	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
4. A=1/5 or 4/5			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 341
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
HCP: 15

♠ KQ102
♥ KQ876
♦ KQ95
♣ —

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.
East Bids 5♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 342
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
HCP: 10

♠ J93
♥ 9
♦ AK52
♣ Q6543

East Bids 2♠ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 343
Dealer: S
Vul: None
HCP: 19

♠ AK105
♥ A872
♦ A7
♣ A53

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 344
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 13

♠ AQ
♥ 6
♦ KQ843
♣ Q9852

East Bids 2NT if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 345
Dealer: S
Vul: None
HCP: 17

♠ AQ7
♥ KQJ1098
♦ A108
♣ J

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 4♦ if possible.
East Doubles 5♦ if possible.
West Doubles 6♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 341
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♠ N

North:
♠ AJ9765
♥ 92
♦ 832
♣ K8

South:
♠ KQ102
♥ KQ876
♦ KQ95
♣ —

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	Pass	3♣	X
Pass	4♠	5♣	5♠
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 342
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♠X N

North:
♠ A10875
♥ A65
♦ —
♣ KJ1082

South:
♠ J93
♥ 9
♦ AK52
♣ Q6543

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²
4♥	4♠	Pass	Pass
X	AP		
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 343
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 19
Contract: 5♣ S

North:
♠ J7643
♥ 105
♦ 9
♣ KQJ107

South:
♠ AK105
♥ A872
♦ A7
♣ A53

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2NT ¹	3♣	4♦	5♣
AP			
1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 344
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K1053
♥ A1097
♦ 2
♣ AJ107

South:
♠ AQ
♥ 6
♦ KQ843
♣ Q9852

West	North	East	South
	1♣	2NT ¹	3♦ ²
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♣			

Board: 345
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥X S

North:
♠ KJ83
♥ A653
♦ 2
♣ 8542

South:
♠ AQ7
♥ KQJ1098
♦ A108
♣ J

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2NT ¹	3♣ ²	4♦	4NT ³
Pass	5♦ ⁴	X	6♥
X	AP		
1. Unusual 2NT			
2. limit raise or better in ♥			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
4. A=1/5 or 4/5			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 346	♠ AQ1063	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q97	
Vul: NS	♦ 102	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ3	
Board: 347	♠ A109743	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 76	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K873	
HCP: 7	♣ 4	Partner bids first.
Board: 348	♠ 97543	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q76	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK98	
HCP: 13	♣ A	You bid first.
Board: 349	♠ Q43	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 42	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ97	
HCP: 13	♣ Q65	Partner bids first.
Board: 350	♠ AQ9	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ972	
Vul: EW	♦ K87	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 87	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 346

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ1063

♥ Q97

♦ 102

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ K95

♥ A632

♦ K65

♣ J82

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹

3♥²

Pass 4♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 347

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♥ E

North:

♠ A109743

♥ 76

♦ K873

♣ 4

South:

♠ —

♥ Q5

♦ A52

♣ AKJ109862

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 348

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♣X W

North:

♠ 97543

♥ Q76

♦ AK98

♣ A

South:

♠ A2

♥ AJ10984

♦ 74

♣ Q32

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹

X

4♣ X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 349

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♦ S

North:

♠ Q43

♥ 42

♦ AKQ97

♣ Q65

South:

♠ A6

♥ A863

♦ 10542

♣ A43

West North East South

1♦

2♦¹ X 3♠ Pass

Pass 4♦ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 350

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AQ9

♥ AJ972

♦ K87

♣ 87

South:

♠ 62

♥ KQ10863

♦ A109

♣ K9

West North East South

1♥

2♠

3♠¹

Pass 4♥ AP

1. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 346	♠ K95	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A632	
Vul: NS	♦ K65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J82	
Board: 347	♠ —	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A52	
HCP: 14	♣ AKJ109862	You bid first.
Board: 348	♠ A2	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ10984	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 74	
HCP: 11	♣ Q32	Partner bids first.
Board: 349	♠ A6	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A863	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 10542	
HCP: 12	♣ A43	You bid first.
Board: 350	♠ 62	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ10863	
Vul: EW	♦ A109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K9	

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 346

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ1063

♥ Q97

♦ 102

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ K95

♥ A632

♦ K65

♣ J82

West North East South

1♠ 2♠¹ 3♥²

Pass 4♠ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 347

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♥ E

North:

♠ A109743

♥ 76

♦ K873

♣ 4

South:

♠ —

♥ Q5

♦ A52

♣ AKJ109862

West North East South

1♣

2NT¹ Pass 3♥ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 348

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♣X W

North:

♠ 97543

♥ Q76

♦ AK98

♣ A

South:

♠ A2

♥ AJ10984

♦ 74

♣ Q32

West North East South

1♠ 2NT¹ X

4♣ X AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 349

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♦ S

North:

♠ Q43

♥ 42

♦ AKQ97

♣ Q65

South:

♠ A6

♥ A863

♦ 10542

♣ A43

West North East South

1♦

2♦¹ X 3♠ Pass

Pass 4♦ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 350

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AQ9

♥ AJ972

♦ K87

♣ 87

South:

♠ 62

♥ KQ10863

♦ A109

♣ K9

West North East South

1♥ 2♠ 3♠¹

Pass 4♥ AP

1. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 351	♠ 2	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: None	♦ AK10976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J10853	
Board: 352	♠ AKQ83	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K65	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 10	
HCP: 12	♣ 10842	You bid first.
Board: 353	♠ A1085	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J3	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ QJ7543	West Bids 5♥ if possible.
		Partner bids first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 351

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ 2

♥ 9

♦ AK10976

♣ J10853

South:

♠ A1073

♥ 5

♦ QJ32

♣ AK76

West North East South

1♦

2♦¹ 5♦ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 352

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♦ E

North:

♠ AKQ83

♥ K65

♦ 10

♣ 10842

South:

♠ J762

♥ AQJ3

♦ Q95

♣ J5

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹

3♣²

Pass 3♠ 4♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 353

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♥ X E

North:

♠ A1085

♥ 5

♦ J3

♣ QJ7543

South:

♠ KJ943

♥ QJ3

♦ 854

♣ AK

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹ 3♥² Pass 3♠

4♦ Pass 4♥ Pass

Pass 4♠ Pass Pass

5♥ Pass Pass X

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♠

South hands (Practice Page)

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls

Board: 351	♠ A1073	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: None	♦ QJ32	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK76	

Board: 352	♠ J762	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ3	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q95	
HCP: 11	♣ J5	Partner bids first.

Board: 353	♠ KJ943	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ3	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 854	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 14	♣ AK	West Bids 5♥ if possible.
		You bid first.

Opponents 2-Suit Overcalls Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 351

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ 2

♥ 9

♦ AK10976

♣ J10853

South:

♠ A1073

♥ 5

♦ QJ32

♣ AK76

West North East South

1♦

2♦¹ 5♦ AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 352

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♦ E

North:

♠ AKQ83

♥ K65

♦ 10

♣ 10842

South:

♠ J762

♥ AQJ3

♦ Q95

♣ J5

West North East South

1♠

2NT¹

3♣²

Pass 3♠ 4♦ AP

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 353

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♥ X E

North:

♠ A1085

♥ 5

♦ J3

♣ QJ7543

South:

♠ KJ943

♥ QJ3

♦ 854

♣ AK

West North East South

1♠

2♠¹ 3♥² Pass 3♠

4♦ Pass 4♥ Pass

Pass 4♠ Pass Pass

5♥ Pass Pass X

AP

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in ♠