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Board 1

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ K J 5 2		
	♥ J 9 7 6 2		
	♦ K		
	♣ 9 6 4		
♠ 10 7 6 3		♠ Q 9	
♥ 4		♥ 10 8	
♦ 10 9 4 2		♦ Q 8 6 3	
♣ Q J 8 3		♣ K 10 7 5 2	
	♠ A 8 4		
	♥ A K Q 5 3		
	♦ A J 7 5		
	♣ A		

Shape 4513 2245 3541 4144 HCP 8 7 22 3 Losers 9 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♣ ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010

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Board 2

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J		♠ 8 7 4 3
♥ Q 8 4 3		♥ K 10 9 5 2
♦ A J 6 4 2		♦ 3
♣ 10 6 2		♣ J 9 7

♠ K 9 6 5 2

♥ 7

♦ 9 8 7 5

♣ 8 4 3

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♠ A Q 10
♥ A J 6
♦ K Q 10
♣ A K Q 5

Shape 4513 5143 3334 1453 HCP 4 3 25 8 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

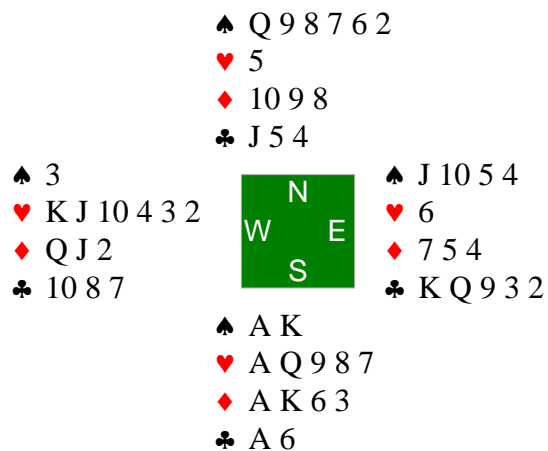
1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♠ by South
 Made 4 — NS +620

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Board 3

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 6133 4135 2542 1633 HCP 3 6 24 7 Losers 9 8 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 NT ⁵	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

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Board 4

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ —	♠ 10 9 3 2	♠ A J 7 6 5 4
♥ 6 4 3 2	♥ J 9 8	♥ 10
♦ A Q 9 6 4 2	♦ K 3	♦ 10 8 7 5
♣ 10 5 4	♣ Q 7 6 2	♣ J 9

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♠ K Q 8
♥ A K Q 7 5
♦ J
♣ A K 8 3

Shape 4324 6142 3514 0463 HCP 6 6 22 6 Losers 9 8 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♦	Dbl	4 ♦	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	Dbl

1. strong
4 ♦ × by West
Down 1 — NS +200

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Board 5

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 8 7 4	
	♥ 9 8 5	
	♦ 10 9 5 4	
	♣ K 3	
♠ 9 6 5		♠ 3 2
♥ 10		♥ Q 6 4 3
♦ J 7 6 2		♦ A Q 8 3
♣ A 9 6 5 2		♣ Q 8 7
	♠ A K Q J	
	♥ A K J 7 2	
	♦ K	
	♣ J 10 4	

Shape 4342 2443 4513 3145 HCP 3 10 22 5 Losers 10 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ³
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

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Board 6

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8		♠ 6 5 2
♥ K J 9 8 6		♥ Q 10 7 5
♦ J 6 4 3 2		♦ 7 5
♣ 9 7		♣ 8 5 3 2
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ K Q J 10 9
		♥ 4 2
		♦ Q 10 9
		♣ 10 6 4
		♠ A 7 4 3
		♥ A 3
		♦ A K 8
		♣ A K Q J

Shape 3424 5233 4234 1552 HCP 2 8 25 5 Losers 10 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 7

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K Q 7 4	
	♥ 10 7 3	
	♦ 7 4	
	♣ Q 9 8 3	
♠ J 10 9 8 5 3		♠ A 6
♥ J 6		♥ 9 8 5
♦ K J 5		♦ 10 9 3 2
♣ 10 2		♣ J 7 5 4
	♠ 2	
	♥ A K Q 4 2	
	♦ A Q 8 6	
	♣ A K 6	

Shape 4324 2344 1543 6232 HCP 7 5 22 6 Losers 8 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

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Board 8

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 4		♠ 7 6 3									
♥ A Q 4 2		♥ 8 7 6 3									
♦ J		♦ 10 4 2									
♣ Q J 10 8 6 5		♣ K 9 7									
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		♦ 8 7 6 5 3									
		♣ 3									
		♠ A K J									
		♥ K J 5									
		♦ A K Q 9									
		♣ A 4 2									

Shape 3433 5251 3343 2416 HCP 3 2 25 10 Losers 11 8 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 9

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 3 2		
♥ 7 5 3		
♦ 7 5 4		
♣ 9 8 7		
♠ Q 10 8 5 4		♠ 7
♥ Q 10 2		♥ J 8 6
♦ A 10 9 6		♦ Q J 3 2
♣ 3		♣ J 10 5 4 2
♠ A K 6		
♥ A K 9 4		
♦ K 8		
♣ A K Q 6		

Shape 4333 1345 3424 5341 HCP 1 5 26 8 Losers 12 9 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 10

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 7
♥ 8 7 6 5 4
♦ 10 8 7 6
♣ 2

♠ 2
♥ J 9 2
♦ K 5 4 2
♣ A J 8 4 3

W N E S

♠ K J 8 4 3
♥ —
♦ Q 9 3
♣ Q 10 7 6 5

♠ A Q 6 5
♥ A K Q 10 3
♦ A J
♣ K 9

Shape 3541 5035 4522 1345 HCP 0 8 23 9 Losers 10 6 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	5 ♣	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
5 ♣× by East
Down 1 — NS +200

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Board 11

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 3		♠ Q J 6 2									
♥ 8 5 4		♥ 10 9 2									
♦ J 3		♦ 10 7 2									
♣ A 10 9 5 3 2		♣ K 8 7									
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		♦ K 9 6 4									
		♣ 6									
		♠ A K									
		♥ A K Q 3									
		♦ A Q 8 5									
		♣ Q J 4									

Shape 4333 5341 2443 2326 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 10 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
Made 5 — NS +460

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Board 12

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ Q 8	
	♥ J 6 5 4	
	♦ 7 6	
	♣ J 10 5 4 3	
♠ 10 9		♠ 7 6 5 4 3
♥ 10 9 8 2		♥ 7 3
♦ A K 9 3		♦ 10 8 5 2
♣ A 6 2		♣ 8 7
	♠ A K J 2	
	♥ A K Q	
	♦ Q J 4	
	♣ K Q 9	

Shape 2425 5242 4333 2443 HCP 4 0 25 11 Losers 10 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

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Board 13

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 10 6 2	
	♥ K 2	
	♦ 6 5	
	♣ 10 8 5 4 3 2	
♠ 5 3		♠ J 9 7 4
♥ J 7 6 3		♥ 10 8 5
♦ K 10 7 4 3		♦ Q J 9 2
♣ J 9		♣ Q 6
	♠ A K Q 8	
	♥ A Q 9 4	
	♦ A 8	
	♣ A K 7	

Shape 3226 4342 4423 2452 HCP 3 6 26 5 Losers 9 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

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Board 14

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A K 10 6 5 2		♠ 8 7 4 3
♥ J 10 9 5 2		♥ 7 6
♦ —		♦ 6 5 4 2
♣ 8 5		♣ 7 6 3

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♠ Q J	♠ 9
♥ A Q 8	♥ K 4 3
♦ A K Q 8	♦ J 10 9 7 3
♣ A K J 9	♣ Q 10 4 2

Shape 4243 1354 2344 6502 HCP 0 6 26 8 Losers 11 8 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♠	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	Dbl
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass			Pass

1. strong
5 ♦ by North
Down 1 — NS -50

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Board 15

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 4		♠ Q 8 7 5
♥ 8 7 6		♥ 9 5
♦ J 7		♦ Q 10 8 6 5 4
♣ A 10 9 6 5 4		♣ 3

♠ 10 9 2		♠ A K 6 3
♥ 10 4 2		♥ A K Q J 3
♦ A K 9		♦ 3 2
♣ J 8 7 2		♣ K Q

Shape 4261 3334 4522 2326 HCP 4 8 22 6 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♠ by South
 Made 4 — NS +620

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Board 16

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 4		♠ 10 8 5 3									
♥ 9 7 5		♥ A 6 4									
♦ K 7 6 5 2		♦ 8 4									
♣ 9 8 2		♣ K 10 7 3									
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		♦ 10 9 3									
		♣ Q 5 4									
		♠ A K Q J									
		♥ K 3 2									
		♦ A Q J									
		♣ A J 6									

Shape 4324 3433 4333 2353 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 9 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

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Board 17

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 8 7 6 5 2		♠ Q 9 4
♥ Q 8 5 3		♥ 10 4
♦ 5		♦ Q 6 3
♣ K Q		♣ 8 7 6 5 2
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		♠ 10 3
		♥ K 9 7 6
		♦ 10 9 7 4
		♣ 10 9 3
		♠ A K
		♥ A J 2
		♦ A K J 8 2
		♣ A J 4

Shape 3235 2443 2353 6412 HCP 4 3 25 8 Losers 9 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by South
 Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 18

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 7 6 2	
	♥ J 5 2	
	♦ J 7 3	
	♣ K 7 2	
♠ A K 10 5 4		♠ Q 3
♥ 10 9 4		♥ 7 6
♦ 9 6		♦ 10 8 5 4
♣ Q 8 5		♣ J 10 9 6 4
	♠ 9 8	
	♥ A K Q 8 3	
	♦ A K Q 2	
	♣ A 3	

Shape 4333 2245 2542 5323 HCP 6 3 22 9 Losers 11 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, surplus

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

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Board 19

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 3	
	♥ 10 8 7 5	
	♦ Q J 8 7 4	
	♣ 8 4 2	
♠ 7 5 4		♠ 10 9 8 6
♥ Q 9 6 4		♥ J 3
♦ A 3		♦ 10 6 5 2
♣ J 10 9 7		♣ K 5 3
	♠ A K Q J 2	
	♥ A K 2	
	♦ K 9	
	♣ A Q 6	

Shape 1453 4243 5323 3424 HCP 3 4 26 7 Losers 9 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

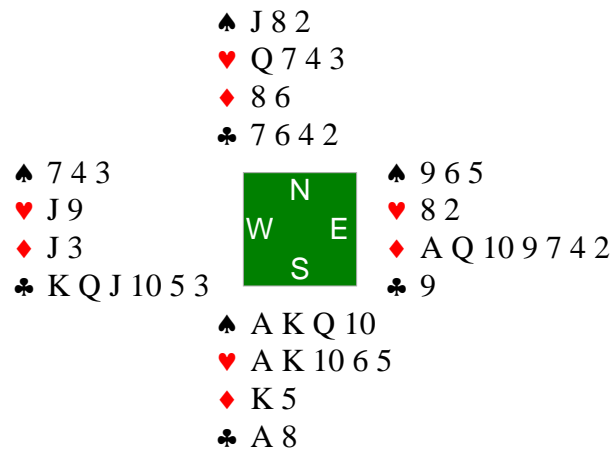
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 20

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 3424 3271 4522 3226 HCP 3 6 23 8 Losers 10 7 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	3 ♦	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

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Board 21

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 5 3	
	♥ 6 5	
	♦ 8 6 3	
	♣ A K 10 8 5 4	
♠ J 6		♠ Q 9 8 4 2
♥ J 10 4		♥ 9 7 2
♦ J 10 9 2		♦ Q 7
♣ 9 7 3 2		♣ Q J 6
	♠ A K 10 7	
	♥ A K Q 8 3	
	♦ A K 5 4	
	♣ —	

Shape 2236 5323 4540 2344 HCP 7 7 23 3 Losers 8 9 2 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

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Board 22

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 7 4 3 2

♥ 9 4 2

♦ 5 4 3

♣ J 6

♠ 8 6 5

♥ Q 7 3

♦ 7 6

♣ 9 8 7 5 4

♠ J 9

♥ K 10 8 6 5

♦ A K J 8

♣ 10 2

♠ A K Q

♥ A J

♦ Q 10 9 2

♣ A K Q 3

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Shape 3325 2542 3244 5332 HCP 2 12 25 1 Losers 10 7 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 23

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 8 7 6 2	
	♥ 5 4	
	♦ A 6 5 4	
	♣ 10 6 4	
♠ J 9 3		♠ Q 4
♥ 2		♥ K J 10 9 8
♦ Q 10 7 3 2		♦ J 9 8
♣ 9 8 7 2		♣ J 5 3
	♠ A K 10 5	
	♥ A Q 7 6 3	
	♦ K	
	♣ A K Q	

Shape 4243 2533 4513 3154 HCP 4 8 25 3 Losers 10 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

18ADA063573EDA859B493754F768

Board 24

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 10 5	
	♥ 8 6	
	♦ 9 7 6 2	
	♣ Q J 7 5 3	
♠ 9 3		♠ Q J 6 4 2
♥ 10 5 3		♥ J 9 7 4
♦ J 8 5 4 3		♦ A 10
♣ K 4 2		♣ 10 9
	♠ A K 8 7	
	♥ A K Q 2	
	♦ K Q	
	♣ A 8 6	

Shape 2245 5422 4423 2353 HCP 3 8 25 4 Losers 9 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 25

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 9 6 2	
	♥ 3 2	
	♦ K J 9 6 5 3	
	♣ 9	
♠ A Q		♠ 8 7 5
♥ 10 9		♥ 8 7 6 4
♦ 8		♦ Q 10 7 4
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	♠ K J 4 3	
	♥ A K Q J 5	
	♦ A 2	
	♣ A Q	

Shape 4261 3442 4522 2218 HCP 4 3 24 9 Losers 8 10 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
4 ♣	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

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Board 26

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 10 9		♠ J 6 5
♥ Q 6 5 3		♥ —
♦ K 7 2		♦ J 9 8 6 3
♣ Q 6 4		♣ J 10 9 7 2

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	♠ K 4	♠ Q 8 7 3 2
	♥ A K 10 9 7	♥ J 8 4 2
	♦ A Q	♦ 10 5 4
	♣ A K 8 3	♣ 5

Shape 3055 5431 2524 3433 HCP 3 3 23 11 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by South
 Made 3 — NS +600

1862A3E58BEA06243E045C13D660

Board 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 10 3		♠ 9 8 7 6 4
♥ 7		♥ J 9 6
♦ Q 9 8 6 3		♦ J 10
♣ 8 6 5 2		♣ K J 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 5 2
♥ 5 4 3
♦ 7 5
♣ A 10 9 7 3

♠ K J
♥ A K Q 10 8 2
♦ A K 4 2
♣ Q

Shape 5323 3325 2641 3154 HCP 6 8 22 4 Losers 10 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ³
Pass	3 NT ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

1AAD9A654DE81C3B701DFBA07B23

Board 28

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 5		♠ 9 8 6 2									
♥ 8 7 5 3		♥ J									
♦ 7 4 2		♦ A J 9 6									
♣ 10 9 7 4		♣ 8 5 3 2									
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		♠ Q J 7 3									
		♥ K 9 6									
		♦ K 10 8 5 3									
		♣ K									
		♠ A K 4									
		♥ A Q 10 4 2									
		♦ Q									
		♣ A Q J 6									

Shape 4144 4351 3514 2434 HCP 6 12 22 0 Losers 9 7 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

Made 4 — NS +630

1BAD60AC84641937521067F9F614

Board 29

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 9 8 6 2	
	♥ J	
	♦ J 10 8 5 3 2	
	♣ 8 5	
♠ 4 3		♠ K 10 7 5
♥ 8 4 3		♥ 9 7 6 2
♦ 9 4		♦ K 7 6
♣ K Q J 10 6 2		♣ 7 3
	♠ A Q J	
	♥ A K Q 10 5	
	♦ A Q	
	♣ A 9 4	

Shape 4162 4432 3523 2326 HCP 2 6 26 6 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

1861BD8CE3291F38DDE4366ADF48

Board 30

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 10 9 8 5		
	♥ Q 2		
	♦ 10 8 4 2		
	♣ J 9 3		
♠ J 7 6 3		♠ A 4 2	
♥ K 8 5		♥ 9 7 3	
♦ 6 5		♦ K Q 9 7 3	
♣ Q 8 6 2		♣ 5 4	
	♠ K Q		
	♥ A J 10 6 4		
	♦ A J		
	♣ A K 10 7		

Shape 4243 3352 2524 4324 HCP 3 9 22 6 Losers 11 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

1AA59C2532F4BC7E3FC608554A5C

Board 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 6		♠ Q J 7 5
♥ J 10 9 8 7		♥ 6 5 3
♦ J		♦ K 9 8 7 2
♣ K 10 9 5 2		♣ 7
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W S E </div>	
		♠ 8 4 3 2
		♥ K 4 2
		♦ 5 3
		♣ J 8 6 3
		♠ A K 9
		♥ A Q
		♦ A Q 10 6 4
		♣ A Q 4

Shape 4351 4324 3253 2515 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 8 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
Made 5 — NS +660

19AF99A5CE027C650C230E65DE70

Board 32

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 7 6 5		
	♥ J 10 7 5		
	♦ 10 6 2		
	♣ A 6		
♠ J 3		♠ 9 8 4 2	
♥ 9 2		♥ K 3	
♦ A J 9 7 5 3		♦ Q 8 4	
♣ 9 7 2		♣ J 10 5 3	
	♠ A K Q		
	♥ A Q 8 6 4		
	♦ K		
	♣ K Q 8 4		

Shape 4432 4234 3514 2263 HCP 5 6 23 6 Losers 10 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

28A148AAE2FF7ADB09DCEFE4C352

Board 33

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 7		
	♥ K 7 3		
	♦ K Q 9 8 7		
	♣ 10 8 5 3		
♠ J 10 8 6 5 4 3		♠ K 9 2	
♥ 10 9		♥ 8 6 2	
♦ 4		♦ 10 6 5	
♣ K 6 4		♣ Q J 9 2	
	♠ A Q		
	♥ A Q J 5 4		
	♦ A J 3 2		
	♣ A 7		

Shape 1354 3334 2542 7213 HCP 8 6 22 4 Losers 7 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	5 NT ⁴
Pass	6 ♣ ⁵	Pass	6 ♦ ⁶
Pass	7 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. !H queen no !C king no !D king
 5. King ask by available bid
 6. K=0
 - 7 ♥ by South
- Made 7 — NS +1510

2AA7A642E34B603C267A1134BB7F

Board 34

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J		♠ 8 7 5 4
♥ 8 6 4 3 2		♥ Q 10
♦ Q J 9 5		♦ 8 2
♣ 9 8 4		♣ A J 10 3 2
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W<div>S</div>E</div> </div>	♠ Q 10 9 6 2
		♥ 5
		♦ 10 6 3
		♣ K Q 7 6
		♠ A K 3
		♥ A K J 9 7
		♦ A K 7 4
		♣ 5

Shape 4225 5134 3541 1543 HCP 7 7 22 4 Losers 9 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
 3 N by South
 Made 4 — NS +630

29A965860B9FF2F6180C469F3DB0

Board 35

South Deals

E-W Vul

		♠ J 7 6 3	
		♥ Q J 6 5	
		♦ 9 2	
		♣ J 10 4	
♠ 9 8			♠ K 5
♥ 9 8 3 2			♥ 10 7 4
♦ 10 6 4 3			♦ K Q 8 5
♣ 7 6 2			♣ Q 9 8 5
		♠ A Q 10 4 2	
		♥ A K	
		♦ A J 7	
		♣ A K 3	

Shape 4423 2344 5233 2443 HCP 5 10 25 0 Losers 10 7 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

2BA2ADCD9660C53A0418C6756458

Board 36

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 8 7 6		
	♥ Q 9 7 5		
	♦ J 9 7 5 4 3		
	♣ —		
♠ Q 9 5		♠ 10 4 3 2	
♥ 8 4		♥ J 6 2	
♦ 8 6 2		♦ A 10	
♣ 10 7 6 3 2		♣ A J 8 5	
	♠ A K J		
	♥ A K 10 3		
	♦ K Q		
	♣ K Q 9 4		

Shape 3460 4324 3424 3235 HCP 3 10 25 2 Losers 8 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

2AA1B5E6AF7CC8088B9AC2CB543E

Board 37

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 8 2		
	♥ 9 8 7 5 4		
	♦ J 10 2		
	♣ J 7 4		
♠ Q 9 5 4		♠ 10 3	
♥ K 10 2		♥ 6 3	
♦ A 5		♦ 9 8 7 6 4	
♣ 10 9 8 3		♣ Q 6 5 2	
	♠ A K J 7 6		
	♥ A Q J		
	♦ K Q 3		
	♣ A K		

Shape 2533 2254 5332 4324 HCP 2 2 27 9 Losers 11 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

2969A4B8F76E8304EC2E5E040B92

Board 38

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 7		♠ 8 6 4 3
♥ Q J		♥ 9 8 4 3
♦ 10 7 6 5		♦ 9 2
♣ K Q 8 7 4		♣ J 9 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 10 5
♥ 5 2
♦ K J 8 4
♣ 10 6 5 2

♠ K Q 9 2
♥ A K 10 7 6
♦ A Q 3
♣ A

Shape 4423 3244 4531 2245 HCP 1 8 22 9 Losers 11 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 4 ♥ by South
 Made 4 — NS +420

2BAFADF208FEDB689757A2E003C6

Board 39

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 3		♠ 8 6
♥ J 3 2		♥ 9 7 6
♦ 7 6 2		♦ Q 5 4 3
♣ A 9 7 6 3		♣ Q 10 5 2
♠ Q 10 9 4 2		
♥ Q 10		
♦ J 9 8		
♣ J 8 4		
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	
♠ A K 7 5		
♥ A K 8 5 4		
♦ A K 10		
♣ K		

Shape 2335 2344 4531 5233 HCP 6 4 24 6 Losers 10 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	6 ♥ ⁷	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=1/5 or 4/5
7. no !H queen

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

28A0A9FD69FC061E88C66722477F

Board 40

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 9 8 4	
	♥ 9 7 6 3	
	♦ K J 7	
	♣ 5 3 2	
♠ Q 10 6		♠ J 5 3 2
♥ Q 10 2		♥ 8
♦ 9 6 5 3		♦ Q 10 8 2
♣ A 10 7		♣ 9 8 6 4
	♠ A K 7	
	♥ A K J 5 4	
	♦ A 4	
	♣ K Q J	

Shape 3433 4144 3523 3343 HCP 4 3 25 8 Losers 11 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

2969ABB5960C854F5F4C2734CEB0

Board 41

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3		♠ 10 5 4
♥ Q 4 2		♥ 10 9 8 6 3
♦ 10 8 7 6 3		♦ 2
♣ 10 6 4 2		♣ K 8 7 5
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♠ A 8 7 6
		♥ J 7
		♦ Q J 9 5 4
		♣ J 3
		♠ K Q J 9 2
		♥ A K 5
		♦ A K
		♣ A Q 9

Shape 3 5 1 4 4 2 5 2 5 3 2 3 1 3 5 4 HCP 3 9 26 2 Losers 9 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

2BADAAEE4F6F6C2F78A9A5B054966

Board 42

South Deals

Both Vul


♠ Q J 10 9 8		♠ 4
♥ J 10 8		♥ 9 7 4 3
♦ 7 6 5 3		♦ Q J 10 8 4 2
♣ Q		♣ 8 5

N

W

S

E



♠ A K 7 6	♠ 5 3 2
♥ A K Q 2	♥ 6 5
♦ A K	♦ 9
♣ A 4 3	♣ K J 10 9 7 6 2

Shape 1462 3217 4423 5341 HCP 3 4 27 6 Losers 8 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	3 ♣	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♣ ³
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. both majors
- 4 ♥ by North
- Made 7 — NS +710

2821615A27EE41F1FEFB0B265436

Board 43

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8 7 6		♠ A J 5 4 2
♥ 8 7 6 2		♥ 9 5
♦ J 4 3 2		♦ Q 6 5
♣ 3		♣ J 6 5
	<div>W<div>N S</div>E</div>	♠ K Q 9 3
		♥ Q 3
		♦ 10 7
		♣ Q 10 7 4 2
		♠ —
		♥ A K J 10 4
		♦ A K 9 8
		♣ A K 9 8

Shape 5233 4225 0544 4441 HCP 8 9 22 1 Losers 9 7 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +460

2AA186A69827F94E5201F01FDEFF

Board 44

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 6 4	
	♥ K 8 6	
	♦ 8 4 3 2	
	♣ 10 4 2	
♠ 9 5 3 2		♠ 8 7
♥ 9 5 2		♥ J 7 4 3
♦ A 7 6 5		♦ J 9
♣ J 5		♣ K Q 8 7 3
	♠ A K Q J	
	♥ A Q 10	
	♦ K Q 10	
	♣ A 9 6	

Shape 3343 2425 4333 4342 HCP 3 7 25 5 Losers 11 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

2B2DA9155963E3E6173044C0E8B2

Board 45

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 4 3		♠ A Q 7 6									
♥ 6 2		♥ 5 4									
♦ K J 3		♦ Q 8 7 5									
♣ 6 5 4 3		♣ 10 9 7									
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		♥ Q J 7									
		♦ 10 9 6 4 2									
		♣ 8 2									
		♠ K 2									
		♥ A K 10 9 8 3									
		♦ A									
		♣ A K Q J									

Shape 4243 3352 2614 4234 HCP 8 4 24 4 Losers 8 10 2 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

28A182358674671B61FBF24B4C5C

Board 46

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 5		♠ Q 8
♥ Q 10 6 5		♥ K J 4 3
♦ Q J 10 9		♦ 8 6 4
♣ 10 3 2		♣ 9 8 6 4
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ 10 9 7 4 3 2
		♥ 8 2
		♦ 3 2
		♣ K J 5
		♠ A K J
		♥ A 9 7
		♦ A K 7 5
		♣ A Q 7

Shape 2434 6223 3343 2443 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 10 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
Made 5 — NS +460

2AA5E658A9E71C5CC3C66EF3FF5F

Board 47

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9		
♥ 7 6		
♦ 9 8 5 3 2		
♣ 10 7 4 3 2		
♠ K 10 7 6 4 3		♠ Q 8 5 2
♥ 4 3		♥ Q 9 8 2
♦ 7 4		♦ Q J
♣ Q 9 8		♣ K 6 5

W

S

N
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S

♠ A J		
♥ A K J 10 5		
♦ A K 10 6		
♣ A J		

Shape 1255 4423 2542 6223 HCP 0 10 25 5 Losers 9 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

29ADB909B7F650F3AA76C6233E73

Board 48

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ Q 4 3		
	♥ Q 5		
	♦ 9 8 4 2		
	♣ J 8 4 2		
♠ 10 8 5		♠ 9 6 2	
♥ K J 10 8 6 3 2		♥ 9	
♦ A 3		♦ J 10 6 5	
♣ 9		♣ 10 7 6 5 3	
	♠ A K J 7		
	♥ A 7 4		
	♦ K Q 7		
	♣ A K Q		

Shape 3244 3145 4333 3721 HCP 5 1 26 8 Losers 10 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♥	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +460

3893A950A0FC1E0A372A36BEE826

Board 49

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 3		♠ 9 8 7 6 5 2
♥ 10 7 5 4		♥ 8
♦ 7 5 2		♦ K 8 6 3
♣ Q J 10 3		♣ A 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q
♥ A Q 9
♦ 10 9 4
♣ 9 8 6 5 4 2

♠ A K J 4
♥ K J 6 3 2
♦ A Q J
♣ K

Shape 6142 1336 4531 2434 HCP 7 8 22 3 Losers 7 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass			Pass

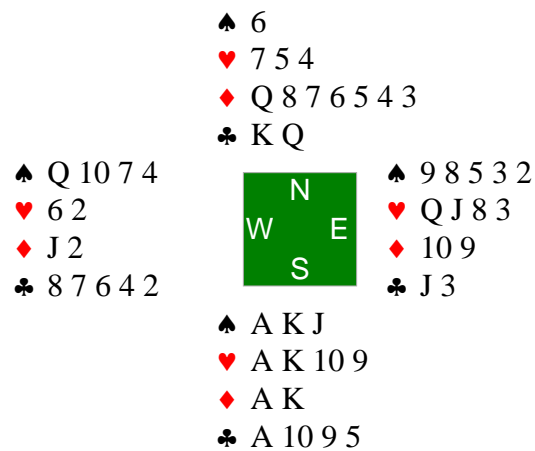
1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +980

3AA5A7DF92E9695CCC3C4DCC5E70

Board 50

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1372 5422 3424 4225 HCP 7 4 26 3 Losers 7 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 ♦ by North
Made 7 — NS +1390

3969296D760430D88F7EB333E645

Board 51

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 3		♠ K 10 9 4
♥ J 9 6 5 4		♥ 10 7 2
♦ Q 7 6		♦ 9 5 4
♣ 10 9 8		♣ 7 5 4
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ A Q J 6 2
		♥ 8
		♦ J 10 3 2
		♣ J 6 3
		♠ 7 5
		♥ A K Q 3
		♦ A K 8
		♣ A K Q 2

Shape 4333 5143 2434 2533 HCP 3 9 25 3 Losers 11 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

3BE5ADF1B020255864C3E7167632

Board 52

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 6 5		♠ 10 9 4 2									
♥ Q J 3 2		♥ 6									
♦ 8		♦ A 9 7 5 4 3									
♣ J 10 8 7		♣ 6 5									
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		♥ 8 4									
		♦ Q J 10 6 2									
		♣ 4 3 2									
		♠ K J									
		♥ A K 10 9 7 5									
		♦ K									
		♣ A K Q 9									

Shape 4162 3253 2614 4414 HCP 4 3 23 10 Losers 8 10 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

3AA554769623EE111B22CC20C3DB

Board 53

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5 3 2		♠ 10 8 7 6 4
♥ Q		♥ 5 3
♦ 10 8 6 4 3		♦ 9 5
♣ K 5 4		♣ 10 7 3 2

	♠ K Q
	♥ K J 8 7 2
	♦ 7 2
	♣ Q J 9 6

♠ A J	
♥ A 10 9 6 4	
♦ A K Q J	
♣ A 8	

Shape 5224 2524 2542 4153 HCP 0 12 23 5 Losers 10 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Dbl	Rdbl ³
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. artificial
- 4 ♠ by South
- Down 2 — NS -200

39B995A5E0C73402DD50D524323B

Board 54

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 7 5		♠ 9 8 4 3 2									
♥ A 9 3 2		♥ 10 8									
♦ 7		♦ J 8 6 3									
♣ J 9 6 4		♣ 10 2									
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		♠ 6									
		♥ K 7 6 5									
		♦ K Q 10 9 5 4									
		♣ 8 3									
		♠ A K Q									
		♥ Q J 4									
		♦ A 2									
		♣ A K Q 7 5									

Shape 5242 1462 3325 4414 HCP 1 8 25 6 Losers 10 6 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +460

3B69EDAB5E5A2EC68FF744FA2B1A

Board 55

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 9 3 2	
	♥ 8 7 5	
	♦ 8 6 5	
	♣ Q 7 6 3	
♠ K 8 6 4		♠ A J 10 5
♥ 6 4		♥ J 10 2
♦ A Q 10 4 3 2		♦ —
♣ 5		♣ J 10 9 8 4 2
	♠ Q 7	
	♥ A K Q 9 3	
	♦ K J 9 7	
	♣ A K	

Shape 3334 4306 2542 4261 HCP 2 7 22 9 Losers 11 8 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♦	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
			Pass

1. strong

2 ♦ by West

Down 1 — NS +100

38692161561A2A3438B6CAE710D2

Board 56

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ K 10 9 8 7 3		
	♥ 5		
	♦ A 10 9 7 5		
	♣ 4		
♠ 5 4 2		♠ A Q J	
♥ 8 7 6		♥ J 10 3 2	
♦ J 8 6 4		♦ —	
♣ 8 7 3		♣ J 10 9 6 5 2	
	♠ 6		
	♥ A K Q 9 4		
	♦ K Q 3 2		
	♣ A K Q		

Shape 6151 3406 1543 3343 HCP 7 9 23 1 Losers 6 7 2 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +460

39E9A9534BE0632DCE44C07AD0D6

Board 57

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 10 7 5 3 2		♠ Q J 9 6 4
♥ 4		♥ Q 3 2
♦ 8 7		♦ 6 2
♣ 10 6 5 3		♣ 7 4 2

♠ K		
♥ A K 10 9 8		
♦ A K J 4		
♣ A K 8		

Shape 1453 5323 1543 6124 HCP 6 5 25 4 Losers 8 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Cue bid, surplus
 4. Cue bid, surplus
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♥ by South
 Made 6 — NS +980

3B9D2DE76E3AC8B01242B907F5D6

Board 58

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 3 2		♠ K 10 7 4
♥ 10 8 5 3		♥ 9 6 4
♦ 10 9 5		♦ Q 4 3 2
♣ 9 8		♣ Q 4

W

S

N
E
S

N

E

♠ A 8 5		♠ J 6
♥ K Q J		♥ A 7 2
♦ A K J		♦ 8 7 6
♣ A K 5 3		♣ J 10 7 6 2

Shape 4342 2335 3334 4432 HCP 7 6 25 2 Losers 9 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

38B1A225FF454F754B449C337B50

Board 59

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J		♠ Q 4									
♥ A J 8 4 3		♥ 10 9 7 6									
♦ Q 10 8 6		♦ 7 3									
♣ 6 5 2		♣ J 9 7 4 3									
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		♥ 5 2									
		♦ J 9 5									
		♣ K									
		♠ A K 5									
		♥ K Q									
		♦ A K 4 2									
		♣ A Q 10 8									

Shape 2425 7231 3244 1543 HCP 3 4 25 8 Losers 10 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

3AA4E1A18A0F423B7F36DD72DEB9

Board 60

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 5 3		♠ 10 8 6
♥ 8 7 6 4 2		♥ J 10 9
♦ K Q 9 4		♦ 10 7 5 3
♣ A		♣ 10 8 7
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		♠ 9 7 4
		♥ 5 3
		♦ J 8 2
		♣ J 9 6 4 3
		♠ A Q J 2
		♥ A K Q
		♦ A 6
		♣ K Q 5 2

Shape 3343 3235 4324 3541 HCP 1 2 25 12 Losers 12 11 3 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by South
 Made 3 — NS +600

3BADA912F500F9D61336100FD1EC

Board 61

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 8 3 2		♠ Q 10 7 6 5 4
♥ J 9 6		♥ 10 4
♦ K 9		♦ J 8 6
♣ 10 5 2		♣ 7 4

	♠ —
	♥ Q 8 7 5 3
	♦ Q 10 7 5 3
	♣ Q 8 6

♠ A K
♥ A K 2
♦ A 4 2
♣ A K J 9 3

Shape 6232 0553 2335 5323 HCP 3 6 26 5 Losers 9 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

38A191B4F4D34543D7164A0A436C

Board 62

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 6 4		
	♥ 9 8 5 4 3		
	♦ 5 4		
	♣ 10 8 7 3		
♠ J 10 7		♠ 9 8 5 3 2	
♥ Q J		♥ K 10 7 6	
♦ Q J 9 7 6		♦ 2	
♣ Q J 2		♣ 6 5 4	
	♠ A K Q		
	♥ A 2		
	♦ A K 10 8 3		
	♣ A K 9		

Shape 2524 5413 3253 3253 HCP 0 3 27 10 Losers 10 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

3AA5F6802F52332DEC3A5AD45F24

Board 63

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 7 4		♠ J 9 8 6 2	
♥ K 9 6		♥ Q	
♦ Q 10 9		♦ J 8 7 3	
♣ Q 7 4 2		♣ J 9 3	
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		♠ 10 5 3	
		♥ 10 5 4 3	
		♦ 6 5	
		♣ K 10 6 5	
		♠ A Q	
		♥ A J 8 7 2	
		♦ A K 4 2	
		♣ A 8	

Shape 5143 3424 2542 3334 HCP 5 3 22 10 Losers 10 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +600

39A8A90A6EDE0107F73C39DC5A42

Board 64

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 7 4		♠ Q 9 8 6 5
♥ 7 6 5		♥ Q 9 8 2
♦ J 10 6 4		♦ 9 2
♣ A 6 4		♣ 8 7
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ J 3 2
		♥ 10 4 3
		♦ 8 7
		♣ Q J 10 3 2
		♠ A K
		♥ A K J
		♦ A K Q 5 3
		♣ K 9 5

Shape 5422 3325 2353 3343 HCP 4 4 27 5 Losers 8 10 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 6 — NS +490

48ADE3818E380A0117DAF0FD56FE

Board 65

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 6 5 4 2		♠ 10 9 8 7									
♥ 10 5 4 2		♥ Q J 9 8									
♦ 7 3		♦ 10 9 6									
♣ 10 5		♣ K 7									
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		♥ 7 6 3									
		♦ A J 4 2									
		♣ J 9 6 3 2									
		♠ A Q J									
		♥ A K									
		♦ K Q 8 5									
		♣ A Q 8 4									

Shape 4432 1345 3244 5422 HCP 6 6 25 3 Losers 9 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

4AA56D9A9478EBC11FF3C904CADF

Board 66

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 7 4	
	♥ 8 5 4 3	
	♦ K 7 2	
	♣ 9 7 6 2	
♠ 9 8 6 5 3 2		♠ K 10
♥ 10 6		♥ Q J 7 2
♦ 8 6		♦ Q 10 9 5 3
♣ J 10 4		♣ Q 3
	♠ A Q J	
	♥ A K 9	
	♦ A J 4	
	♣ A K 8 5	

Shape 2434 2452 3334 6223 HCP 3 10 26 1 Losers 10 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

49AB6BA69E53FFFFB62FC7656F30

Board 67

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 5		♠ 6 2
♥ 9 8 7 2		♥ 5
♦ J 9 8 6 3		♦ 10 2
♣ 2		♣ A K 10 9 8 6 5 3

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N
E

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♠ K 10 4 3
♥ J 10
♦ Q 7 5 4
♣ Q J 7

♠ A Q J 7
♥ A K Q 6 4 3
♦ A K
♣ 4

Shape 2128 4243 4621 3451 HCP 7 9 23 1 Losers 6 8 2 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	6 ♣	Dbl	3 ♥
Pass	Pass		Pass

1. strong
 6 ♣× by South
 Made 7 — NS +1190

4BAFACC1CF7AE64C670AF2557464

Board 68

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 9 5		♠ 6
♥ 10 5 3		♥ Q J 8 6
♦ 10 6		♦ 9 7 4 3 2
♣ K 8 3 2		♣ A J 7

	♠ 10 8 7 4 3 2
	♥ 4
	♦ Q 5
	♣ 10 9 6 5

♠ A K
♥ A K 9 7 2
♦ A K J 8
♣ Q 4

Shape 1453 6124 2542 4324 HCP 8 2 24 6 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♠ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	6 ♦ ⁵	Pass	7 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
 5. no !D queen
- 7 N by South
 Made 7 — NS +2220

4AA925DDE21A738204D3EEFD086E

Board 69

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ K 10 7 3		
	♥ 8 7 3		
	♦ Q 5 4 2		
	♣ 9 6		
♠ Q J 6 5 4			♠ 9 2
♥ 9 4			♥ Q 10 6
♦ J 9 8 6			♦ A 10 3
♣ 7 3			♣ J 10 8 5 2
	♠ A 8		
	♥ A K J 5 2		
	♦ K 7		
	♣ A K Q 4		

Shape 4342 2335 2524 5242 HCP 5 7 24 4 Losers 9 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

49A561A0200AEE1E354E5394CFBC

Board 70

South Deals

E-W Vul

		♠ J 10 8 7	
		♥ 10 6 3	
		♦ K Q J 5	
		♣ 5 3	
♠ 9 3			♠ K 6 5
♥ 7 2			♥ 8 5 4
♦ 9 8 6 3 2			♦ A 7 4
♣ Q J 4 2			♣ 10 9 8 6
		♠ A Q 4 2	
		♥ A K Q J 9	
		♦ 10	
		♣ A K 7	

Shape 4342 3334 4513 2254 HCP 7 7 23 3 Losers 9 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

4BED992CFF10DF620027EB7622CA

Board 71

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 9 5 2		♠ Q 10 7 6 3									
♥ J 4		♥ 7 2									
♦ K 5 2		♦ 6 4									
♣ Q 10 7		♣ J 9 6 5									
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		♣ 8 4 3 2									
		♠ K									
		♥ A Q 8 6 5 3									
		♦ A Q J 9									
		♣ A K									

Shape 5224 2344 1642 5233 HCP 3 3 23 11 Losers 9 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

48A1E5738BCE03FCF97F9F7EFF93

Board 72

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9		
♥ J 10 9		
♦ J 7		
♣ Q J 9 6 5 3 2		
♠ K 10 8 7 3		♠ Q 6 4
♥ Q 8 7 6 4 3		♥ 5 2
♦ K		♦ 10 8 6 5 4 3
♣ 8		♣ 10 4

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♠ A J 5 2
♥ A K
♦ A Q 9 2
♣ A K 7

Shape 1327 3262 4243 5611 HCP 5 2 25 8 Losers 8 9 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♣	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +920

49ABAEB8F56336ACE20442C01154

Board 73

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 7 4		♠ 9 6 3
♥ Q J 9		♥ 6 5 4
♦ K 8		♦ 10 7 5 4 3
♣ Q 8 6 4 2		♣ A 10

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W		E
	S	

♠ 10 5 2
♥ 3 2
♦ J 9 6 2
♣ K 9 7 5

♠ A K Q 8
♥ A K 10 8 7
♦ A Q
♣ J 3

Shape 3352 3244 4522 3325 HCP 4 4 23 9 Losers 10 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

4BAEA96C534876F31C9EFBD70584

Board 74

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 7 3	
	♥ 10 3 2	
	♦ 9 4 3 2	
	♣ J 8 5 4	
♠ 8 5 4		♠ Q J 10 9
♥ 9 8 5		♥ J 7 6 4
♦ K 10 5		♦ J 8
♣ Q 10 7 2		♣ A 9 6
	♠ A K 6 2	
	♥ A K Q	
	♦ A Q 7 6	
	♣ K 3	

Shape 2344 4423 4342 3334 HCP 1 9 25 5 Losers 11 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

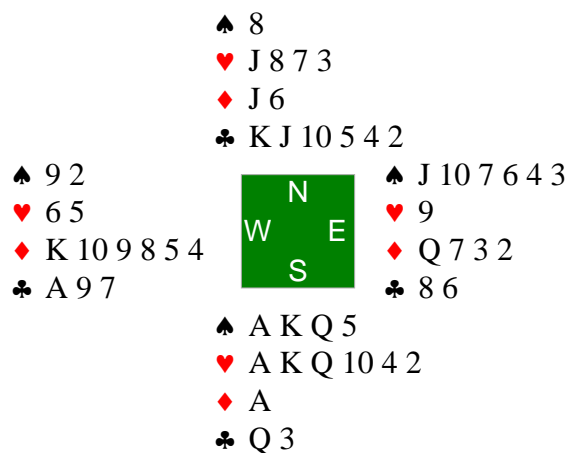
1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

48A0A7AD4B67D4064C7AB7674DEF

Board 75

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 1426 6142 4612 2263 HCP 6 3 24 7 Losers 8 8 2 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ ³	Pass	3 NT ⁴
Pass	4 ♣ ⁵	Pass	4 NT ⁶
Pass	5 ♣ ⁷	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
6. Blackwood 0314, for !H
7. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

4AA6A4A0D1D0140E2623DB7B3B4B

Board 76

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 5		♠ 9 8 7 6 3
♥ 4 3		♥ 8 2
♦ Q J 10 6		♦ 8
♣ K Q 10 9		♣ 6 5 4 3 2
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 4 2
		♥ J 10 9 5
		♦ 5 4 3 2
		♣ A 8 7
		♠ A K Q
		♥ A K Q 7 6
		♦ A K 9 7
		♣ J

Shape 5215 2443 3541 3244 HCP 0 5 26 9 Losers 9 10 2 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +1430

4B21A5695FFA1138A76360C63418

Board 77

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 4		♠ A 9 8 3 2
♥ 10 8 3		♥ 4
♦ Q 10 8 2		♦ K 7 4 3
♣ 8 5 3 2		♣ J 7 6
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ Q J 6 5
		♥ J 9 2
		♦ A 9 6 5
		♣ 10 4
		♠ K 7
		♥ A K Q 7 6 5
		♦ J
		♣ A K Q 9

Shape 5143 4342 2614 2344 HCP 8 8 22 2 Losers 8 9 2 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
3 N by North
Made 6 — NS +690

Board 78

None Vul

♠ 6 4
♥ 6 3
♦ 7 4 3
♣ A 10 8 7 5 4

West <i>EPBot4</i>	North <i>EPBot1</i>	East <i>EPBot2</i>	South <i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

Board 79
South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ 7 3
♥ J 10 8 3
♦ J 7 6 4
♣ 6 5 2

♠ Q 10 6 4
♥ 9 6
♦ 9 8 5 2
♣ 10 4 3



♠ 9 8 5 2
♥ K 7 5 2
♦ Q 3
♣ K Q 8

♠ A K J
♥ A Q 4
♦ A K 10
♣ A J 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

49AA89BDCAC77059CBCF7C634416

Board 80

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 2		
	♥ K J 10 7 6 3		
	♦ 9 4		
	♣ 10 7 6 4		
♠ J 10 7 6		♠ 9 8 5 4 3	
♥ Q 9 5		♥ 8 2	
♦ Q 6 5		♦ 10 3 2	
♣ 9 5 3		♣ A J 2	
	♠ A K Q		
	♥ A 4		
	♦ A K J 8 7		
	♣ K Q 8		

Shape 1624 5233 3253 4333 HCP 4 5 26 5 Losers 8 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

5 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

58A162BBBFE4D03E4AFF45C70A6D

Board 81

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 8 3		
	♥ 7 5 4 3		
	♦ Q 7 3		
	♣ Q J 6 4		
♠ 10 9 6 4		♠ K 7 5 2	
♥ Q J 8 6		♥ 9	
♦ 10 5 4		♦ J 8 6 2	
♣ 10 9		♣ K 8 7 3	
	♠ A Q J		
	♥ A K 10 2		
	♦ A K 9		
	♣ A 5 2		

Shape 2434 4144 3433 4432 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 9 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

5AA5A1CE6AAAFBFAE8354C1F1C3C

Board 82

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 6 4 3 2		
	♥ Q 5		
	♦ Q 5 4 3 2		
	♣ 9 4		
♠ Q 9 8 7		♠ J 5	
♥ 9 8 6 2		♥ 4 3	
♦ K		♦ J 10 9 8 7	
♣ 7 5 3 2		♣ Q J 10 8	
	♠ A K 10		
	♥ A K J 10 7		
	♦ A 6		
	♣ A K 6		

Shape 4252 2254 3523 4414 HCP 4 5 26 5 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

59A9A1C2A41235D8D01E82F39CC6

Board 83

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 8 7 4 2		♠ 10 9 6
♥ 9 4		♥ Q 5 2
♦ 6 3		♦ K Q 10 7 5 4
♣ J 8 7 3		♣ 4

W

N

E

S

	♠ —
	♥ 10 8 7 6 3
	♦ J 9 2
	♣ Q 10 6 5 2

♠ A K J 5 3
♥ A K J
♦ A 8
♣ A K 9

Shape 3361 0535 5323 5224 HCP 7 3 27 3 Losers 7 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass			Pass

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, surplus

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

5BAE2DE987CA03D80ED2E6196AF6

Board 84

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 7 4		
♥ J 10 9 7		
♦ J 5 2		
♣ J 9		
♠ Q 10 8 6 5 2		♠ 3
♥ 2		♥ 8 6 4
♦ Q 10 8 4 3		♦ 9 6
♣ 8		♣ A 10 7 6 5 3 2
♠ A J		
♥ A K Q 5 3		
♦ A K 7		
♣ K Q 4		

Shape 4432 1327 2533 6151 HCP 6 4 26 4 Losers 10 8 3 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	3 ♣	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

5AA5C3A772F8095CDC6B77647F2E

Board 85

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 9 2	
	♥ K 9	
	♦ 8 7 3 2	
	♣ K Q 6 5 3	
♠ K 10 7		♠ J 8 6 5 4 3
♥ J 10 5 3		♥ 8 7
♦ K J		♦ 10 9 6
♣ 10 8 7 4		♣ J 2
	♠ A Q	
	♥ A Q 6 4 2	
	♦ A Q 5 4	
	♣ A 9	

Shape 2245 6232 2542 3424 HCP 8 2 22 8 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 3 N by North
 Made 6 — NS +690

59E968A4407F0B4D162E3CAB1C46

Board 86

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 9 7 6 5 3	
	♥ J 9 8 2	
	♦ J	
	♣ 10 9 4	
♠ A		♠ K J 10 8 2
♥ 10 5		♥ 7 3
♦ 10 8 6 5 3		♦ Q 7 2
♣ K Q J 5 3		♣ 7 6 2
	♠ Q 4	
	♥ A K Q 6 4	
	♦ A K 9 4	
	♣ A 8	



Shape 5413 5233 2542 1255 HCP 2 6 22 10 Losers 10 9 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 NT ²	Pass	3 ♦	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong

2. Unusual 2 NT

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

5BEDAD62C3D2D90890F72609E20B

Board 87

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 10 9 6 3		♠ 8 5 4 2									
♥ 6		♥ J 8 4 2									
♦ 9 8 4 2		♦ 6 5									
♣ 8 7		♣ J 6 2									
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		♣ Q 10 5 3									
		♠ K 7									
		♥ A K Q 5 3									
		♦ A K									
		♣ A K 9 4									

Shape 4423 1354 2524 6142 HCP 2 7 26 5 Losers 11 8 2 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

Board 88

None Vul

♠ 6 4
♥ Q 10 6
♦ 9 2
♣ 9 8 7 6 5 3

West <i>EPBot4</i>	North <i>EPBot1</i>	East <i>EPBot2</i>	South <i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

5969B8AED3276F9A375F2AFC3350

Board 89

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 4		♠ 10 7 5 3									
♥ K 7 4 3		♥ —									
♦ Q 9 6 4		♦ J 3 2									
♣ K 4 2		♣ J 10 9 7 6 3									
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		♥ J 8 6 2									
		♦ 10 7									
		♣ Q 8 5									
		♠ K Q 8									
		♥ A Q 10 9 5									
		♦ A K 8 5									
		♣ A									

Shape 4036 4423 3541 2443 HCP 2 7 22 9 Losers 9 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50

5BACAD42E7484C154FCA7280CB98

Board 90

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 6 3		♠ 8									
♥ 5		♥ Q 10 9 7 6 4 3									
♦ 10 6 3 2		♦ J 8									
♣ A 10 9 4 2		♣ J 7 3									
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		♥ 8 2									
		♦ Q 5 4									
		♣ Q 6 5									
		♠ A K 4 2									
		♥ A K J									
		♦ A K 9 7									
		♣ K 8									

Shape 1723 5233 4342 3145 HCP 4 6 25 5 Losers 8 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

58A6A52340E82CBA6ACA4C3E9844

Board 91

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 6		♠ Q 9 4									
♥ 8 4		♥ J 6 5 2									
♦ A K 2		♦ 10 8 7 6 3									
♣ J 10 9 5 3 2		♣ Q									
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		♥ 3									
		♦ 9 5 4									
		♣ A 8 7 6 4									
		♠ A K 8 3									
		♥ A K Q 10 9 7									
		♦ Q J									
		♣ K									

Shape 3451 4135 4621 2236 HCP 5 5 22 8 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ³
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

5AB5A16876C22ABEA36BD0CF4F3E

Board 92

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 2		
♥ 10 4 3		
♦ 8 4 3 2		
♣ 7 6 4 3		
♠ 10 5 4		♠ Q J 6 3
♥ A J 8 2		♥ 5
♦ K 10 7 5		♦ Q 9 6
♣ Q 5		♣ J 10 9 8 2
♠ A K 8 7		
♥ K Q 9 7 6		
♦ A J		
♣ A K		

Shape 2344 4135 4522 3442 HCP 0 6 24 10 Losers 11 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

5BAD93B1E9194378227303C50CF0

Board 93

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 10 7 5 3	
	♥ 9 5 4 3	
	♦ 4	
	♣ K 9 6 5	
♠ J 4 2	<div>W<div>N S</div>E</div>	♠ 9 8 6
♥ Q 8 6 2		♥ K 10
♦ J 10 8		♦ K Q 9 7 6 5 2
♣ 8 3 2		♣ 7
	♠ A K Q	
	♥ A J 7	
	♦ A 3	
	♣ A Q J 10 4	

Shape 4414 3271 3325 3433 HCP 3 8 25 4 Losers 9 6 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	3 ♦	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

58A4A13360FB7E66CB5EEBC3973E

Board 94

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 7 5 4		♠ Q 2									
♥ Q 10 9 2		♥ 7 4									
♦ A 8 3		♦ 10 7 5									
♣ A J		♣ Q 10 7 5 4 3									
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		♥ 6 3									
		♦ 9 6 2									
		♣ 9 8 6 2									
		♠ A K 3									
		♥ A K J 8 5									
		♦ K Q J 4									
		♣ K									

Shape 2236 4234 3541 4432 HCP 4 1 24 11 Losers 9 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +430

5AA7697D64C8EE0C361813C2A6C8

Board 95

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 8 7 6 5		
	♥ 10 8 4 2		
	♦ Q 9 8		
	♣ A 5		
♠ 10 9 4 2		♠ K Q J	
♥ Q 7		♥ 6 5	
♦ 5 4		♦ K 10 6 2	
♣ J 10 8 6 2		♣ 9 7 4 3	
	♠ A 3		
	♥ A K J 9 3		
	♦ A J 7 3		
	♣ K Q		

Shape 4432 3244 2542 4225 HCP 6 9 22 3 Losers 9 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Stayman
 - 4 ♥ by South
- Made 6 — NS +680

59A9A856C41249F010FA1EB14800

Board 96

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8 6		♠ 10 7 5 2
♥ 8 6 4		♥ J 9 3 2
♦ 5		♦ 10 8 7 4 2
♣ K J 8 7 3 2		♣ —
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ Q 9 3
		♥ Q 10 7 5
		♦ Q J
		♣ Q 10 6 5
		♠ A K 4
		♥ A K
		♦ A K 9 6 3
		♣ A 9 4

Shape 4450 3424 3253 3316 HCP 1 9 25 5 Losers 9 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

68A1F02C6BF28E5C606C050B1AC4

Board 97

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ Q 5 4 3		
	♥ 9 5 4 2		
	♦ J 4 3		
	♣ J 4		
♠ K 10 2		♠ J 8 7 6	
♥ K 10		♥ 8 3	
♦ 5 2		♦ Q 9 8 6	
♣ K Q 8 7 6 2		♣ 10 9 3	
	♠ A 9		
	♥ A Q J 7 6		
	♦ A K 10 7		
	♣ A 5		

Shape 4432 4243 2542 3226 HCP 4 3 22 11 Losers 10 10 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
4 ♥ by South
Made 5 — NS +450

6AABA560B11E5EBA2EC2601D0CF3

Board 98

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 7 4 3		
	♥ 6 3		
	♦ 10 9 7 4 3		
	♣ A 2		
♠ 6 2		♠ Q 9 5	
♥ J 8 2		♥ 10 9 4	
♦ Q J 6 5 2		♦ A 8	
♣ Q 5 3		♣ 10 9 8 7 6	
	♠ A K J 8		
	♥ A K Q 7 5		
	♦ K		
	♣ K J 4		

Shape 4252 3325 4513 2353 HCP 4 6 24 6 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♠ by South
 Made 5 — NS +650

69A9C9FA2BBF2F7E84D75D33560E

Board 99

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ J 9 4 2	
	♥ K 7 2	
	♦ 4	
	♣ J 10 9 6 4	
♠ K Q 6	<div>W<div>NSE</div>E</div>	♠ 8 5 3
♥ Q 10 8 4		♥ 6 5 3
♦ 10 9 8 5 2		♦ 7 6 3
♣ 7		♣ Q 8 3 2
	♠ A 10 7	
	♥ A J 9	
	♦ A K Q J	
	♣ A K 5	

Shape 4315 3334 3343 3451 HCP 5 2 26 7 Losers 9 11 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +460

6B9DE58C287C066720C4D3F212EE

Board 100

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 6 5 4 2		♠ J 9 7 3									
♥ 10 4		♥ Q 9 6									
♦ J		♦ K 9 8 6									
♣ Q J 10 7 6		♣ 8 5									
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	N										
W		E									
	S										
		♠ 10 8									
		♥ A 5 3									
		♦ 7 5 4 3									
		♣ 9 4 3 2									
		♠ A Q									
		♥ K J 8 7 2									
		♦ A Q 10 2									
		♣ A K									

Shape 4342 2344 2542 5215 HCP 6 4 23 7 Losers 9 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

6A65A7AFF8783B200ABC5E16E14C

Board 101

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 3		♠ 9 8 7 4
♥ J 10 9 6		♥ 7 2
♦ 8 3		♦ Q 6 5 2
♣ J 10 8 6 2		♣ K Q 9
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W S E</div> </div>	♠ A 10 5 2
		♥ 5 4
		♦ J 10 9 7
		♣ 7 5 4
		♠ K Q 6
		♥ A K Q 8 3
		♦ A K 4
		♣ A 3

Shape 4243 4243 3532 2425 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 8 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

69A9EB4A6D62D0766CDF4DFE0301

Board 102

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 6 4		♠ 3 2
♥ 8 4		♥ Q 5 3 2
♦ J 7 6 5 4		♦ 10 9 3 2
♣ 9 7		♣ K 6 3

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	♠ A	♠ Q J 10 8 7 5
	♥ A K J 10 7	♥ 9 6
	♦ A K Q	♦ 8
	♣ A J 5 2	♣ Q 10 8 4

Shape 2443 6214 1534 4252 HCP 5 5 26 4 Losers 9 7 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	6 ♣ ⁵	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
 5. !H queen and !C king
- 7 ♥ by South
 Made 7 — NS +1510

6BAF91EDEB801EF6B3445AC64F38

Board 103

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 9 2	
	♥ 10 6 4 3	
	♦ 8 6 4	
	♣ A J 7 3	
♠ Q J 8 4		♠ 6 5 3
♥ 8 7 2		♥ K 9 5
♦ J 5 2		♦ K 10 7
♣ 10 6 2		♣ 9 8 5 4
	♠ A K 10 7	
	♥ A Q J	
	♦ A Q 9 3	
	♣ K Q	

Shape 2434 3334 4342 4333 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 10 10 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

68B142A1A5471AC057FED8D8CA9B

Board 104

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 6 5 4 3		♠ 9									
♥ A 6		♥ K 10 8 3									
♦ J 10 7		♦ 9 5 4 3 2									
♣ 8 5 4		♣ 10 7 2									
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W		E									
	S										
		♠ K 10 7									
		♥ 9 7 5 4 2									
		♦ 6									
		♣ K 9 6 3									
		♠ A Q J 2									
		♥ Q J									
		♦ A K Q 8									
		♣ A Q J									

Shape 1453 3514 4243 5233 HCP 3 6 26 5 Losers 9 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

69A5A94D042E7EF9CC170A0E0D54

Board 105

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 6 5 4 3
♥ Q J 7 5 4 3
♦ —
♣ 6

♠ 8 7
♥ 9 8
♦ Q 10 9 7 4 3
♣ J 7 2

♠ A K
♥ A K 10
♦ K 8 5
♣ A K Q 8 3

♠ Q 9 2
♥ 6 2
♦ A J 6 2
♣ 10 9 5 4

W N E S

Shape 6601 3244 2335 2263 HCP 4 7 26 3 Losers 6 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. strong
2. waiting
4 ♠ by South
Made 6 — NS +480

6B9D2EA819F6220A283ABB861360

Board 106

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10		♠ K J 9 8 7 6 3
♥ 10 6 5		♥ 8 4
♦ Q J 8 7 6 5		♦ 10 4
♣ Q 7 2		♣ 5 3

♠ 2

♥ A J 3

♦ 9 3 2

♣ K 10 9 8 6 4

N
E

W
S

♠ A Q 5 4
♥ K Q 9 7 2
♦ A K
♣ A J

Shape 7222 1336 4522 1363 HCP 4 8 23 5 Losers 8 8 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♠

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +680

68A0A9A703A612265A367416DBFA

Board 107

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ J 9 8 6 4	
	♥ J	
	♦ K 7 3 2	
	♣ Q J 3	
♠ 3 2		♠ 7 5
♥ 6 5 2		♥ 9 7 4 3
♦ Q 10 8 6 5 4		♦ —
♣ A 5		♣ 10 9 8 7 6 4 2
	♠ A K Q 10	
	♥ A K Q 10 8	
	♦ A J 9	
	♣ K	

Shape 5143 2407 4531 2362 HCP 8 0 26 6 Losers 8 8 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

6AE5B52953494EE4DC9063104E03

Board 108

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8 7		♠ Q 4 2
♥ K		♥ 10 9 3 2
♦ J 6 5 4 2		♦ 9 7 3
♣ 8 7 6 4		♣ J 5 2
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ J 10 9 5 3
		♥ J 7 6 4
		♦ Q 10
		♣ 9 3
		♠ K 6
		♥ A Q 8 5
		♦ A K 8
		♣ A K Q 10

Shape 3433 5422 2434 3154 HCP 3 4 25 8 Losers 11 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630


6BEDA3AD4AB922530764F6FA481B

Board 109

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 9 7 2	
	♥ J 7 3	
	♦ 7 6 5	
	♣ K 8 7 2	
♠ A 5 4		♠ J 8 6 3
♥ 10 5 4		♥ 8 2
♦ J 10 4 3 2		♦ K 9 8
♣ 6 3		♣ J 9 5 4



	♠ K Q 10	
	♥ A K Q 9 6	
	♦ A Q	
	♣ A Q 10	

Shape 3334 4234 3523 3352 HCP 4 5 26 5 Losers 11 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

68E1F1225A28EA9B2ED2CE0AF9F4

Board 110

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A K 9 6 5 3 2		♠ Q 10 7 4
♥ K 3 2		♥ 5 4
♦ 2		♦ J 10 9 8 4 3
♣ 10 2		♣ 8

W

N

S

E

	♠ J
	♥ J 8 6
	♦ 7 5
	♣ Q J 9 7 6 5 4

♠ 8
♥ A Q 10 9 7
♦ A K Q 6
♣ A K 3

Shape 4261 1327 1543 7312 HCP 3 5 22 10 Losers 8 8 3 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♠	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong
4 ♥ by South
Down 1 — NS -50

6A65ABED690DF20E78C3EBF6E35B

Board 111

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 6 5 4 3		♠ 10 8
♥ 9 7 4		♥ 10 8 6
♦ 9 6 3		♦ Q 10 8
♣ 7		♣ K 6 5 3 2
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♠ A J 7 2
		♥ 2
		♦ K J 7 5 2
		♣ 9 8 4
		♠ K
		♥ A K Q J 5 3
		♦ A 4
		♣ A Q J 10

Shape 2335 4153 1624 6331 HCP 5 9 24 2 Losers 9 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

692DA9977E218672CEE7FF04B260

Board 112

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 6 5		♠ A 10 4
♥ J 8 5 3		♥ 9 7 4
♦ A J 7 5		♦ 10 8 3 2
♣ 4 2		♣ Q 6 5
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ J 8 2
		♥ Q
		♦ Q 9 6 4
		♣ J 9 8 7 3
		♠ K Q 9 3
		♥ A K 10 6 2
		♦ K
		♣ A K 10

Shape 3343 3145 4513 3442 HCP 6 6 22 6 Losers 10 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

7860A1BDD58FDFF70ECEFC0B4132

Board 113

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 7 4 2	
	♥ 10 7 6 4 3	
	♦ 4	
	♣ 10 9 8 4	
♠ J 9 8 6 5		♠ A 3
♥ Q 8 5 2		♥ J 9
♦ J 8		♦ Q 10 9 7 6 5
♣ A 5		♣ 7 6 2
	♠ K Q 10	
	♥ A K	
	♦ A K 3 2	
	♣ K Q J 3	

Shape 3514 2263 3244 5422 HCP 0 7 25 8 Losers 10 8 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

7A25B5B6731923543E20CE68D80B

Board 114

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5 3		♠ A 10 9 7 6 2
♥ K Q J 7		♥ 5 2
♦ J 9 6		♦ 7 5
♣ 8 6 4 3		♣ J 9 2
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W S E </div>	♠ J 8 4
		♥ 10 8 3
		♦ 10 4 3 2
		♣ Q 7 5
		♠ K Q
		♥ A 9 6 4
		♦ A K Q 8
		♣ A K 10

Shape 6223 3343 2443 2434 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 9 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +1430

79E981E9AC325243EE76042FDFD5

Board 115

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q 7 3 2		♠ 10 5 4
♥ 10 6		♥ K 8 5
♦ J 7 4 3		♦ K 10 9 8
♣ J 5		♣ 8 4 3
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	
		♠ 9 8 6
		♥ 9 3 2
		♦ 6 5 2
		♣ 10 9 7 6
		♠ K J
		♥ A Q J 7 4
		♦ A Q
		♣ A K Q 2

Shape 3343 3334 2524 5242 HCP 6 0 26 8 Losers 10 12 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

7BAD5DF1B232CB7A262E0C04F209

Board 116

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 3		♠ 10 7 6 5 4 2
♥ Q J 10 8 3		♥ 9 5 4 2
♦ 9 8 2		♦ 7 4
♣ 5 4		♣ 9

♠ A J		♠ K 8
♥ A 7 6		♥ K
♦ A K 6 5		♦ Q J 10 3
♣ A K Q 2		♣ J 10 8 7 6 3

	♠ N	
W		E
	♠ S	

Shape 6421 2146 2344 3532 HCP 0 10 25 5 Losers 9 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

7A256574485F616EDCC09F4CE2C7

Board 117

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 6 3 2		♠ A
♥ Q		♥ J 6 4 2
♦ 9 6 3		♦ 10 8 7 5 4
♣ Q J 7 6 4		♣ 10 5 2

	♠ 5	♠ K Q J 10 9 8 4
	♥ A K 9 8 3	♥ 10 7 5
	♦ A K Q 2	♦ J
	♣ A K 9	♣ 8 3

	♠ 5	
	♥ A K 9 8 3	
	♦ A K Q 2	
	♣ A K 9	

Shape 1453 7312 1543 4135 HCP 5 7 23 5 Losers 9 7 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	3 ♠	2 ♣ ¹
4 ♠	4 NT ³	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +1430

79E8A52D18DD17F3EA7214074860

Board 118

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 10 8 7		♠ Q J 9 5 4
♥ 8 6		♥ 4 3
♦ Q 10		♦ 8 6 2
♣ A J 5 3 2		♣ 9 8 4
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W<div>S</div>E</div> </div>	♠ 6 3 2
		♥ J 10 9 5
		♦ K 9 5 4
		♣ 7 6
		♠ K
		♥ A K Q 7 2
		♦ A J 7 3
		♣ K Q 10

Shape 5233 3442 1543 4225 HCP 3 4 22 11 Losers 10 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

4 ♦ by South

Down 2 — NS -100

7BADBDC45A21D5F394341B11E442

Board 119

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 8 3		♠ 10 6 5 4
♥ K 8 6		♥ Q 2
♦ J 5		♦ Q 9 7 6 3
♣ Q 7 6 3		♣ 8 5

	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	

	♠ A K 7	♠ J 2
	♥ A 10 3	♥ J 9 7 5 4
	♦ A K	♦ 10 8 4 2
	♣ A K 10 9 4	♣ J 2

Shape 4252 2542 3325 4324 HCP 4 3 25 8 Losers 9 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

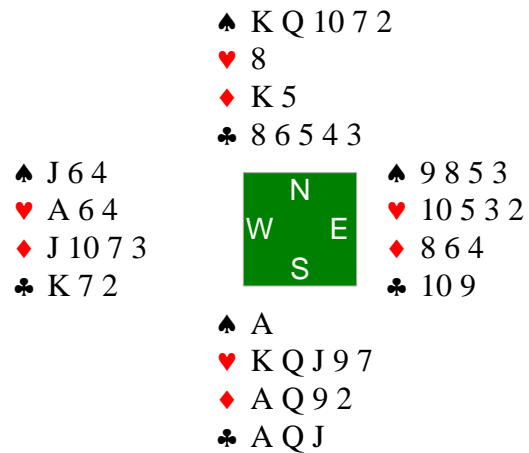
- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +630

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Board 120

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 5125 4432 1543 3343 HCP 8 0 23 9 Losers 6 11 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +460

79AAA91F22224738FC6F8634FE86

Board 121

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 3		♠ Q J 10 8 4
♥ 8 7 4 3		♥ 9 5 2
♦ Q 7 6 3		♦ J 10
♣ 8 7 4		♣ Q 9 6

	♠ 9 6
	♥ Q
	♦ 9 5 4 2
	♣ A J 10 5 3 2

	♠ A K 5 2
	♥ A K J 10 6
	♦ A K 8
	♣ K

Shape 5323 2146 4531 2443 HCP 6 7 25 2 Losers 9 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

7B9D6DFF8903455B297BCA30729B

Board 122

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 5		♠ 10 7 4									
♥ Q 6 4 3		♥ J 10 9 5									
♦ J 8 7 6 5 2		♦ 9									
♣ 4		♣ Q 10 8 6 2									
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		♦ 10 4 3									
		♣ 5 3									
		♠ A J 2									
		♥ K 7									
		♦ A K Q									
		♣ A K J 9 7									

Shape 3415 5332 3235 2461 HCP 3 7 25 5 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

78A0819D30532D1AC444063FD49F

Board 123

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ J 9 8 5 4	
	♥ K 7 6 5	
	♦ 8	
	♣ 10 4 2	
♠ 7 3		♠ 10 6
♥ J 4		♥ Q 10 8 3 2
♦ 7 6 5 3		♦ Q 9 4 2
♣ A J 7 6 3		♣ 8 5
	♠ A K Q 2	
	♥ A 9	
	♦ A K J 10	
	♣ K Q 9	

Shape 5413 2542 4243 2245 HCP 4 4 26 6 Losers 9 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

7AA5F0ADAC460C385A680B8E6038

Board 124

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K		♠ 9 8 5 2
♥ K 8 2		♥ 10 9 5 4
♦ K 3		♦ Q J 9 4
♣ K J 9 8 6 3 2		♣ 5

	♠ 10 7 6 3
	♥ 7
	♦ 8 7 6 5 2
	♣ 10 7 4

	♠ A Q J 4
	♥ A Q J 6 3
	♦ A 10
	♣ A Q



Shape 4441 4153 4522 1327 HCP 3 0 24 13 Losers 9 10 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ²
Pass	3 NT ³	Pass	4 ♣ ⁴
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by South

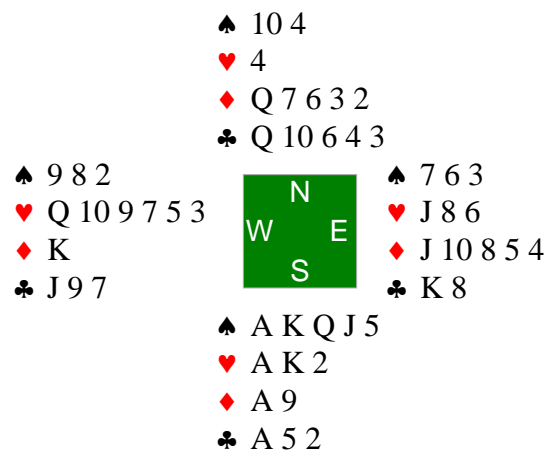
Made 5 — NS +650

7BADAAB79033FCD27457B10377E5

Board 125

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 2155 3352 5323 3613 HCP 4 5 25 6 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by South
 Made 4 — NS +630

78A0A96A906AF704694ADECCBFFB

Board 126

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 5 4 2		♠ 8
♥ 9 3 2		♥ 8 6 4
♦ 9 8		♦ K Q 10 7 6 2
♣ A J 8 4		♣ 9 3 2

	♠ Q 10 7 6
	♥ J 5
	♦ 5 4 3
	♣ Q 10 6 5

♠ A K J 3	
♥ A K Q 10 7	
♦ A J	
♣ K 7	

Shape 1363 4234 4522 4324 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 8 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ³	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	3 NT ⁴
Pass			Pass

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, surplus

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

7AB595D9E1B2EF4CE8031F1A486C

Board 127

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 6 5 4	
	♥ 8 6 3	
	♦ 9 8 5 2	
	♣ 9 6 5	
♠ Q J 9 7	<div>W<div>N S</div>E</div>	♠ 8 3 2
♥ A 10		♥ K Q 5 4
♦ J 10 6		♦ Q 7 4 3
♣ 8 7 3 2		♣ 10 4
	♠ A K 10	
	♥ J 9 7 2	
	♦ A K	
	♣ A K Q J	

Shape 3343 3442 3424 4234 HCP 0 7 25 8 Losers 12 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +600

79A8A4636D18BE8C4C56E4010737

Board 128

South Deals

E-W Vul

		♠ 10 4 3 2	
		♥ 8 7 4 3	
		♦ Q 4	
		♣ Q 3 2	
♠ 5			♠ Q J 7 6
♥ 9 2			♥ 10 6
♦ J 9 8 7			♦ K 6 5 3 2
♣ A K 10 8 7 5			♣ 9 6
		♠ A K 9 8	
		♥ A K Q J 5	
		♦ A 10	
		♣ J 4	

Shape 4423 4252 4522 1246 HCP 4 6 22 8 Losers 10 8 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ²
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4 ♥ by South

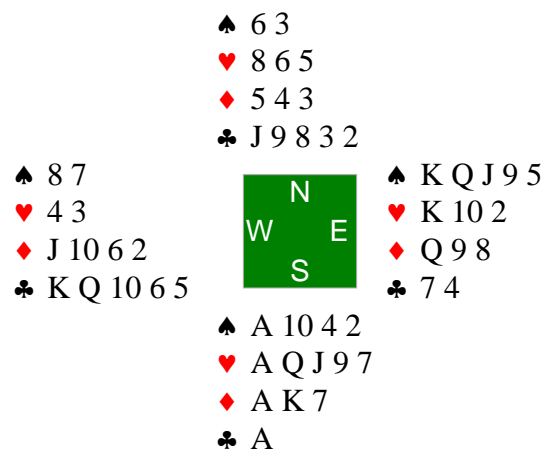
Made 4 — NS +420

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Board 129

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 2335 5332 4531 2245 HCP 1 11 22 6 Losers 11 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

8AA56230654ECB360EF9E3DC4369

Board 130

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 6 5 4		♠ Q 8 7									
♥ Q 8 6		♥ 10 9 7 3									
♦ K Q 5 3		♦ 10 7 4									
♣ Q 4		♣ 9 5 3									
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	S										
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		♥ 4									
		♦ 9 6 2									
		♣ K 10 8 7									
		♠ A									
		♥ A K J 5 2									
		♦ A J 8									
		♣ A J 6 2									

Shape 3433 5134 1534 4342 HCP 2 7 22 9 Losers 11 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

89A9683D5BB6F21EB72310FF805A

Board 131

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ Q 8 6 5	
	♥ 3	
	♦ 9 6 5 3	
	♣ J 7 6 4	
♠ 9 4		♠ K J 2
♥ Q 10 9 7 4	W N E	♥ J 8 5 2
♦ Q 8 4	S	♦ 10 7
♣ K 5 3		♣ 10 9 8 2
	♠ A 10 7 3	
	♥ A K 6	
	♦ A K J 2	
	♣ A Q	

Shape 4144 3424 4342 2533 HCP 3 5 25 7 Losers 9 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

8B61ED812B92C4101B61E832BBC7

Board 132

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 5 2		♠ J 8 7 4
♥ 4 3		♥ Q 9 2
♦ J 7 5 3		♦ 9 2
♣ 9 8 5		♣ J 7 3 2
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		♠ A 6
		♥ 10 8 7
		♦ A Q 10 8 6 4
		♣ 10 4
		♠ Q 10 3
		♥ A K J 6 5
		♦ K
		♣ A K Q 6

Shape 4324 2362 3514 4243 HCP 4 10 22 4 Losers 10 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♣ ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

8A65A522C0F179DF1ED85717834C

Board 133

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 8 6		♠ Q 7 4									
♥ 10 9		♥ J 3 2									
♦ Q J 10 3		♦ 8 7 2									
♣ J 6 2		♣ 8 5 4 3									
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		♥ 8 7 6 5 4									
		♦ 9 6									
		♣ Q 7									
		♠ K 3									
		♥ A K Q									
		♦ A K 5 4									
		♣ A K 10 9									

Shape 3334 4522 2344 4243 HCP 3 6 26 5 Losers 11 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

Board 134
South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ 9 7
 ♥ 10 6 2
 ♦ Q 6 3
 ♣ Q J 8 3 2

♠ K J 10 8 6 5 4
♥ Q 9 8 3
♦ J
♣ K

♠ Q 3 2
♥ 4
♦ 10 9 8 7 4
♣ 9 7 6 5

♠ A
 ♥ A K J 7 5
 ♦ A K 5 2
 ♣ A 10 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
3 ♠	Dbl	4 ♠	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
5 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +480

8BAE6D2A539468E68494F3375809

Board 135

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ Q 4 2	
	♥ 7 2	
	♦ 10 8 7 6 4	
	♣ J 5 4	
♠ 8 5		♠ K J 9 3
♥ 5 4		♥ J 10 6 3
♦ Q 9 3 2		♦ J 5
♣ 10 9 7 6 3		♣ A Q 8
	♠ A 10 7 6	
	♥ A K Q 9 8	
	♦ A K	
	♣ K 2	

Shape 3 2 5 3 4 4 2 3 4 5 2 2 2 4 5 HCP 3 12 23 2 Losers 10 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

88A1D3B24C2F4AE6FE274CC0E50F

Board 136

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 7 4 3		♠ 10 6 2
♥ Q 7		♥ J 9 5 4 2
♦ 8 6 3		♦ 9
♣ J 5 4		♣ K 10 6 2

	♠ J 9 5
	♥ K
	♦ J 10 7 5 2
	♣ Q 9 8 7

♠ A Q
♥ A 10 8 6 3
♦ A K Q 4
♣ A 3



Shape 3514 3154 2542 5233 HCP 4 7 23 6 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Extended acceptance after NT
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +480

89A975A1FF117ED30A769B043EC8

Board 137

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 7 4 3	
	♥ 7 4 2	
	♦ Q 10 8	
	♣ J 8 5	
♠ J 8 2		♠ K 9 6
♥ K J 9 6 3		♥ 10 8 5
♦ J 9 3		♦ K 6 4
♣ 4 2		♣ 9 7 6 3
	♠ A Q 5	
	♥ A Q	
	♦ A 7 5 2	
	♣ A K Q 10	

Shape 4333 3334 3244 3532 HCP 3 6 25 6 Losers 11 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

8BAD2CC98752777328FB3249A04E

Board 138

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 7 5		
♥ Q J 4 2		
♦ J 9		
♣ J 9 8 6		
♠ Q 6		♠ 10 9 8 4 2
♥ 9 8 6 5		♥ 10
♦ Q 7 6 4		♦ 10 8 5 3
♣ K 7 3		♣ 10 5 2
♠ A J 3		
♥ A K 7 3		
♦ A K 2		
♣ A Q 4		

Shape 3424 5143 3433 2443 HCP 8 0 25 7 Losers 9 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	5 NT	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

Board 139

None Vul

♠ J 10 8 6 5
♥ 10 8 5
♦ J 6 3
♣ J 5



♠ A Q
 ♥ A K J 7 3
 ♦ Q 5
 ♣ A K 9 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

8AA5219D463BEA3C327A0B344471

Board 140

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ K 10 8 7 5 4	
	♥ J 5 3	
	♦ Q 8	
	♣ 10 5	
♠ 9		♠ J 6 3 2
♥ 10 8 7 6 4 2	W N E	♥ Q
♦ K 7 2	S	♦ 10 9 6 5
♣ 8 4 3		♣ J 9 7 6
	♠ A Q	
	♥ A K 9	
	♦ A J 4 3	
	♣ A K Q 2	

Shape 6322 4144 2344 1633 HCP 6 4 27 3 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1460

8BADAE5BB2E2CF6407245A8AF8C3

Board 141

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 3 2		♠ 7 6
♥ J 3		♥ 9 7 4 2
♦ Q 5 4 3		♦ 8 7 6
♣ 8 6 3		♣ Q 9 7 2

♠ Q 8 5		♠ A K J 4
♥ Q 5		♥ A K 10 8 6
♦ J 10 2		♦ A K 9
♣ K J 10 5 4		♣ A

Shape 2434 3235 4531 4243 HCP 2 9 26 3 Losers 10 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

88615321666A340CE78F783F4570

Board 142

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7		♠ Q 9 8 4
♥ 9 5 4 2		♥ 8 6 3
♦ J 9 7 3		♦ 10 5
♣ 9 8 5 2		♣ K 7 6 4

	♠ A K J 10 5 3 2
	♥ K
	♦ 8 6 4
	♣ J 10

	♠ 6
	♥ A Q J 10 7
	♦ A K Q 2
	♣ A Q 3



Shape 4324 7132 1543 1444 HCP 5 12 22 1 Losers 9 7 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	3 ♠	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♥ by South
 Made 5 — NS +450

8AABA5F5B01D70564A4F1C1CB413

Board 143

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 5 4 2		
	♥ 7 6		
	♦ 10 6 5 4		
	♣ A 6 2		
♠ Q			♠ 9 8 7 6
♥ Q J 9 3			♥ 10 8 5 4 2
♦ J 9 2			♦ A 7
♣ J 9 5 4 3			♣ 8 7
	♠ A K J 3		
	♥ A K		
	♦ K Q 8 3		
	♣ K Q 10		

Shape 4243 4522 4243 1435 HCP 4 4 25 7 Losers 10 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

89AD2819A89C90055ECC37777306

Board 144

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6		♠ K Q 8 5 2									
♥ 5 4 3		♥ 8 6 2									
♦ A 10 7 6		♦ 9 3									
♣ K J 10 9 6		♣ 5 4 3									
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		♥ Q 10 9 7									
		♦ 8 5 4 2									
		♣ 7 2									
		♠ A J 10 9									
		♥ A K J									
		♦ K Q J									
		♣ A Q 8									

Shape 5323 3442 4333 1345 HCP 5 2 25 8 Losers 9 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
3 N by North
Made 4 — NS +430

98A9A2C1FA9B7B741F52B5F05FCB

Board 145

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 4 2		♠ 7
♥ J 9 8 5 4		♥ Q 2
♦ 8 5		♦ A J 10 9 2
♣ 8 4		♣ 10 9 7 3 2

♠ 9 8 6 3		♠ A K 10 5
♥ 10 7 6 3		♥ A K
♦ 7 3		♦ K Q 6 4
♣ K J 6		♣ A Q 5

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Shape 1255 4423 4243 4522 HCP 7 4 25 4 Losers 8 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ ⁴
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. !D queen and !S king
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +920

9AA6B5A20F439B40D6CB6EF4313A

Board 146

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 6 4		♠ J 3 2
♥ K 4 3 2		♥ J 10 8 6
♦ Q 10 8 3		♦ J 5
♣ 8 4		♣ J 10 9 6

♠ 10 8 5		♠ A K Q 9
♥ 9 7		♥ A Q 5
♦ 9 6 2		♦ A K 7 4
♣ A Q 7 5 2		♣ K 3



Shape 3424 3235 4342 3442 HCP 4 6 25 5 Losers 11 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +630

9929992FFA722F57CC27760EE890

Board 147

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 7 3		♠ A Q 9 6 4
♥ J 10 5		♥ 7 4
♦ Q 9 7 4		♦ 10 2
♣ 7 3 2		♣ Q 9 8 6
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		♥ K 8 2
		♦ 8 6 5
		♣ J 10 5 4
		♠ K 2
		♥ A Q 9 6 3
		♦ A K J 3
		♣ A K

Shape 5224 3334 2542 3343 HCP 8 4 24 4 Losers 7 11 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	6 NT	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. Quantitative 4 NT
 6 N by North
 Made 6 — NS +990

9BAEA9DFE9716B331614C4DF0060

Board 148

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 5 4		♠ 8 7 6 3									
♥ 10 8		♥ 5 3									
♦ K J 9		♦ 7 6 5									
♣ 6 5 3 2		♣ Q 9 8 4									
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		♥ Q 7 6 4									
		♦ 10 8 3 2									
		♣ A 7									
		♠ A K									
		♥ A K J 9 2									
		♦ A Q 4									
		♣ K J 10									

Shape 4234 3442 2533 4234 HCP 2 6 25 7 Losers 10 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +600

9AA5E4D736E90B334938B0163A1E

Board 149

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 10		♠ J 9 8 6 4 3 2
♥ J 8 6 5 3		♥ 9 7
♦ 8 5		♦ 2
♣ K 6 5		♣ Q 9 8

	♠ 7
	♥ Q 4 2
	♦ 10 9 7 6 3
	♣ J 4 3 2

♠ A 5
♥ A K 10
♦ A K Q J 4
♣ A 10 7



Shape 7213 1354 2353 3523 HCP 3 3 25 9 Losers 8 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +1430

99A8AE6B542D82F084006A403E1E

Board 150

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8		♠ 10 6 3 2									
♥ 8 3		♥ 9 7 6 4									
♦ K 10 3 2		♦ 9 8 6 4									
♣ A J 8 7 6 4		♣ Q									
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		♥ J 2									
		♦ J 7									
		♣ K 9 5 3 2									
		♠ A K 9 7									
		♥ A K Q 10 5									
		♦ A Q 5									
		♣ 10									

Shape 4441 4225 4531 1246 HCP 2 8 22 8 Losers 10 8 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

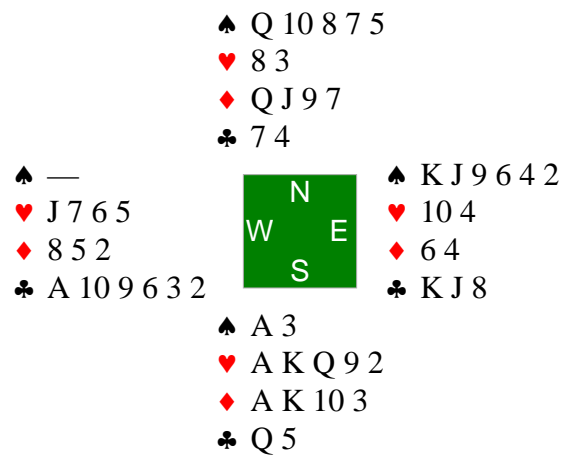
1. strong
4 ♥ by South
Made 5 — NS +450

9BAC6E25761C640A377039538C68

Board 151

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 5242 6223 2542 0436 HCP 5 8 22 5 Losers 8 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

98A9A0A2D2171B7B247EFEFBFAAA

Board 152

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 7		
♥ —		
♦ A 9 8 4 3 2		
♣ 10 9 8 4		
♠ J 5 4 3		♠ 8 6
♥ 8 6 5 4 3		♥ J 10 9
♦ 10 7		♦ 6 5
♣ K 7		♣ Q J 6 5 3 2
♠ A K Q 2		
♥ A K Q 7 2		
♦ K Q J		
♣ A		

Shape 3064 2326 4531 4522 HCP 4 4 28 4 Losers 8 9 1 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	7 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1520

99E9F906A92334F348660FF77466

Board 153

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K 8 4		♠ Q 10 9 5
♥ K 9 8 4 3		♥ Q 7 5
♦ 5		♦ 10 8
♣ 9 7 3		♣ 10 8 5 4
	<div>W N E S</div>	♠ 7 6 3 2
		♥ —
		♦ Q 9 6 4 3 2
		♣ Q 6 2
		♠ J
		♥ A J 10 6 2
		♦ A K J 7
		♣ A K J

Shape 4324 4063 1543 4513 HCP 4 4 22 10 Losers 9 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

9B9DAD28487539284393B61410D6

Board 154

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 2		♠ Q 9 8 4 3									
♥ 10 9 5		♥ J 7									
♦ Q J 9 8		♦ 10 5 4 2									
♣ Q J 8 4 3		♣ 7 6									
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		♥ A 6 4 3 2									
		♦ 7 6 3									
		♣ 5 2									
		♠ A K 6 5									
		♥ K Q 8									
		♦ A K									
		♣ A K 10 9									

Shape 5242 3532 4324 1345 HCP 3 5 26 6 Losers 9 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

9863A1B972DACF5B58848B51F6F7

Board 155

South Deals

None Vul

♠ —		♠ A J 8 7 4
♥ 9 6 5		♥ 10 8 7 4
♦ Q 10 8 7 5		♦ 9
♣ A 9 8 5 2		♣ J 10 3
♠ 10 9 3 2	♠ N	
♥ Q J 3 2	W	♥
♦ 6 3 2		♦
♣ 7 6	S	♣
♠ K Q 6 5		
♥ A K		
♦ A K J 4		
♣ K Q 4		

Shape 0355 5413 4243 4432 HCP 6 6 25 3 Losers 7 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♠ ⁴
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=2 out of 4

6 ♦ by North

Made 7 — NS +940

9A8DA961B8606BFC165E100C0CE9

Board 156

South Deals

N-S Vul

		♠ 7 5 4 3	
		♥ A 4 3	
		♦ A 8 6 4 3	
		♣ 9	
♠ 8 2			♠ Q 10 9 6
♥ J 8			♥ 7 6 5
♦ Q 10 5			♦ K J 9 2
♣ J 10 8 5 4 3			♣ 7 6
		♠ A K J	
		♥ K Q 10 9 2	
		♦ 7	
		♣ A K Q 2	

Shape 4351 4342 3514 2236 HCP 8 6 22 4 Losers 8 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ ⁴
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. !H queen and !S king
- 6 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +1430

9BA6AD6D67B6F0030A102A395BFA

Board 157

South Deals

Both Vul

		♠ 8 7 6 5 4	
		♥ 8 7	
		♦ A J 10	
		♣ J 8 3	
♠ 9 2			♠ Q J 3
♥ 10 9 4 2			♥ 6 3
♦ 7 5 4 3 2			♦ 9 8 6
♣ 9 6			♣ A 10 7 5 2
		♠ A K 10	
		♥ A K Q J 5	
		♦ K Q	
		♣ K Q 4	

Shape 5233 3235 3523 2452 HCP 6 7 27 0 Losers 10 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

Board 158

None Vul

♠ 8 3
♥ J 8 6 5 3
♦ 10 7 6 2
♣ 7 5

♠ J 10 7 6 2
♥ 9 2
♦ 8 3
♣ 10 9 6 4



♠ 5 4
♥ A 10
♦ K J 9 5 4
♣ A J 8 3

♠ A K Q 9
♥ K Q 7 4
♦ A Q
♣ K Q 2

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

9AA0A1255A2FD2F3393E51CEE70A

Board 159

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ Q 10 7 6 2	
	♥ 4 2	
	♦ 10 6 4	
	♣ 10 8 3	
♠ 9 8 4 3		♠ J 5
♥ 8 7 6		♥ J 9 5
♦ A K 9 8 5		♦ J 7 2
♣ A		♣ J 9 6 4 2
	♠ A K	
	♥ A K Q 10 3	
	♦ Q 3	
	♣ K Q 7 5	

Shape 5233 2335 2524 4351 HCP 2 4 23 11 Losers 10 11 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

99A8699B3072F9D2B7248253CF5C

Board 160

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 3		♠ J 6
♥ J 10 9 7		♥ 5 3
♦ 3 2		♦ J 10 8 5 4
♣ A J 6 2		♣ Q 7 4 3

♠ 9 8 3		♠ K 10 4 2
♥ J 10 9 7		♥ Q 8 4 2
♦ 3 2		♦ 7 6
♣ A J 6 2		♣ 10 8 5

♠ A Q 7 5		♠ A Q 7 5
♥ A K 6		♥ A K 6
♦ A K Q 9		♦ A K Q 9
♣ K 9		♣ K 9



Shape 2254 4423 4342 3424 HCP 4 5 25 6 Losers 9 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +430

A8A0A0BE88CE7F66142EE7D9050F

Board 161

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 5 4		♠ 7 6 3 2									
♥ Q 9		♥ J 10 3 2									
♦ 8 7 5 3		♦ J 4									
♣ A K J 7		♣ 9 5 2									
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		♥ 7 4									
		♦ Q 10 9 6 2									
		♣ Q 10 8 6									
		♠ A K Q J									
		♥ A K 8 6 5									
		♦ A K									
		♣ 4 3									

Shape 4423 2254 4522 3244 HCP 2 4 24 10 Losers 11 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

AA25A16DF88E0EC15C7804D2AB42

Board 162

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ A 9 5		
	♥ 10 9 8 5 2		
	♦ Q 10 9 7		
	♣ 3		
♠ J 8 4		♠ Q 7 6 2	
♥ J 6		♥ 7 4	
♦ K 8 4 2		♦ J 6 3	
♣ J 7 6 5		♣ 10 9 4 2	
	♠ K 10 3		
	♥ A K Q 3		
	♦ A 5		
	♣ A K Q 8		

Shape 3541 4234 3424 3244 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 8 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

Board 163
South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ 10 4
♥ A J 5 2
♦ 6 3
♣ 10 9 4 3 2

♠ J 9 8 6 2
♥ Q 8
♦ 10 9 8
♣ K 7 6



♠ Q 3
♥ 10 9
♦ K J 7 5 4 2
♣ J 8 5

♠ A K 7 5
 ♥ K 7 6 4 3
 ♦ A Q
 ♣ A Q

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♦ ⁵
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +480

ABA9A94A6C73F50A6BCADA018367

Board 164

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 4
♥ Q 8 6 4 3
♦ 9 2
♣ 10 7 3 2

♠ 9 6 5
♥ 10 9
♦ A K Q 8 7 6 5
♣ J

♠ A K 3
♥ A K J 7 2
♦ J
♣ A K 9 4

♠ Q J 10 7 2
♥ 5
♦ 10 4 3
♣ Q 8 6 5

W N E S

Shape 2524 5134 3514 3271 HCP 2 5 23 10 Losers 9 8 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♦	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
4 ♥ by South
Made 5 — NS +650

AA65296DC3DB42EABF18D020AF11

Board 165

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 8 5		♠ K 6 4 2									
♥ 7		♥ J 9									
♦ J 9 5 4 2		♦ Q 7 3									
♣ 6 5 4		♣ J 10 7 3									
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		♦ K 10 8 6									
		♣ 9 8									
		♠ 7 3									
		♥ A K Q 8 4 3									
		♦ A									
		♣ A K Q 2									

Shape 4234 3442 2614 4153 HCP 7 9 22 2 Losers 9 8 2 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

A969ABA71E53FDE00A92F7509FF0

Board 166

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ J 7	
	♥ 7	
	♦ 10 8 6 4 2	
	♣ K Q 10 5 3	
♠ 9 8 5 2		♠ A 10 4
♥ 9 5 2		♥ J 10 6 4 3
♦ J 9 3		♦ Q 5
♣ 8 4 2		♣ J 7 6
	♠ K Q 6 3	
	♥ A K Q 8	
	♦ A K 7	
	♣ A 9	

Shape 2155 3523 4432 4333 HCP 6 8 25 1 Losers 7 10 3 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

ABACA5ED5AC9BA72D75219B7C737

Board 167

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 5 2	
	♥ 10 3	
	♦ K 7 4 3 2	
	♣ 7 4 3 2	
♠ Q 10 7 3		♠ J 8 6
♥ 9 8 4 2		♥ J 7 6 5
♦ J 10 9 5		♦ 8 6
♣ A		♣ J 9 8 6
	♠ A K 9 4	
	♥ A K Q	
	♦ A Q	
	♣ K Q 10 5	

Shape 2254 3424 4324 4441 HCP 3 3 27 7 Losers 9 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +660


A8A3B26FA55854D8E9DACF2F8FC4

Board 168

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 6 5 2		♠ 4
♥ K		♥ 5 3 2
♦ J 9 2		♦ 10 8 7 6
♣ 10 9 8 2		♣ A Q 5 4 3



♠ A K J 3		♠ Q 10 9
♥ A Q J 7 4		♥ 10 9 8 6
♦ A K		♦ Q 5 4 3
♣ J 7		♣ K 6

Shape 1345 3442 4522 5134 HCP 6 7 23 4 Losers 8 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ³	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ⁵	Pass	3 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♦ ⁷	Pass	4 NT ⁶
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♥

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
6. Blackwood 0314, for !H
7. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

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Board 169

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 2		♠ A 10 8 7 5 4									
♥ 8 7 2		♥ J 6									
♦ 9 8 7 5 2		♦ J									
♣ K J 10		♣ 7 6 4 2									
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		♦ 6 4 3									
		♣ Q 8 5 3									
		♠ K 3									
		♥ A K Q 5 4									
		♦ A K Q 10									
		♣ A 9									

Shape 6214 3334 2542 2353 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 8 11 2 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	5 ♠ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !S queen

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

ABADBE41454758A184E6337876C8

Board 170

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 5	
	♥ Q J 10 7 2	
	♦ J 10 7 6 3	
	♣ 10 5	
♠ 6 2		♠ Q J 10 9 4 3
♥ K 5 4 3		♥ 9
♦ 9 4 2		♦ Q 8 5
♣ 9 7 4 2		♣ K 6 3
	♠ A K 8 7	
	♥ A 8 6	
	♦ A K	
	♣ A Q J 8	

Shape 1552 6133 4324 2434 HCP 4 8 25 3 Losers 8 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

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Board 171

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ K 5 3 2		
	♥ 10 6		
	♦ 9 5 2		
	♣ J 8 7 3		
♠ 10 9 8 6 4			♠ A J 7
♥ Q			♥ K 8 5 2
♦ 10 7 6 4			♦ J 3
♣ K 6 4			♣ 10 9 5 2
	♠ Q		
	♥ A J 9 7 4 3		
	♦ A K Q 8		
	♣ A Q		

Shape 4234 3424 1642 5143 HCP 4 9 22 5 Losers 10 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

AAADAD61C26A420CA1E8400E1B70

Board 172

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 8 4 3		
	♥ J 9 8 5 4		
	♦ A K 8 4		
	♣ 3		
♠ J 6		♠ Q 10 9 5 2	
♥ 2		♥ 3	
♦ Q J 9 7 5 2		♦ 10 6 3	
♣ 8 6 5 2		♣ J 10 9 4	
	♠ A K 7		
	♥ A K Q 10 7 6		
	♦ —		
	♣ A K Q 7		

Shape 3541 5134 3604 2164 HCP 8 3 25 4 Losers 8 9 1 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♥ ⁴	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 0 out of 4

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +2210

ABA1A9E8C9025540E43BD743A21C

Board 173

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 7 5		♠ 10 6 2
♥ 6		♥ J 10 8 4
♦ K Q J 6		♦ 9 7 5
♣ Q 8 7 2		♣ 6 5 4

	♠ 9 8 4
	♥ 9 5 2
	♦ A 10 8 4 3
	♣ 10 3

♠ A K 3
♥ A K Q 7 3
♦ 2
♣ A K J 9



Shape 3433 3352 3514 4144 HCP 1 4 24 11 Losers 12 10 3 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♥ by South
 Made 5 — NS +650

Board 174
South Deals
None Vul

♠ 9 4 3
♥ 8 4
♦ A 10 9 5
♣ 9 7 5 3

♠ Q 10 8 2
♥ Q 7
♦ Q 7 3
♣ 10 8 6 2



♠ 7 6 5
♥ 10 9 6 2
♦ 8 6 4
♣ K Q 4

♠ A K J
♥ A K J 5 3
♦ K J 2
♣ A J

Shape 3244 3433 3532 4234 HCP 4 5 25 6 Losers 10 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by North
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 175

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 8 7 4		
	♥ Q 10 7 2		
	♦ J 10 9 3		
	♣ 6 4		
♠ Q J 10 6 3		♠ 9 5 2	
♥ A 5		♥ 6 3	
♦ K Q 4 2		♦ 7 6 5	
♣ Q 7		♣ J 9 8 5 2	
	♠ A K		
	♥ K J 9 8 4		
	♦ A 8		
	♣ A K 10 3		

Shape 3442 3235 2524 5242 HCP 3 1 22 14 Losers 10 11 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

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Board 176

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q 7 4		♠ K J 10 9 8 6
♥ J 9 8 6 3		♥ 4
♦ J		♦ 9 5 3
♣ 9 5 4		♣ K 6 3
	<div>W<div>N S</div>E</div>	
		♠ 5 2
		♥ Q 10
		♦ 10 8 7 6 4 2
		♣ J 10 7
		♠ 3
		♥ A K 7 5 2
		♦ A K Q
		♣ A Q 8 2

Shape 6133 2263 1534 4513 HCP 7 3 22 8 Losers 8 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 177

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A K 10 4 2		♠ J 9 8 7 5									
♥ 5 4		♥ 10 9 6									
♦ Q 8 5 2		♦ 7 4									
♣ K 7		♣ Q 10 8									
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		♦ J 10 9 6 3									
		♣ 6 5 3 2									
		♠ Q									
		♥ A K J 7 3 2									
		♦ A K									
		♣ A J 9 4									

Shape 5323 2254 1624 5242 HCP 3 3 22 12 Losers 10 10 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ³
Dbl	Pass	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

Board 178
South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ 9 7 4
♥ 8 2
♦ 9 8 4 2
♣ 9 6 3 2

♠ Q 5 3
♥ J 10 6 4
♦ J 6 3
♣ J 10 8



♠ A J 8 6 2
♥ 9 7 3
♦ 10 7
♣ K 7 5

♠ K 10
♥ A K Q 5
♦ A K Q 5
♣ A Q 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

Board 179
South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ 4 3 2
♥ 9 4 2
♦ Q 10 9 6 2
♣ 9 2

♠ Q7		♠ K865
♥ 5	N W E S	♥ A8763
♦ J75		♦ 43
♣ J1076543		♣ Q8
	♠ AJ109	
	♥ KQJ10	
	♦ AK8	
	♣ AK	

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 180

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 8 7 5 2		♠ K 10 4
♥ 10 9 3		♥ 8 7 6
♦ Q 6 5		♦ 8 3
♣ 8 2		♣ K Q 10 9 7

	♠ 9 6 3
	♥ 4
	♦ K J 10 9 7 4 2
	♣ 5 3

♠ A J
♥ A K Q J 5 2
♦ A
♣ A J 6 4

Shape 3325 3172 2614 5332 HCP 8 4 24 4 Losers 8 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♠ ⁵	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	7 ♥

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. !C queen and !S king

7 ♥ by South

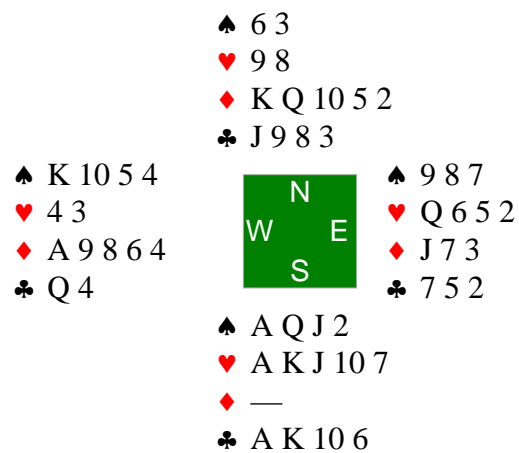
Made 7 — NS +2210

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Board 181

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 2254 3433 4504 4252 HCP 6 3 22 9 Losers 8 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	5 ♣	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 5 ♣ by South
 Made 6 — NS +620

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Board 182

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 2		♠ A 7 6									
♥ 8 7 5		♥ Q J 3									
♦ A 9 8 7		♦ J 10 5 4 2									
♣ Q 8 6 3		♣ 10 2									
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		♥ 6 2									
		♦ Q 6 3									
		♣ J 9 7									
		♠ K Q 8									
		♥ A K 10 9 4									
		♦ K									
		♣ A K 5 4									

Shape 3352 5233 3514 2344 HCP 8 3 22 7 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
4 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +480

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Board 183

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 9 5		
	♥ 6 4 3 2		
	♦ Q 8 7 5		
	♣ 6 3 2		
♠ J 7 2		♠ K 10 6 3	
♥ Q J 7		♥ 9 5	
♦ J 10 6 3		♦ 9 4	
♣ K 7 4		♣ J 10 9 8 5	
	♠ A Q 8 4		
	♥ A K 10 8		
	♦ A K 2		
	♣ A Q		

Shape 2443 4225 4432 3343 HCP 2 4 26 8 Losers 10 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630


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Board 184

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 9 8 5		
♥ 7 2		
♦ 9 8 6 4 3		
♣ K		
♠ Q 7 6 4		♠ 2
♥ 10 8 5 4		♥ 9 6 3
♦ Q 10 5		♦ K J 7
♣ 9 7		♣ 10 8 6 5 4 3



♠ A 10 3	
♥ A K Q J	
♦ A 2	
♣ A Q J 2	

Shape 5251 1336 3424 4432 HCP 7 4 25 4 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥ ³
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♦ ⁵
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♠ ⁶
Pass	6 ♣ ⁷	Pass	6 ♥ ⁸
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Cue bid, surplus
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 5. A=1/5 or 4/5
 6. no !S queen
 7. King ask by available bid
 8. K=1
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

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Board 185

South Deals

E-W Vul

		♠ K 10 7 5 3	
		♥ 6 3	
		♦ 10 8 6	
		♣ 10 6 5	
♠ 9 4 2			♠ Q 8 6
♥ Q 9 8 5			♥ J 7 4 2
♦ 7			♦ 9 4 3 2
♣ K Q 8 3 2			♣ 7 4
		♠ A J	
		♥ A K 10	
		♦ A K Q J 5	
		♣ A J 9	

Shape 5233 3442 2353 3415 HCP 3 3 27 7 Losers 10 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♥ ²
Pass	4 ♠ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♦ by South

Made 6 — NS +420

BBAD22606F3CD20239AF0AC4F3C0

Board 186

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K 10 8 7 5		
	♥ 8 5 4 2		
	♦ 4		
	♣ J 6 3		
♠ 9 4 3 2		♠ Q J	
♥ 10 7 3		♥ 9	
♦ 7 5		♦ K Q 9 8 3 2	
♣ Q 10 4 2		♣ K 9 8 5	
	♠ A 6		
	♥ A K Q J 6		
	♦ A J 10 6		
	♣ A 7		

Shape 5413 2164 2542 4324 HCP 4 11 23 2 Losers 9 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

B8A8A1EAA7F7CE2C3722768E4A58

Board 187

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 10 9		♠ 8 7 6
♥ 10 7 5		♥ 9 4 3
♦ J 10 7 5		♦ A Q 3 2
♣ A 8 2		♣ J 10 7
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		♠ 5 3 2
		♥ 2
		♦ 9 8 4
		♣ Q 9 6 5 4 3
		♠ A K J 4
		♥ A K Q J 8 6
		♦ K 6
		♣ K

Shape 3343 3136 4621 3343 HCP 7 2 24 7 Losers 10 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 NT	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

BA65696480351BC6504B2E201CF3

Board 188

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 2		♠ 10 9 5 4 3									
♥ 10 2		♥ J 8 6									
♦ J 7 4 2		♦ 5 3									
♣ Q J 7 4 3		♣ 9 6 2									
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		♥ 9 7 3									
		♦ K 9 6									
		♣ 8 5									
		♠ J									
		♥ A K Q 5 4									
		♦ A Q 10 8									
		♣ A K 10									

Shape 5323 5332 1543 2245 HCP 1 12 23 4 Losers 11 7 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South


Made 4 — NS +620

BBADEF5E361ADB9BF27946EFE7E7

Board 189

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 7 4 3 2		♠ Q 6 5
♥ J 7 6		♥ Q 10 9 8
♦ 10 9 8 6		♦ 7
♣ —		♣ Q J 10 7 5

♠ A 8
♥ A K 4 3 2
♦ A K Q 4
♣ A 6

Shape 2146 3415 2542 6340 HCP 5 7 24 4 Losers 8 7 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 NT
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by South
 Made 4 — NS +630

Board 190
South Deals
None Vul

♠ —
 ♥ 8 4 3
 ♦ Q J 9 8 7
 ♣ K J 9 7 2

N
 W E
 S

♠ K J 9 7 5
 ♥ 10
 ♦ 10 6 4 3
 ♣ 10 4 3

♠ A Q 4 3
 ♥ A K J 9 5
 ♦ A 5 2
 ♣ A

West <i>EPBot4</i>	North <i>EPBot1</i>	East <i>EPBot2</i>	South <i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ ³	Pass	3 NT ⁴
Pass	4 ♦ ⁵	Pass	4 NT ⁶
Pass	5 ♣ ⁷	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♥ ⁸	Pass	5 ♠ ⁹
Pass	6 ♣ ¹⁰	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Cue bid, surplus
6. Blackwood 0314, for !H
7. A=0/5 or 3/5
8. no !H queen
9. King ask by available bid
10. K=1

6 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +980

BAA569A03FF7734F954878104E93

Board 191

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 4	
	♥ 8 6 3	
	♦ J 8 3	
	♣ J 10 9 8 2	
♠ 10		♠ K 9 8 6 5 3
♥ J 10 9 5		♥ 7 4 2
♦ Q 9 4 2		♦ K 6 5
♣ Q 6 5 4		♣ 3
	♠ A Q 7 2	
	♥ A K Q	
	♦ A 10 7	
	♣ A K 7	

Shape 2335 6331 4333 1444 HCP 3 6 26 5 Losers 11 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

B9A9516325E73EAE57D2F0703D2F

Board 192

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 6 5		♠ J 9 3 2									
♥ 9 5 4 3		♥ —									
♦ 9 8 3 2		♦ K Q 6 5 4									
♣ 5 4		♣ Q 10 7 2									
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		♥ K 7 6									
		♦ J 10 7									
		♣ 9 8 6									
		♠ A 8									
		♥ A Q J 10 8 2									
		♦ A									
		♣ A K J 3									

Shape 4054 4333 2614 3442 HCP 8 9 23 0 Losers 6 9 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +460

C8A22D2EA6385CF69FC409AAEF37

Board 193

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 6 3		♠ K Q 10 5 2
♥ 10 8 2		♥ 6 5
♦ J 8 6 2		♦ 10 5 4
♣ 10 9 6		♣ 7 3 2

♠ 9		♠ A J 7 4
♥ 9 7		♥ A K Q J 4 3
♦ K Q 9 7 3		♦ A
♣ A Q J 8 4		♣ K 5

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

Shape 5233 1255 4612 3343 HCP 5 12 22 1 Losers 9 5 3 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	2 NT	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

CAADA5DB08C8322BD04B5321A019

Board 194

South Deals

N-S Vul


♠ Q 10 7		♠ J 9 8 4 2
♥ 9		♥ J 10 6
♦ 9 7 5 4 3		♦ A
♣ J 10 7 3		♣ Q 8 6 5

W

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♠ 6 5		♠ A K 3
♥ Q 7 5 2		♥ A K 8 4 3
♦ Q J 10 8 6 2		♦ K
♣ 9		♣ A K 4 2

Shape 5314 2461 3514 3154 HCP 8 5 24 3 Losers 8 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ ³
Pass	5 ♦ ⁵	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♠ ⁶	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong
 2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 5. A=1/5 or 4/5
 6. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +1430

C9B9A9EFF4430414486291F61AC0

Board 195

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 9 8 3	
	♥ 10 9 7 2	
	♦ 10 6 5 2	
	♣ Q 10	
♠ Q J 4 2		♠ 10 7 6
♥ A J 4		♥ 8 5 3
♦ Q		♦ J 9 8 4
♣ J 9 8 7 2		♣ 6 4 3
	♠ A K 5	
	♥ K Q 6	
	♦ A K 7 3	
	♣ A K 5	

Shape 3442 3343 3343 4315 HCP 2 1 26 11 Losers 11 12 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

CBAFB568AB6BD431BA23584F5047

Board 196

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9		♠ 8 6									
♥ K 8 7		♥ 4 2									
♦ Q J 10 7 5		♦ K 9 2									
♣ Q 9 5 3		♣ A J 10 6 4 2									
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		♥ 9 5 3									
		♦ 8 6 3									
		♣ 7									
		♠ A K J 7									
		♥ A Q J 10 6									
		♦ A 4									
		♣ K 8									

Shape 2236 6331 4522 1354 HCP 8 2 22 8 Losers 8 9 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

CAE59D661B5F3CF204746DF32B62

Board 197

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8 4		♠ J 9 7 3									
♥ 9 8 6 4		♥ 7									
♦ 8 4 2		♦ K 10 9 5									
♣ 9 7 6		♣ J 10 4 3									
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		♥ K J 10									
		♦ J 3									
		♣ Q 8 2									
		♠ K									
		♥ A Q 5 3 2									
		♦ A Q 7 6									
		♣ A K 5									

Shape 4144 5323 1543 3433 HCP 5 9 22 4 Losers 9 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +600

C9AD996D65CF4F1B124ECCC9F604

Board 198

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 2
♥ 10 9 6 5 4 2
♦ 7
♣ 10 9 8

♠ 10 5 4 3
♥ 3
♦ A Q 10 9 6 5
♣ 5 2

♠ Q J 9 6
♥ K 8 7
♦ J 3 2
♣ 7 6 3

♠ A K
♥ A Q J
♦ K 8 4
♣ A K Q J 4

W N E S

Shape 3613 4333 2335 4162 HCP 0 7 27 6 Losers 10 10 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♦	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
Pass			Pass

1. strong

5 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

CBADE79DF66E446AD62632FBCC44

Board 199

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 7 4 3		♠ 6 5
♥ J 5 4		♥ 9 3 2
♦ 8 4		♦ K J 9 7 6 2
♣ 9 3 2		♣ K 4
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 10 9 8 2
		♥ Q 7
		♦ 5
		♣ J 10 8 7 6 5
		♠ A Q
		♥ A K 10 8 6
		♦ A Q 10 3
		♣ A Q

Shape 2362 4216 2542 5323 HCP 7 3 25 5 Losers 8 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 NT ⁴
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. !D queen no !S king no !C king
- 6 ♦ by North
Made 6 — NS +1370

Board 200
South Deals
None Vul

♥ 9

♦ J 9 7 5

♣ 10 4

♠ 9 2

♥ A 7 5 2

◆ Q 4 2

♣ 9 7 6 3



♠ 8 6

♥ J 10 6 3

♦ 8 6 3

♣ J 8 5 2

♠ A J 4

♥ K Q 8 4

♦ A K 10

♣ A K Q

Shape 6142 2434 3433 2434 HCP 6 2 26 6 Losers 7 11 4 9

West

North

East

South

EPBot4

EPBot1

EPBot2

EPBot3

 $2\clubsuit^1$

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

 4 NT^2

Pass

5 ♦ 3

Pass

6 ♠

Pass

Pass

Pass

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. $A=1/5$ or $4/5$

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

C929E97E2A64D103E117C074D058

Board 201

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ A J 8 6	
	♥ 8 5	
	♦ 9 8 7 5 3	
	♣ 8 6	
♠ K 9 7 5 3		♠ Q 10 4 2
♥ Q 4		♥ 9 6 3 2
♦ Q		♦ 10 6 4
♣ 10 5 4 3 2		♣ Q J
	♠ —	
	♥ A K J 10 7	
	♦ A K J 2	
	♣ A K 9 7	

Shape 4252 4432 0544 5215 HCP 5 5 23 7 Losers 9 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ ³
Pass	5 NT ⁴	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	6 ♦ ⁵	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Exclusion, for !D

4. 0 out of 4

5. no !D queen

6 ♦ by North

Made 7 — NS +940

CB6D9DBC7354AB300B0322D9DA84

Board 202

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 8 7 6 5	
	♥ 7 6 2	
	♦ 10 2	
	♣ J 9 7 6	
♠ 4 3		♠ A J 10
♥ Q J 8		♥ K 10 4 3
♦ 9 7 4 3		♦ J 8 6 5
♣ Q 10 8 2		♣ 5 3
	♠ K Q 9 2	
	♥ A 9 5	
	♦ A K Q	
	♣ A K 4	

Shape 4324 3442 4333 2344 HCP 1 9 25 5 Losers 11 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

C821E5BFE3DFFEDADD2F43EA03F6

Board 203

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 6 3		
♥ 5 3		
♦ 8 4		
♣ Q J 10 6 5 3		
♠ K J 10 9 8 7 4 2		♠ 5
♥ Q 9 2		♥ 10 8 7
♦ K 2		♦ Q 10 9 7 6
♣ —		♣ 9 8 4 2

W

N

E

S

♠ Q	
♥ A K J 6 4	
♦ A J 5 3	
♣ A K 7	

Shape 3226 1354 1543 8320 HCP 7 2 22 9 Losers 8 9 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
4 ♠			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
1. strong			
4 ♠× by West			
Down 2 — NS +300			

CA84E529AA43201E16D827F01802

Board 204

South Deals

N-S Vul

		♠ Q 9 8 7 5 3 2	
		♥ A 10 2	
		♦ 8	
		♣ 10 5	
♠ K 6 4			♠ 10
♥ 4			♥ 8 7 6 3
♦ 10 9 4 2			♦ Q J 6 3
♣ A 9 6 4 3			♣ J 8 7 2
		♠ A J	
		♥ K Q J 9 5	
		♦ A K 7 5	
		♣ K Q	

Shape 7312 1444 2542 3145 HCP 6 4 23 7 Losers 7 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	4 ♥ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♥ ⁵
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Texas
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

CBAD6CD002F916B2801427FAA32B

Board 205

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 10 4		♠ J 9 6 5 2									
♥ 10 8 4		♥ J 7									
♦ 10 4 2		♦ 9 6 5									
♣ K Q 7 6		♣ 5 3 2									
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		♦ Q J 8 7 3									
		♣ J 9 8 4									
		♠ A 8 7 3									
		♥ A K 5 3 2									
		♦ A K									
		♣ A 10									

Shape 5233 1354 4522 3334 HCP 2 9 22 7 Losers 11 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

C82180B1681DC05E73FA38F69E0B

Board 206

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 6 4		♠ A 10 5 2
♥ Q 7 6 5 4		♥ K 9 2
♦ 4		♦ J 6 5 2
♣ K J 9 5		♣ 7 2
	<div>W N E S</div>	♠ J 8 7
		♥ 10 8 3
		♦ 10 8 3
		♣ 8 6 4 3
		♠ K Q 3
		♥ A J
		♦ A K Q 9 7
		♣ A Q 10

Shape 4342 3334 3253 3514 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 9 12 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. strong

2. waiting

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990


CAA77545297E2E7ED30C6DDAF0EC

Board 207

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 9 6	
	♥ Q 6	
	♦ 10 9 8 6 5 2	
	♣ A 7	
♠ 7 4 3 2		♠ K Q 10 8 5
♥ K 10 8 3		♥ 7 4
♦ 7 3		♦ J 4
♣ 6 3 2		♣ 10 9 8 4



♠ A	
♥ A J 9 5 2	
♦ A K Q	
♣ K Q J 5	

Shape 3262 5224 1534 4423 HCP 7 6 24 3 Losers 9 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	6 ♣ ⁴
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. !D queen and !C king
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1390

C9EB652961EDCE2E135F540EE4CF

Board 208

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ Q 8 7 4	
	♥ 9 4 2	
	♦ J 7	
	♣ A 7 6 2	
♠ A 10 9 3 2		♠ K J 6 5
♥ —		♥ 7 6 5
♦ 10 9 8 6 4 2		♦ K 5 3
♣ 5 3		♣ 9 8 4
	♠ —	
	♥ A K Q J 10 8 3	
	♦ A Q	
	♣ K Q J 10	

Shape 4324 4333 0724 5062 HCP 7 7 22 4 Losers 9 10 2 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	5 ♠ ³
Pass	6 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 1 out of 4

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

D8A1EBE37C43E91C5AD7F6922BFA

Board 209

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 9 6 5 2		♠ 8 3									
♥ J 5 2		♥ 10									
♦ 6 5		♦ K 9 7 3 2									
♣ J 8		♣ K Q 10 6 3									
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		♥ 8 7 6 4									
		♦ J 8									
		♣ 7 5 4 2									
		♠ A 4									
		♥ A K Q 9 3									
		♦ A Q 10 4									
		♣ A 9									

Shape 2155 3424 2542 6322 HCP 8 2 23 7 Losers 6 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 NT ⁴
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

7 N by North

Made 7 — NS +1520

DAADB524C1065BFB5AC403EBD17E

Board 210

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ Q 10 5	
	♥ J 10 6 5	
	♦ A 2	
	♣ 9 8 5 4	
♠ J 8 6 4 3		♠ 9 7 2
♥ K 8 2		♥ 9 7 3
♦ J 5 3		♦ 9 8 7 4
♣ Q 6		♣ 10 7 2
	♠ A K	
	♥ A Q 4	
	♦ K Q 10 6	
	♣ A K J 3	

Shape 3424 3343 2344 5332 HCP 7 0 26 7 Losers 9 12 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

D96DE9394B2C7AC0064FEC67935E

Board 211

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 8 5		♠ Q 10 7
♥ Q 9		♥ J 8 7 6
♦ A 10 6 5 2		♦ 8 3
♣ 10 8 5		♣ J 6 4 3
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ A J 9 6 4 2
		♥ 3 2
		♦ 7 4
		♣ 9 7 2
		♠ 3
		♥ A K 10 5 4
		♦ K Q J 9
		♣ A K Q

Shape 3424 6223 1543 3253 HCP 4 5 22 9 Losers 10 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

DBADA29659F3C14B6C77386747FC

Board 212

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 2		♠ 5									
♥ 10 6 5 2		♥ 9 8 3									
♦ J 8 5		♦ Q 6 4 3									
♣ 7 5 2		♣ 10 8 6 4 3									
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		♦ K 10 9									
		♣ K Q									
		♠ A K Q									
		♥ A K 7 4									
		♦ A 7 2									
		♣ A J 9									

Shape 1345 6232 3433 3433 HCP 2 12 25 1 Losers 9 8 5 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

DAE5A6A80B551C1F3AF4D3C279CD

Board 213

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 9 8 7	
	♥ J 4 2	
	♦ 9 8 2	
	♣ J 8 5	
♠ A 6 5 4 2		♠ 10 3
♥ 7 6 3		♥ 10 9 8 5
♦ 5 4		♦ Q J 7 3
♣ Q 9 6		♣ K 7 4
	♠ K Q	
	♥ A K Q	
	♦ A K 10 6	
	♣ A 10 3 2	

Shape 4333 2443 2344 5323 HCP 3 6 25 6 Losers 12 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

D9AEA9E19472D37B1B773CC788C6

Board 214

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 7 5	
	♥ 4 3 2	
	♦ Q 10 9	
	♣ 9 8 7 6 4	
♠ Q 9 4 2		♠ 10 8 6
♥ 10 8 6 5		♥ J 9 7
♦ A 5		♦ J 6 4 2
♣ J 5 3		♣ A 10 2
	♠ A K J 3	
	♥ A K Q	
	♦ K 8 7 3	
	♣ K Q	

Shape 2335 3343 4342 4423 HCP 2 6 25 7 Losers 10 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

DBA5A5B960471FFC5BF7111AD368

Board 215

South Deals

Both Vul

		♠ 9 5 4	
		♥ 10	
		♦ A K 10 6	
		♣ 10 9 7 6 3	
♠ 8 6 3			♠ J 10 7 2
♥ Q 8 6			♥ 9 7 5 4 3
♦ Q 7 4 2			♦ J 5 3
♣ J 8 2			♣ 4
		♠ A K Q	
		♥ A K J 2	
		♦ 9 8	
		♣ A K Q 5	

Shape 3145 4531 3424 3343 HCP 7 2 26 5 Losers 8 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	5 NT ⁵
Pass	6 ♦ ⁶	Pass	7 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !C

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5. King ask by 5 NT

6. K=1

7 ♣ by South

Made 7 — NS +2140

D8E1ABBD4D681B7F71D4F72F2AD6

Board 216

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 6 5 2		♠ 9 4 3									
♥ Q 8 7 5		♥ J									
♦ 6 5 2		♦ K 10 9 3									
♣ 10 6		♣ K 9 8 5 4									
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		♥ 9 6 2									
		♦ Q J 8 4									
		♣ 3 2									
		♠ K Q									
		♥ A K 10 4 3									
		♦ A 7									
		♣ A Q J 7									

Shape 3145 4342 2524 4432 HCP 7 4 23 6 Losers 8 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +420

D929A892A280E714EF125C5CF3D1

Board 217

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ A 8 6	
	♥ 10	
	♦ Q J 10 6 3 2	
	♣ 9 7 3	
♠ 9 7 3 2		♠ 5 4
♥ 3		♥ Q 8 6 5 4 2
♦ 7 5 4		♦ 9 8
♣ K 10 8 5 4		♣ Q J 6
	♠ K Q J 10	
	♥ A K J 9 7	
	♦ A K	
	♣ A 2	

Shape 3163 2623 4522 4135 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 8 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. strong
6 N by North
Made 7 — NS +1020

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Board 218

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 8 2	
	♥ 10 9	
	♦ 7 4	
	♣ J 9 8 4 3 2	
♠ 10 9 7 5 3		♠ 6
♥ Q		♥ K 8 7 4 3
♦ A J 10 9 6 2		♦ Q 8 3
♣ 10		♣ K 7 6 5
	♠ A K Q 4	
	♥ A J 6 5 2	
	♦ K 5	
	♣ A Q	

Shape 3226 1534 4522 5161 HCP 2 8 23 7 Losers 10 7 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +600

Board 219
South Deals
None Vul

♠ 8 4 2
♥ 6 2
♦ J 10 5 2
♣ Q 8 5 4

♠ 10 6 5 3
♥ 10 5
♦ K 6
♣ J 9 7 6 2



♠ Q J
♥ J 9 4
♦ A 9 8 7 4 3
♣ K 10

♠ A K 9 7
♥ A K Q 8 7 3
♦ Q
♣ A 3

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
4 ♥ by South
Made 4 — NS +420

N-S Vul

♣ 9 8 5

♣ Q 10 3



♣ J 6 4

♣ A K 7 2

South

EPBot3

 $2\clubsuit^1$

2 NT

3 ♠

 4 NT^3

6 ♠

4. $A=0/5$ or $3/5$

Made 6 — NS +1430

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Board 221

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 7 2		♠ K 9 5 4									
♥ Q 7 2		♥ 8									
♦ 10 7 6		♦ J 9 3									
♣ K J 7 6		♣ Q 10 9 8 3									
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W		E									
	S										
		♠ Q J 8 6									
		♥ K 10 4 3									
		♦ 8 5 4									
		♣ 5 2									
		♠ A 3									
		♥ A J 9 6 5									
		♦ A K Q 2									
		♣ A 4									

Shape 4135 4432 2542 3334 HCP 6 6 22 6 Losers 8 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

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Board 222

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 8	
	♥ 10 6 2	
	♦ Q 7 6 4	
	♣ 9 8 7 4 2	
♠ J 9 7 5 3		♠ Q 10 6 2
♥ Q 8 5 4		♥ K 9 7
♦ 2		♦ 10 9 8 5
♣ K J 5		♣ 6 3
	♠ A K 4	
	♥ A J 3	
	♦ A K J 3	
	♣ A Q 10	

Shape 1345 4342 3343 5413 HCP 2 5 26 7 Losers 9 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 223

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 7 6	
	♥ 7 5 3 2	
	♦ 10 4 3	
	♣ A 9 2	
♠ Q 4 3 2		♠ 9 8
♥ Q 8		♥ J 9 6 4
♦ 9 6		♦ 8 7 5 2
♣ K 10 7 4 3		♣ Q 8 5
	♠ A K J 5	
	♥ A K 10	
	♦ A K Q J	
	♣ J 6	

Shape 3433 2443 4342 4225 HCP 4 3 26 7 Losers 11 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	3 ♣ ²
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. strength cue bid

3 N by North

Made 4 — NS +630

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Board 224

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 8 7	
	♥ 7 6	
	♦ 10 7 5	
	♣ Q J 10 8 6	
♠ A Q J 9 6 4 2		♠ 5 3
♥ 9 5 4 2		♥ A 3
♦ —		♦ K J 9 6 4 3 2
♣ 3 2		♣ 5 4
	♠ K	
	♥ K Q J 10 8	
	♦ A Q 8	
	♣ A K 9 7	

Shape 3235 2272 1534 7402 HCP 3 8 22 7 Losers 10 7 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♠	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong

4 ♥ by South

Down 2 — NS -100

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Board 225

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10
♥ J 10 8 6
♦ A J 10 4 3 2
♣ Q 7

♠ 9 8 3 2
♥ 9 5 2
♦ K 8
♣ J 10 5 2

♠ Q J 7 5 4
♥ 3
♦ 9 7 6 5
♣ K 9 4

♠ A K 6
♥ A K Q 7 4
♦ Q
♣ A 8 6 3

W N E S

Shape 1462 5143 3514 4324 HCP 8 6 22 4 Losers 8 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	5 NT ⁴
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. !H queen no !C king no !D king
- 6 ♥ by South
Made 7 — NS +1010

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Board 226

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ Q 7 5 3		
	♥ Q 8 5 2		
	♦ Q 10		
	♣ Q 5 4		
♠ 10 6 4 2		♠ K 9 8	
♥ J 10 3		♥ 9 6 4	
♦ 9 3 2		♦ 8 7 5	
♣ 8 6 2		♣ K 10 9 3	
	♠ A J		
	♥ A K 7		
	♦ A K J 6 4		
	♣ A J 7		

Shape 4423 3334 2353 4333 HCP 8 6 25 1 Losers 8 10 5 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	5 NT	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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Board 227

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 5 4		♠ J 10 6 3
♥ 9 3 2		♥ 8
♦ Q J 9 6		♦ 10 8 5 4 2
♣ A 8 3		♣ 6 5 4
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ K 8
		♥ J 7 6 5 4
		♦ 7
		♣ J 10 9 7 2
		♠ A Q 7 2
		♥ A K Q 10
		♦ A K 3
		♣ K Q

Shape 4153 2515 4432 3343 HCP 1 5 27 7 Losers 10 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 228

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 3 2		♠ 6 4
♥ 8 7 6 3		♥ Q 4
♦ 8 5		♦ Q 10 7 6 3 2
♣ 7 6 5		♣ Q 10 3

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	♠ A	♠ K Q 9 8 7 5
	♥ A K J 10 2	♥ 9 5
	♦ A K J	♦ 9 4
	♣ A K 4 2	♣ J 9 8

Shape 2263 6223 1534 4423 HCP 6 6 27 1 Losers 8 8 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	5 NT ⁵	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
 5. !D queen no !S king no !C king
 - 6 ♦ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1390

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Board 229

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 3 2	
	♥ 9 6	
	♦ A 9 7 5	
	♣ Q 6 4 3	
♠ 8 7 4		♠ Q J 5
♥ J 7 5 2		♥ 8 4 3
♦ 10 8 3		♦ J 6 4 2
♣ 9 8 5		♣ K 10 2
	♠ A K 9 6	
	♥ A K Q 10	
	♦ K Q	
	♣ A J 7	

Shape 3244 3343 4423 3433 HCP 6 7 26 1 Losers 9 10 4 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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Board 230

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 4	
	♥ 9 3 2	
	♦ A J 3 2	
	♣ 7 5 4 3 2	
♠ 10 8 6 5 2		♠ Q J 9 7 3
♥ Q 8		♥ J 5 4
♦ Q 9 8 6		♦ 10
♣ J 6		♣ A 10 9 8
	♠ A K	
	♥ A K 10 7 6	
	♦ K 7 5 4	
	♣ K Q	

Shape 1345 5314 2542 5242 HCP 5 8 22 5 Losers 9 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 231

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ Q 7 4 2		
	♥ 7 3		
	♦ Q 7 5 4 3		
	♣ 9 3		
♠ 10 8 6 5 3		♠ A K J 9	
♥ J 5 2		♥ Q 10 6	
♦ 2		♦ 10 9 6	
♣ K 10 5 4		♣ 8 6 2	
	♠ —		
	♥ A K 9 8 4		
	♦ A K J 8		
	♣ A Q J 7		

Shape 4252 4333 0544 5314 HCP 4 10 22 4 Losers 8 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ ³
Pass	5 NT ⁴	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Exclusion, for !D

4. 0 out of 4

6 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +1370

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Board 232

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 4 2			
♥ 10 8 7 3 2			
♦ 10 6 2			
♣ 9 4			
♠ Q 10 6 3			♠ J 8 7 5
♥ J 9 5			♥ 6
♦ K 9			♦ Q J 8 7 3
♣ K 7 3 2			♣ J 6 5
♠ A K			
♥ A K Q 4			
♦ A 5 4			
♣ A Q 10 8			

Shape 3532 4153 2434 4324 HCP 0 5 26 9 Losers 11 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

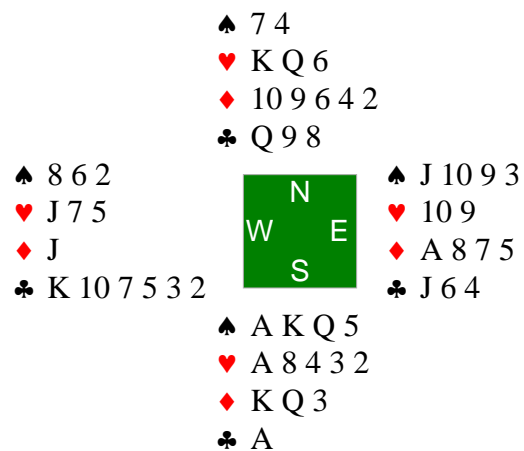
1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 233

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 2353 4243 4531 3316 HCP 7 6 22 5 Losers 8 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

Board 234
South Deals
Both Vul

♣ A K 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +660

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Board 235

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 9 5 4 3 2	
	♥ Q 8 5 4	
	♦ Q 10 3	
	♣ 7	
♠ J 10 6		♠ A K Q 8 7
♥ 10 7 3		♥ 2
♦ J 8		♦ 7 6 5 2
♣ 10 9 5 3 2		♣ Q 6 4
	♠ —	
	♥ A K J 9 6	
	♦ A K 9 4	
	♣ A K J 8	

Shape 5431 5143 0544 3325 HCP 4 11 23 2 Losers 8 6 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Pass	5 ♠ ⁵
Pass	5 NT ⁶	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Exclusion, for !H
6. 0 out of 4

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

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Board 236

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7 4 2		♠ J 10 8									
♥ 4		♥ K Q 10 9 2									
♦ K Q 8 7 3		♦ 10 2									
♣ 8 6 4		♣ 9 7 5									
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		♦ J 6 5 4									
		♣ Q J 10									
		♠ A K Q 6									
		♥ A J 6									
		♦ A 9									
		♣ A K 3 2									

Shape 3523 2443 4324 4153 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 9 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 6 — NS +690

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Board 237

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 10 6 5 4 3	
	♥ J 4 3 2	
	♦ 7 5	
	♣ K 10	
♠ 2		♠ K Q 9 8 7
♥ Q 8 7		♥ 6
♦ K J 10 9 6		♦ 8 4
♣ J 6 4 2		♣ Q 9 8 7 5
	♠ A J	
	♥ A K 10 9 5	
	♦ A Q 3 2	
	♣ A 3	

Shape 5422 5125 2542 1354 HCP 4 7 22 7 Losers 9 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

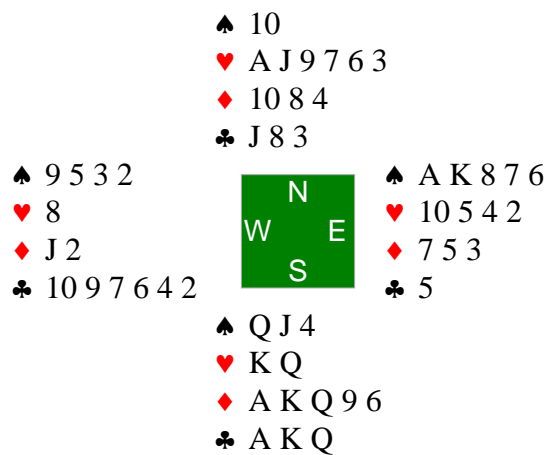
Made 6 — NS +1430

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Board 238

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 1633 5431 3253 4126 HCP 6 7 26 1 Losers 9 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♥

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +480

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Board 239

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 6 5 2		♠ 10 9 8 7 4 3
♥ J 10 7		♥ 9
♦ 4		♦ Q 3
♣ K Q 9 7		♣ J 10 6 5
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		♠ —
		♥ 8 3 2
		♦ J 10 9 8 7 5
		♣ 8 4 3 2
		♠ K J
		♥ A K Q 6 5 4
		♦ A K 6 2
		♣ A

Shape 6124 0364 2641 5314 HCP 3 1 24 12 Losers 9 9 2 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

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Board 240

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 7		♠ 8 5 4									
♥ 10 9 3		♥ K Q 7 5 4 2									
♦ 10 9 5 4		♦ J 8 7									
♣ Q 10 8		♣ 2									
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		♠ 10 6 2									
		♥ 8									
		♦ 3 2									
		♣ J 9 7 6 5 4 3									
		♠ K Q J 3									
		♥ A J 6									
		♦ A K Q 6									
		♣ A K									

Shape 3631 3127 4342 3343 HCP 6 1 27 6 Losers 8 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

F8A2A9EEE75234412E33771A3F34

Board 241

South Deals

None Vul

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

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	♠ A K	♠ 10 8 5
	♥ A K Q J 7	♥ 10 4
	♦ A 10 8 6	♦ Q 7 3
	♣ K 8	♣ A Q 10 7 4

Shape 6124 3235 2542 2542 HCP 4 8 24 4 Losers 8 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Dbl	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by South
Down 1 — NS -50

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Board 242

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 5 4		♠ K Q 9
♥ Q 9		♥ 5 4
♦ Q J 2		♦ 10 9 8 5 4 3
♣ J 10 7 6		♣ 9 5

	♠ 7 6 3 2
	♥ 10 8 6 3
	♦ —
	♣ A Q 8 4 2

♠ A 10
♥ A K J 7 2
♦ A K 7 6
♣ K 3



Shape 3262 4405 2542 4234 HCP 5 6 22 7 Losers 8 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

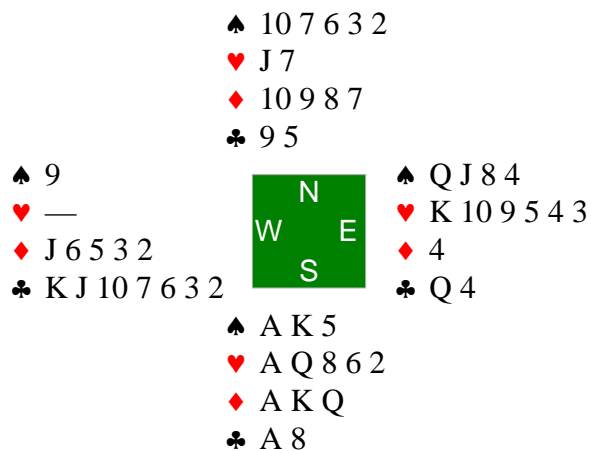
1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by South
 Made 5 — NS +660

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Board 243

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 5242 4612 3532 1057 HCP 1 8 26 5 Losers 10 7 3 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♣	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
 3 N by South
 Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 244

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 2		
	♥ K J 8 7 6 5		
	♦ J 10 8 2		
	♣ 10 8		
♠ 8 6 5 4		♠ 10 9 7 3	
♥ 10 4 3		♥ 2	
♦ K		♦ 7 6 4 3	
♣ K Q 9 6 3		♣ J 5 4 2	
	♠ A K Q J		
	♥ A Q 9		
	♦ A Q 9 5		
	♣ A 7		

Shape 1642 4144 4342 4315 HCP 5 1 26 8 Losers 8 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	2 ♥	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	7 ♥
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7 ♥× by North
Down 1 — NS -200

FA85E1B3AB4CC9D3EE5A1E2FEAF1

Board 245

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 5 4	
	♥ A 10 9	
	♦ 10 7 5 4	
	♣ Q J 8 4	
♠ K 9 8 7 3 2		♠ 10 6
♥ Q 2		♥ 8 6 5
♦ K Q 8 2		♦ J 9 6 3
♣ 10		♣ 7 6 5 3
	♠ A Q J	
	♥ K J 7 4 3	
	♦ A	
	♣ A K 9 2	



Shape 2344 2344 3514 6241 HCP 7 1 22 10 Losers 9 11 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	6 ♥ ⁴	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. no !H queen
- 6 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +1430

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Board 246

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 8 3		♠ Q 9 7 5
♥ 9 7 6		♥ J 10 8 5
♦ 8 7 6		♦ 9 4 3 2
♣ 10 5 4		♣ A
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		♠ 10 6 4
		♥ 4 2
		♦ A 10 5
		♣ 9 8 6 3 2
		♠ A 2
		♥ A K Q 3
		♦ K Q J
		♣ K Q J 7

Shape 4441 3235 2434 4333 HCP 7 4 25 4 Losers 8 10 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♠ ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=2 out of 4

6 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50

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Board 247

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8
♥ K 9 7 5 3 2
♦ K 10 7
♣ 10 3

♠ 7 4 3 2
♥ A J
♦ 9 5 3 2
♣ 9 7 6

♠ 10 9 6 5
♥ 6 4
♦ 8 6 4
♣ Q J 8 4

♠ A K Q
♥ Q 10 8
♦ A Q J
♣ A K 5 2

W N E S

Shape 2632 4234 3334 4243 HCP 7 3 25 5 Losers 8 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

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Board 248

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 7 4 2		♠ Q 5
♥ 3		♥ 8 2
♦ J 7 6 2		♦ A 4
♣ 10 7 6		♣ J 9 8 5 4 3 2

W

S

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E
S

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♠ K J 9 3	♠ 10 6
♥ A K Q J 6 5	♥ 10 9 7 4
♦ K Q	♦ 10 9 8 5 3
♣ A	♣ K Q

Shape 2227 2452 4621 5143 HCP 7 5 23 5 Losers 8 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 3 N by North
 Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 249

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 7 6		♠ 10 5 4 3
♥ Q 9 6		♥ J 10 2
♦ 9 8 7 2		♦ 5 4
♣ Q 8 4		♣ 7 6 5 2

	♠ J 2
	♥ A 8 7 5 3
	♦ Q J 10 6
	♣ 10 9

♠ A K Q 8
♥ K 4
♦ A K 3
♣ A K J 3



Shape 4324 2542 4234 3343 HCP 1 8 27 4 Losers 11 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 250

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 8 7 2	
	♥ 9 8 6 5 2	
	♦ 10 6 4	
	♣ 5	
♠ K 9 3		♠ 6 5 4
♥ Q 7 4 3		♥ J
♦ A 8 7		♦ J 9 5 3 2
♣ 10 6 3		♣ Q 9 8 2
	♠ A Q 10	
	♥ A K 10	
	♦ K Q	
	♣ A K J 7 4	

Shape 4531 3154 3325 3433 HCP 1 4 26 9 Losers 10 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

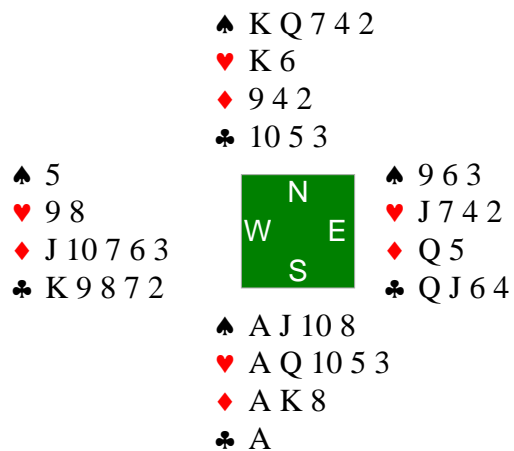
1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

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Board 251

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 5233 3424 4531 1255 HCP 8 6 22 4 Losers 8 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	6 ♥ ⁵	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. !S queen and !H king

6 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010

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Board 252

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 6	
	♥ 9 7	
	♦ J 10 7 5 3 2	
	♣ 7 5 4	
♠ A J 9 5 4		♠ Q 8 7 3
♥ K J 8 3 2		♥ 10 6 4
♦ 9		♦ Q 8 6
♣ 10 9		♣ 8 3 2
	♠ K 2	
	♥ A Q 5	
	♦ A K 4	
	♣ A K Q J 6	

Shape 2263 4333 2335 5512 HCP 1 4 26 9 Losers 10 10 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

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Board 253

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 6 3		♠ A K 8 7 2
♥ J 3		♥ 7 6
♦ Q 4 3		♦ 10 9 7 5
♣ K 10 9 7 3		♣ 5 2
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		♥ 5 4 2
		♦ K J 8 6 2
		♣ 6 4
		♠ Q J
		♥ A K Q 10 9 8
		♦ A
		♣ A Q J 8

Shape 5242 3352 2614 3235 HCP 7 4 23 6 Losers 8 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass	5 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♥ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	6 ♦ ⁶
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. !S queen and !H king
 5. King ask by 5 NT
 6. K=1
- 6 ♠ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1460

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Board 254

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 7 2	
	♥ Q J 9 7 6 4	
	♦ Q 6 4 3	
	♣ 4	
♠ Q 10 9 6 5	<div>W N E S</div>	♠ J 8 3
♥ 10 5 3		♥ 8
♦ J 10 9 7		♦ 8 5 2
♣ 3		♣ K Q 10 9 6 2
	♠ A K 4	
	♥ A K 2	
	♦ A K	
	♣ A J 8 7 5	

Shape 2641 3136 3325 5341 HCP 5 6 26 3 Losers 7 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010

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Board 255

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 3		♠ Q 10 6 5 2
♥ K 9 4		♥ 6 5 3
♦ Q 8 5 4 3		♦ K 9 2
♣ 7 5 2		♣ 8 4

♠ 8 4		♠ A K 9 7
♥ Q J		♥ A 10 8 7 2
♦ J 10 7 6		♦ A
♣ Q 10 9 6 3		♣ A K J

	♠ N	
♠ W	♠ S	♠ E

Shape 5332 2245 4513 2353 HCP 5 6 23 6 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♥

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Cue bid, surplus
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 5 ♥ by South
- Made 5 — NS +650

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Board 256

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ J 8 4 2	
	♥ J 8	
	♦ 10 5 4 2	
	♣ Q 6 3	
♠ Q 10 6	<div>W<div>N S</div>E</div>	♠ 9 7 3
♥ K 9 7 6 2		♥ Q 5 4 3
♦ Q J 8		♦ 9 3
♣ 8 7		♣ J 10 9 4
	♠ A K 5	
	♥ A 10	
	♦ A K 7 6	
	♣ A K 5 2	

Shape 4243 3424 3244 3532 HCP 4 3 25 8 Losers 10 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 257

South Deals

None Vul

		♠ Q 10 7 4	
		♥ 10 5 3 2	
		♦ K 5	
		♣ Q 5 2	
♠ 8 2			♠ J 9 5 3
♥ Q 4			♥ J 6
♦ A J 10 9 7 2			♦ 8 6 4 3
♣ 9 6 4			♣ 10 8 3
		♠ A K 6	
		♥ A K 9 8 7	
		♦ Q	
		♣ A K J 7	

Shape 4423 4243 3514 2263 HCP 7 2 24 7 Losers 8 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, surplus

5. Blackwood 0314, for !H

6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS −50

Board 258
South Deals
N-S Vul

♥ _____

♣ J 8 6

♦ 3

♠ A Q

♦ A K J 6

♣ A7

♦ 8 5 4 2

♣ K 5 3 2

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

4. $A=1/5$ or $4/5$

Made 6 — NS +680

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Board 259

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ J 9 8 3	
	♥ 10 8 5 3	
	♦ K 9 7	
	♣ 7 4	
♠ K 5 2		♠ 10 7 6 4
♥ Q 6		♥ J 7 2
♦ Q 8 2		♦ J 10 6 4
♣ J 9 6 5 3		♣ 10 2
	♠ A Q	
	♥ A K 9 4	
	♦ A 5 3	
	♣ A K Q 8	

Shape 4432 4342 2434 3235 HCP 4 2 26 8 Losers 10 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

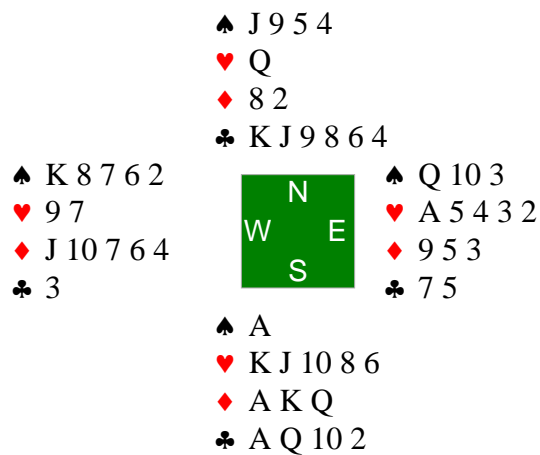
1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 260

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4126 3532 1534 5251 HCP 7 6 23 4 Losers 8 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	5 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

5 ♣ by South

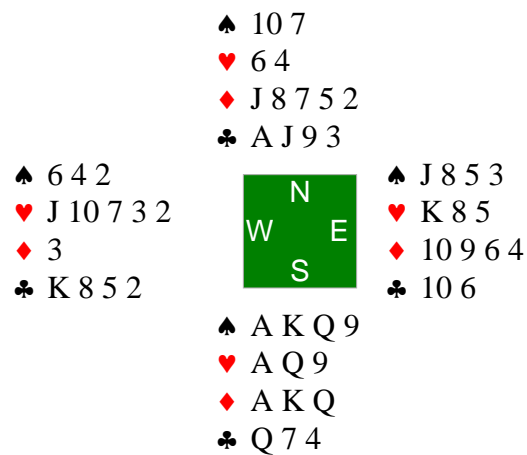
Made 6 — NS +620

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Board 261

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 2254 4342 4333 3514 HCP 6 4 26 4 Losers 9 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
- Made 6 — NS +690

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Board 262

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 7 5 4		♠ 9 8 2									
♥ J 9 4 2		♥ 8 7									
♦ 10 6 2		♦ Q 9 8 4									
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		♥ A K Q 6 5									
		♦ A K									
		♣ A K J 2									

Shape 3244 3244 2524 5431 HCP 2 8 24 6 Losers 10 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 263

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 10 8 6 4	
	♥ 8 2	
	♦ K Q 6 2	
	♣ Q 10 4	
♠ Q J 7 5		♠ 9 3 2
♥ A 10 6		♥ J 7 5
♦ 8 4		♦ 9 7 3
♣ J 7 5 3		♣ 9 8 6 2
	♠ A K	
	♥ K Q 9 4 3	
	♦ A J 10 5	
	♣ A K	

Shape 4243 3334 2542 4324 HCP 7 1 24 8 Losers 8 12 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +660


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Board 264

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8		
♥ J 8 7		
♦ Q 7 6 5 3 2		
♣ A 5 3		
♠ Q 10 6 5 4 3 2		♠ J 9 7
♥ 3		♥ K 9 5 4 2
♦ J 4		♦ 9
♣ 10 8 4		♣ J 7 6 2



♠ A K		
♥ A Q 10 6		
♦ A K 10 8		
♣ K Q 9		

Shape 1363 3514 2443 7123 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 8 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	7 ♦

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7 ♦ by North
- Down 1 — NS -50

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Board 265

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 9 8 6 4		
	♥ A 6		
	♦ 8 5 3		
	♣ J 7 5 4		
♠ K J 10 7 5 2			♠ Q 3
♥ K 10 4			♥ 8 5 2
♦ K 6			♦ J 9 4 2
♣ 8 2			♣ 10 9 6 3
	♠ A		
	♥ Q J 9 7 3		
	♦ A Q 10 7		
	♣ A K Q		

Shape 4234 2344 1543 6322 HCP 5 3 22 10 Losers 10 11 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
2 ♠	Pass	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 266

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 10 9	
	♥ 3 2	
	♦ J 10 8 2	
	♣ A 8 7 6	
♠ K 4 3		♠ 7 6 5 2
♥ 10 8 6 4		♥ J 5
♦ —		♦ 9 7 6 5 4 3
♣ K 10 5 4 3 2		♣ Q
	♠ A Q 8	
	♥ A K Q 9 7	
	♦ A K Q	
	♣ J 9	

Shape 3 2 4 4 4 2 6 1 3 5 3 2 3 4 0 6 HCP 6 3 2 5 6 Losers 10 9 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

Made 5 — NS +660

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Board 267

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9		♠ K J 5 3									
♥ 6 3 2		♥ 9 8 5									
♦ 9 8 7 5 3		♦ J 10 6 4									
♣ 6 5 3		♣ Q 7									
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		♦ —									
		♣ 9 8 4 2									
		♠ A 8 7									
		♥ K Q									
		♦ A K Q 2									
		♣ A K J 10									

Shape 4342 4504 3244 2353 HCP 7 5 26 2 Losers 10 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

0AA5E0AD5A2FBF1A10B34E20FB79

Board 268

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 8 7 4	
	♥ 5	
	♦ Q 10 9 5	
	♣ 10 9 6 3	
♠ K 3		♠ J 5 2
♥ 9 6 3 2		♥ J 8 7
♦ K 7 6 4		♦ J 8 3 2
♣ K 7 4		♣ J 8 5
	♠ A Q 9 6	
	♥ A K Q 10 4	
	♦ A	
	♣ A Q 2	

Shape 4144 3343 4513 2443 HCP 2 4 25 9 Losers 9 12 2 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♠ by South
 Made 5 — NS +650

0BADB5697723D543B032D10A4BFC

Board 269

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 5 2		♠ 10 6 4									
♥ K J 7 6 2		♥ 8 4 3									
♦ Q 4 3		♦ K J 9									
♣ 7 2		♣ J 10 8 3									
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	S										
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		♥ 9 5									
		♦ 10 8 7 6 5									
		♣ 6 4									
		♠ A K 7									
		♥ A Q 10									
		♦ A 2									
		♣ A K Q 9 5									

Shape 3334 4252 3325 3532 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 11 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +660

08A5A0BE5FF7E2491BE8AE573BFA

Board 270

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 6 2		♠ 7 3									
♥ Q 10 3 2		♥ 8									
♦ A 10 4		♦ 8 7 6 3 2									
♣ K 6		♣ J 10 7 4 3									
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W		E									
	S										
		♠ J 8 4									
		♥ J 7 4									
		♦ Q J 5									
		♣ Q 9 5 2									
		♠ A K Q 5									
		♥ A K 9 6 5									
		♦ K 9									
		♣ A 8									

Shape 2155 3334 4522 4432 HCP 1 7 23 9 Losers 9 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by North
Down 1 — NS -50

0AA56778E3D2D60B08EBE70A1DF1

Board 271

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 9 6 5 2		♠ 8 7 4 3
♥ Q 2		♥ 8 7 4
♦ J 10 2		♦ 3
♣ Q 7		♣ K J 8 6 5

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♠ A		♠ K Q
♥ A K J 6 5		♥ 10 9 3
♦ A K 9 5		♦ Q 8 7 6 4
♣ A 3 2		♣ 10 9 4

Shape 4315 2353 1543 6232 HCP 4 7 23 6 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Splinter
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +1430

09AAA6EBEA740CB74D36DB600F10

Board 272

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 9 6 3 2	
	♥ 9 7 3	
	♦ 4 2	
	♣ Q 8 5 3	
♠ Q J 5		♠ 10 7 4
♥ 10 8 6		♥ 5 2
♦ 9 7 3		♦ K 10 8 6
♣ 10 9 4 2		♣ A K J 6
	♠ A K 8	
	♥ A K Q J 4	
	♦ A Q J 5	
	♣ 7	

Shape 4324 3244 3541 3334 HCP 2 11 24 3 Losers 10 8 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

18A1ADEEDD5AEBF7CF142B48317C

Board 273

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7		♠ 6 5 3
♥ 8 3 2		♥ 7 4
♦ 8 6		♦ 10 9 5 4
♣ 6 4 2		♣ 9 8 7 5

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♠ 10 4 2		♠ A K
♥ J 10 6		♥ A K Q 9 5
♦ K Q J 7 2		♦ A 3
♣ Q 10		♣ A K J 3

Shape 3244 3352 2524 5323 HCP 0 9 28 3 Losers 11 9 2 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by North
 Made 4 — NS +430

1A65BDA9EBEE107C48443BBE8342

Board 274

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10		♠ 9 5
♥ K 8 5 4		♥ 7 6 3 2
♦ 9 3 2		♦ K 10 8 4
♣ 9 8 7 6		♣ J 5 3

	♠ A 8 7 6 2
	♥ 9
	♦ Q J 7 5
	♣ 10 4 2

	♠ K Q 4 3
	♥ A Q J 10
	♦ A 6
	♣ A K Q



Shape 2443 5143 4423 2434 HCP 4 7 25 4 Losers 10 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +630

19AE896AAE1F474F42F86620C0BC

Board 275

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 4	
	♥ K 9 8 7 3	
	♦ 7 4 3	
	♣ 10 9 8	
♠ 6 3		♠ Q 9 8 7 5
♥ 6 2		♥ 10
♦ A J 10 8 2		♦ 9 5
♣ 6 4 3 2		♣ A Q J 7 5
	♠ A K J 2	
	♥ A Q J 5 4	
	♦ K Q 6	
	♣ K	

Shape 2533 5125 4531 2254 HCP 3 9 23 5 Losers 10 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

1BA9E6ED6ED74047B3C475596B30

Board 276

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 2	
	♥ 9 8 6	
	♦ K 10 8 6 5	
	♣ 10 8 7 3	
♠ K Q 10 6		♠ J 9 8 5 4 3
♥ 7 5 2		♥ 10 4
♦ A 4 3		♦ 9 7 2
♣ 9 6 2		♣ K J
	♠ A 7	
	♥ A K Q J 3	
	♦ Q J	
	♣ A Q 5 4	

Shape 1354 6232 2524 4333 HCP 3 5 23 9 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Cue bid, surplus
- 4 ♥ by South
- Made 6 — NS +680

1AADF568AC5346CFCE61582EDCFD

Board 277

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4		
♥ 9 8 7		
♦ A J 8 7 4 3 2		
♣ 10 8		
♠ K 8 7 3 2		♠ Q 10 9 6 5
♥ K 2		♥ 10 5 3
♦ 10 6		♦ Q 5
♣ Q J 5 3		♣ 9 7 4

W

N

E

S

♠ A J	
♥ A Q J 6 4	
♦ K 9	
♣ A K 6 2	

Shape 1372 5323 2524 5224 HCP 5 4 22 9 Losers 8 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +600

1939ADA1254F777246BCC80554CF

Board 278

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 2		♠ A J 4
♥ A 9 8 6		♥ 10 7 5 4 2
♦ K 10 6 2		♦ Q 8
♣ 6 5 3		♣ 10 9 2
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		♠ 10 9 8 7 3
		♥ 3
		♦ J 9 7 4 3
		♣ 8 7
		♠ K Q 6
		♥ K Q J
		♦ A 5
		♣ A K Q J 4

Shape 3523 5152 3325 2443 HCP 7 1 25 7 Losers 10 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♣ ⁵
Pass			Pass

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

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Board 279

South Deals

Both Vul

		♠ Q 8	
		♥ Q 10 5	
		♦ 6 5 3 2	
		♣ 8 7 4 2	
♠ 9 7			♠ J 5 4 3
♥ J 9 4 2			♥ K 8 7
♦ J 9 4			♦ Q 10 8 7
♣ 10 6 5 3			♣ K 9
		♠ A K 10 6 2	
		♥ A 6 3	
		♦ A K	
		♣ A Q J	

Shape 2344 4342 5323 2434 HCP 4 9 25 2 Losers 10 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

Made 4 — NS +630

1861A509628E744B28DC763A0CE0

Board 280

South Deals

None Vul


♠ 6 2		♠ Q 7 4 3
♥ 9 5 4		♥ Q 10 8 3
♦ K 9 5		♦ Q 8 7 4
♣ 9 7 6 3 2		♣ 8

N

W

S

E



♠ A J 9 8 5
♥ 6
♦ 10 6 3
♣ J 10 5 4

♠ K 10
♥ A K J 7 2
♦ A J 2
♣ A K Q

Shape 4441 5134 2533 2335 HCP 6 6 25 3 Losers 7 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

19ADBBE93542464F30DFD0682775

Board 281

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 6 5		♠ J 7 3
♥ K J 7 2		♥ 10 9 8
♦ A 8 6		♦ 10 7 5
♣ 7 5 4		♣ K 8 6 3
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	<div>♥ 6 5</div>	
	<div>♦ J 9 3 2</div>	
	<div>♣ 10 9</div>	
	<div>♠ A K</div>	
	<div>♥ A Q 4 3</div>	
	<div>♦ K Q 4</div>	
	<div>♣ A Q J 2</div>	

Shape 3334 5242 2434 3433 HCP 4 1 25 10 Losers 11 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

1BA5611FE12B9A1AD35CF4F721CB

Board 282

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 7 5 4 2		♠ Q 10 8 3
♥ 5 4		♥ 2
♦ 10 9 8 2		♦ A 5 4
♣ 6 5		♣ Q 10 7 4 2
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		♠ K 6
		♥ Q 9 8 7 6
		♦ K J 7 3
		♣ 9 8
		♠ A 9
		♥ A K J 10 3
		♦ Q 6
		♣ A K J 3

Shape 4135 2542 2524 5242 HCP 8 9 22 1 Losers 7 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	6 ♣	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass			Pass

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

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Board 283

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 10 6		♠ 8 7 5 3 2									
♥ 10 8 5 3		♥ J 7									
♦ 9 7 4		♦ 10 2									
♣ 9 6		♣ J 8 5 3									
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		♥ Q 4 2									
		♦ 8 6 5 3									
		♣ K 7 4 2									
		♠ A 4									
		♥ A K 9 6									
		♦ A K Q J									
		♣ A Q 10									

Shape 5224 2344 2443 4432 HCP 2 8 27 3 Losers 10 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 284

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 7		♠ 9 5 4 3 2									
♥ A 10 9 4		♥ 8 7 5									
♦ 7		♦ Q J 5									
♣ Q 10 7 6 2		♣ J 5									
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		♥ 6 2									
		♦ 10 9 8 6 3									
		♣ 9 8 3									
		♠ A Q									
		♥ K Q J 3									
		♦ A K 4 2									
		♣ A K 4									

Shape 5332 3253 2443 3415 HCP 4 3 26 7 Losers 10 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

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Board 285

South Deals

Both Vul

		♠ A J 9 8 6 2	
		♥ 4	
		♦ J 10	
		♣ 9 6 3 2	
♠ 10 4			♠ 5 3
♥ K J 6 2			♥ Q 10 9 7 3
♦ Q 9 5 4 2			♦ 7 6 3
♣ J 7			♣ 10 5 4
		♠ K Q 7	
		♥ A 8 5	
		♦ A K 8	
		♣ A K Q 8	

Shape 6124 2533 3334 2452 HCP 6 2 25 7 Losers 8 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1460

18A1B92D73C5461C4704D0D68A59

Board 286

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 5 4		♠ Q 8 6
♥ K J		♥ 10 9 7 6 3
♦ 10 9 7 6 4		♦ K 3 2
♣ 8 6 5		♣ J 7

	♠ J 9 7 2
	♥ 8 5 4 2
	♦ Q 8
	♣ 9 4 3

♠ A K 3
♥ A Q
♦ A J 5
♣ A K Q 10 2



Shape 3532 4423 3235 3253 HCP 6 3 27 4 Losers 9 11 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

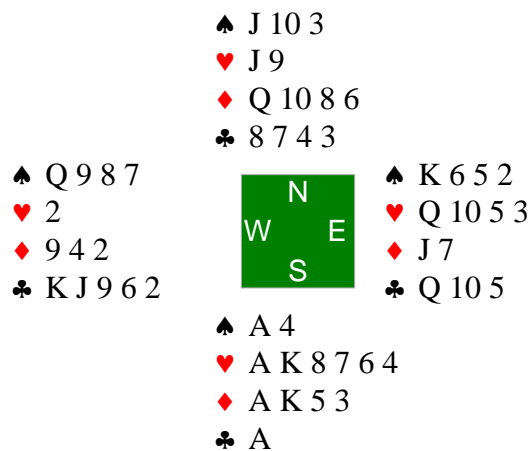
- 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 6 N by South
Made 6 — NS +990

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Board 287

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 3 2 4 4 4 2 3 2 6 4 1 4 1 3 5 HCP 4 8 22 6 Losers 10 8 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♥ by South
 Made 5 — NS +650

196AAFE9E5EC4F120AC704F0D515

Board 288

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 5 2			
♥ 9 7 6 5			
♦ 8 4			
♣ K 9 6			
♠ Q J 10 6 4 3			♠ A 9
♥ 4			♥ 8 3 2
♦ K 10 9			♦ J 6 5 3 2
♣ 10 5 4			♣ A 8 7
♠ K			
♥ A K Q J 10			
♦ A Q 7			
♣ Q J 3 2			

Shape 4423 2353 1534 6133 HCP 3 9 22 6 Losers 10 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ³
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

28E591A346FF5CA8E74A0C1AEFB7

Board 289

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 5 4	
	♥ J 6 5	
	♦ 8 6 4	
	♣ Q 10 7 3 2	
♠ A 10 7 3		♠ J 9 6
♥ 10 2		♥ K 9 4
♦ A J 7 2		♦ 10 9 5 3
♣ 9 8 5		♣ J 6 4
	♠ K Q 8 2	
	♥ A Q 8 7 3	
	♦ K Q	
	♣ A K	

Shape 2335 3343 4522 4243 HCP 3 5 23 9 Losers 10 11 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

2A656DE091491A2F04BF52FFE840

Board 290

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 9 8 7	
	♥ 10 7 2	
	♦ K 8 6 4	
	♣ 8 6 4	
♠ Q 4 3		♠ A K 10 5 2
♥ 6 4		♥ J 9 5
♦ Q J 5 2		♦ 10 9 3
♣ Q 7 3 2		♣ 9 5
	♠ J 6	
	♥ A K Q 8 3	
	♦ A 7	
	♣ A K J 10	

Shape 3343 5332 2524 3244 HCP 3 8 22 7 Losers 11 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Cue bid, surplus
- 4 ♥ by South
- Made 4 — NS +620

2969A765A774CC0FB7AE53CC026C

Board 291

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 4		♠ 8 3
♥ 10 7		♥ 9 8 4 3
♦ 9 8 6 4 2		♦ 5 3
♣ 10 9 4 2		♣ K J 8 7 5

	♠ A Q 10 5 2
	♥ 5
	♦ K Q J 10 7
	♣ 6 3

	♠ K J 7 6
	♥ A K Q J 6 2
	♦ A
	♣ A Q



Shape 2425 5152 4612 2254 HCP 4 12 24 0 Losers 9 5 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♥× by South
 Made 6 — NS +1210

2B9D2D8C3617EECA48E51A1C18D2

Board 292

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 6 2		♠ K J 10 5 4 3
♥ J		♥ Q 8 7
♦ 8 7 5 3		♦ J 10 6
♣ Q 7 4 3		♣ 10

	♠ 7
	♥ A 10 5 4 3 2
	♦ 2
	♣ J 9 8 5 2

	♠ A Q
	♥ K 9 6
	♦ A K Q 9 4
	♣ A K 6



Shape 6331 1615 2353 4144 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 8 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass			Pass

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

2AA62523E1233E51CE52D38E5EF4

Board 293

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ K Q 10 9	
	♥ 7 4	
	♦ 9 7 4 3	
	♣ Q 10 5	
♠ J 7 5 2		♠ 8 6 3
♥ 9 2		♥ 8 6 5 3
♦ Q J 10 8 6 5		♦ —
♣ 2		♣ A 9 7 6 4 3
	♠ A 4	
	♥ A K Q J 10	
	♦ A K 2	
	♣ K J 8	

Shape 4243 3406 2533 4261 HCP 7 4 25 4 Losers 8 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

29B9AD187906507C8C502AC36336

Board 294

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ Q 10 5 2	
	♥ 10 7 4	
	♦ 9 6 4 3	
	♣ 4 3	
♠ 4		♠ J 9 8 6 3
♥ A J 8 2		♥ Q 9 6
♦ K 8 7		♦ 10 2
♣ Q 9 8 7 6		♣ 10 5 2
	♠ A K 7	
	♥ K 5 3	
	♦ A Q J 5	
	♣ A K J	

Shape 4342 5323 3343 1435 HCP 2 3 25 10 Losers 10 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

2BA9ED5FA03C031644973AFD767A

Board 295

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 10 9 8 5	
	♥ 9 7	
	♦ 8 7 6 3	
	♣ Q 9 6	
♠ K 4		♠ Q 7 3 2
♥ 10 5 4 3 2		♥ Q 8 6
♦ A 5 2		♦ J 9
♣ J 10 7		♣ 8 5 3 2
	♠ A J 6	
	♥ A K J	
	♦ K Q 10 4	
	♣ A K 4	

Shape 4243 4324 3343 2533 HCP 2 5 25 8 Losers 10 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

286DE5A52138330ADC46E78F585C

Board 296

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 7 5		♠ J 10 9 8
♥ 10 9		♥ 8 6 4
♦ K Q 6 5		♦ 10 8 3
♣ 10 7 3 2		♣ 9 5 4

	♠ A 6 3 2
	♥ 7 3 2
	♦ A 7 4 2
	♣ 8 6

	♠ Q 4
	♥ A K Q J 5
	♦ J 9
	♣ A K Q J



Shape 4333 4342 2524 3244 HCP 1 8 23 8 Losers 12 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♥ by South
 Down 1 — NS -50

2919A8ABA406CB43F411F05C8E5E

Board 297

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ A 10 6	
	♥ 10 9 8 3	
	♦ 8 6 5	
	♣ Q 9 8	
♠ 9 7 5		♠ 8 4 2
♥ 7 5		♥ A 6 4 2
♦ 4 3 2		♦ J 10 7
♣ K J 7 5 4		♣ 10 3 2
	♠ K Q J 3	
	♥ K Q J	
	♦ A K Q 9	
	♣ A 6	

Shape 3433 3433 4342 3235 HCP 6 5 25 4 Losers 10 11 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
Made 5 — NS +460

2BED9F7D700204A313E8DA2754EC

Board 298

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 10 9 7 4	
	♥ 10 9	
	♦ 9 4 3	
	♣ K 8 7 4	
♠ A 6 5 2		♠ Q J 3
♥ Q J	W N E	♥ K 7 5 3
♦ 6 5	S	♦ J 10 8 7
♣ J 9 6 3 2		♣ 10 5
	♠ K 8	
	♥ A 8 6 4 2	
	♦ A K Q 2	
	♣ A Q	

Shape 4234 3442 2542 4225 HCP 3 7 22 8 Losers 10 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

2821A5CC6EF54B241FD95F42E0C7

Board 299

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 7		
♥ Q 9 4 2		
♦ 9 6		
♣ 9 7 5 2		
♠ Q 10 6 3 2		♠ J 9 5 4
♥ 10		♥ 7 6 5
♦ K 10 8 2		♦ Q J 7 5
♣ Q 8 3		♣ J 4

W

N

S

E

♠ K
♥ A K J 8 3
♦ A 4 3
♣ A K 10 6

Shape 3424 4342 1534 5143 HCP 6 5 22 7 Losers 9 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

2AA4E92D02D1521C245B836FF9FB

Board 300

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ Q J 8 7	
	♥ J 5	
	♦ Q 8 4	
	♣ 6 5 4 2	
♠ K 10 3 2		♠ 9 6 4
♥ 3 2		♥ 10 9 8 6
♦ J 10 9 5		♦ K 6 3 2
♣ A 8 7		♣ J 9
	♠ A 5	
	♥ A K Q 7 4	
	♦ A 7	
	♣ K Q 10 3	

Shape 4234 3442 2524 4243 HCP 6 4 22 8 Losers 9 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

2BA9AF816CE3F042F200772E08D7

Board 301

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 7 2		♠ 6 4 3									
♥ 9 7 5		♥ Q 8 6 3									
♦ A 3		♦ 5 2									
♣ J 9 6 3		♣ K 10 5 2									
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		♥ 2									
		♦ Q 10 9 8 7 6									
		♣ 8 7 4									
		♠ A K Q									
		♥ A K J 10 4									
		♦ K J 4									
		♣ A Q									

Shape 3424 3163 3532 4324 HCP 5 3 27 5 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

28A287A101270EF4F78F4A5C7ED5

Board 302

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ J 10 9	
	♥ K J 9 6 5	
	♦ 5	
	♣ K 10 7 6	
♠ 8 7 2		♠ 5 4 3
♥ 8 7 3		♥ 4 2
♦ K 10 8 7 2	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♦ 9 6 4 3
♣ 8 4		♣ A 9 5 3
	♠ A K Q 6	
	♥ A Q 10	
	♦ A Q J	
	♣ Q J 2	

Shape 3514 3244 4333 3352 HCP 8 4 25 3 Losers 8 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♦ ³
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♣ ⁵
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 6 — NS +980

2AA6A22F61EC322B7AB2CE18AC43

Board 303

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 5		♠ Q 9 8 4									
♥ 9 7 6		♥ 5 2									
♦ K J 9 6 2		♦ Q 10 5 3									
♣ 10 4 3		♣ Q 8 2									
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		♥ 4									
		♦ 8 7 4									
		♣ A K 9 7 6 5									
		♠ A K 6 3									
		♥ A K Q J 10 8 3									
		♦ A									
		♣ J									

Shape 4243 3136 4711 2353 HCP 6 8 22 4 Losers 8 8 2 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

2929D9A776CF4CE0DAC8922E2E13

Board 304

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10 8 7 6		♠ A 4 3 2
♥ J		♥ 10 9 6
♦ 10 9 4 3		♦ 8 5 2
♣ 9 8 6		♣ Q 10 2
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		♠ J 9
		♥ K 7 5 2
		♦ Q J
		♣ J 7 5 4 3
		♠ Q 5
		♥ A Q 8 4 3
		♦ A K 7 6
		♣ A K

Shape 4333 2425 2542 5143 HCP 6 8 22 4 Losers 10 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♣ ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

386181A4FEDC5B5C00CA0B7127EC

Board 305

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 7 5 3		
	♥ K 7 6 5		
	♦ 9 6 5		
	♣ 9 5 3		
♠ J 10 6 2		♠ A 9 8 4	
♥ J 4		♥ 10 9 8	
♦ Q 3		♦ J 10 8 2	
♣ Q 10 8 7 2		♣ J 6	
	♠ K Q		
	♥ A Q 3 2		
	♦ A K 7 4		
	♣ A K 4		

Shape 3433 4342 2443 4225 HCP 3 6 25 6 Losers 11 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +430

3A659EA13D3ED04E0092E36BC16E

Board 306

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5 3		♠ J 10 7
♥ J 10		♥ 8 7 3
♦ Q 9 7 6 5 3		♦ K J 10 8 2
♣ 9 7		♣ 5 4

♠ A 8 4 2		♠ K Q 6
♥ K 9 6		♥ A Q 5 4 2
♦ 4		♦ A
♣ K 10 8 6 2		♣ A Q J 3



Shape 3352 4315 3514 3262 HCP 5 10 22 3 Losers 10 7 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♥ by South
 Made 5 — NS +650

39A9D8966822D5DC63CCC4030E2A

Board 307

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 8 6 5		♠ 10 4 3 2
♥ —		♥ 6 5 4 3
♦ 8 6 3		♦ 10 7 4
♣ K J 8 6 5		♣ 7 4

	♠ J 7
	♥ K Q 9 8
	♦ Q 9 5
	♣ Q 10 3 2

♠ A Q
♥ A J 10 7 2
♦ A K J 2
♣ A 9



Shape 4432 2434 2542 5035 HCP 0 10 23 7 Losers 11 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. strong
 4 ♥× by South
 Made 4 — NS +590

3BA967AEA85500B210E40850C903

Board 308

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 9 7 5 2	
	♥ 9 5 3 2	
	♦ K 10 6	
	♣ K 2	
♠ 6 3		♠ K 10 4
♥ 8		♥ 10 7 4
♦ A J 5 3		♦ 9 8 7 4 2
♣ J 9 7 6 5 4		♣ Q 8
	♠ A Q J 8	
	♥ A K Q J 6	
	♦ Q	
	♣ A 10 3	

Shape 4432 3352 4513 2146 HCP 6 5 23 6 Losers 9 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ³
Pass	3 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Cue bid, surplus

5 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

3AA5861D6110DC70DBDCBA2F3B67

Board 309

South Deals

N-S Vul

		♠ Q 10 4 3	
		♥ K	
		♦ Q 9 6 4	
		♣ 7 4 3 2	
♠ 9 7 6			♠ J 8 2
♥ 8 5 3			♥ Q 10 9 7 6
♦ J 10 8			♦ 7 5 3
♣ 10 9 8 6			♣ K 5
		♠ A K 5	
		♥ A J 4 2	
		♦ A K 2	
		♣ A Q J	

Shape 4144 3532 3433 3334 HCP 7 6 26 1 Losers 8 9 5 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1470

39A86164A8051312F734FA481EE0

Board 310

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 9 8 6 3	
	♥ 10 4	
	♦ K 9 8 2	
	♣ 9 7	
♠ 7 5 2		♠ K Q 4
♥ 7 6 5		♥ 9 8 3
♦ 3		♦ Q 10 7 6
♣ A Q J 6 4 2		♣ 8 5 3
	♠ A J	
	♥ A K Q J 2	
	♦ A J 5 4	
	♣ K 10	

Shape 5242 3343 2542 3316 HCP 3 7 23 7 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 3 N by South
 Made 3 — NS +400

3BA5A5E032C90C46366AD4D9B363

Board 311

South Deals

Both Vul


♠ Q 10 5 4		♠ J 9 7
♥ J 7 3		♥ 10 9 8
♦ 10 6 4		♦ A K 8 7 5
♣ Q 9 5		♣ 3 2

W

N

S

E



♠ A K 3	♠ 8 6 2
♥ A K Q 6 2	♥ 5 4
♦ 9	♦ Q J 3 2
♣ A K 10 4	♣ J 8 7 6

Shape 3352 3244 3514 4333 HCP 8 4 23 5 Losers 9 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	6 ♦ ⁵	Dbl	5 NT ⁴
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=1

6 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1460

38A1E93C6CE679DBFB53063F5168

Board 312

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 10 8 7		♠ Q 5 4									
♥ Q 9 7 4		♥ 5									
♦ 10 5		♦ K 9 8 7 2									
♣ Q J 2		♣ 8 7 6 4									
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		♥ 8 6 3									
		♦ Q J 4									
		♣ 10 5									
		♠ A									
		♥ A K J 10 2									
		♦ A 6 3									
		♣ A K 9 3									

Shape 3 1 5 4 5 3 3 2 1 5 3 4 4 4 2 3 HCP 5 4 2 3 8 Losers 8 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

5 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +420

39A5A5D9C0D8195F03C05E901CCA

Board 313

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 7 3		♠ 8 5
♥ J 7 6 2		♥ Q 10 9 8 5 4 3
♦ J 7 6 4		♦ A K
♣ 8 7		♣ 5 2
♠ Q J 10 6 2		
♥ —		
♦ 8 5 3		
♣ J 10 6 4 3		
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	
♠ A K 4		
♥ A K		
♦ Q 10 9 2		
♣ A K Q 9		

Shape 3442 2722 3244 5035 HCP 2 9 25 4 Losers 11 6 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	3 ♥	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

3BAF9DA3D6F504D6165A80B1FCC4

Board 314

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 9 7	
	♥ 9 5 2	
	♦ J 10 9 8 7 2	
	♣ A Q	
♠ J 10 8 3 2		♠ 6
♥ 10 4 3		♥ K J 8 7 6
♦ 6		♦ Q 5 4
♣ 9 5 3 2		♣ J 8 7 6
	♠ A K Q 5 4	
	♥ A Q	
	♦ A K 3	
	♣ K 10 4	

Shape 2362 1534 5233 5314 HCP 7 7 25 1 Losers 9 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♦ ⁴

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !D queen

6 ♦ by North

Made 7 — NS +1390

38ACA2B3E74973BF77EF5B34685A

Board 315

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 6		♠ 4
♥ Q 9 8 7 4		♥ 10
♦ J 7 4		♦ 10 5 3 2
♣ A 4 3		♣ Q J 9 8 7 6 5

	♠ 10 9 7 5 3 2
	♥ 5 2
	♦ A 8 6
	♣ K 2

♠ A K Q 8
♥ A K J 6 3
♦ K Q 9
♣ 10



Shape 1147 6232 4531 2533 HCP 3 7 22 8 Losers 7 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 5 ♣ by South
 Down 1 — NS -50

3A6569B12CE27C031B6CAC197C7E

Board 316

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10		♠ J 8 7 4
♥ Q 9 3 2		♥ 8
♦ Q 10 8		♦ J 9 6 5 3 2
♣ J 9 6 5 3		♣ 8 7

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		♠ A K 9 6 3 2
		♥ 7 4
		♦ K 7 4
		♣ 10 2

♠ Q 5
♥ A K J 10 6 5
♦ A
♣ A K Q 4

Shape 4162 6232 2614 1435 HCP 2 10 23 5 Losers 9 7 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	2 ♠	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 ♥

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 ♥ by South
 Made 4 — NS +170

3B6FAC63AE8A0AC3D8F6C31CE1C6

Board 317

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 9 4		
	♥ 10 9 8 5 2		
	♦ 6 2		
	♣ A Q 8 5		
♠ 8 7 6 5 3 2		♠ A Q	
♥ 6		♥ 7 4	
♦ 10 9 7		♦ Q 8 5 3	
♣ K 7 4		♣ J 10 9 6 2	
	♠ K J 10		
	♥ A K Q J 3		
	♦ A K J 4		
	♣ 3		

Shape 2524 2245 3541 6133 HCP 6 9 22 3 Losers 8 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

38A96194855C33CA47D7056AC6D2

Board 318

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 6 3 2		♠ 9 5
♥ 9		♥ J 8 7 5 3
♦ Q J 7 6 5 3		♦ A 8 4
♣ Q 10		♣ 9 7 6
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ K 10 7 4
		♥ Q 10 6 2
		♦ 10
		♣ 8 4 3 2
		♠ A Q J
		♥ A K 4
		♦ K 9 2
		♣ A K J 5

Shape 2533 4414 3334 4162 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 10 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

3AA791A5F03352CA760E2C140B76

Board 319

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8		♠ 10 6 5 4 3
♥ J 10 7 2		♥ 8 6 3
♦ K J 10 9		♦ 6 5
♣ J 5 4		♣ A 10 3
	<div>♠ 9 7 2</div> <div>♥ K 9 4</div> <div>♦ 8 3</div> <div>♣ 9 8 7 6 2</div>	
	<div>♠ A K Q</div> <div>♥ A Q 5</div> <div>♦ A Q 7 4 2</div> <div>♣ K Q</div>	

Shape 5323 3325 3352 2443 HCP 4 3 26 7 Losers 10 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

39AB26E918B6E0F85E133335D062

Board 320

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 8 3		♠ K J 6 5 4									
♥ 10 8 5 4		♥ —									
♦ 7		♦ 9 6 5 3 2									
♣ J 9 8 3		♣ A 6 5									
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		♦ K 10 4									
		♣ K 10 7 2									
		♠ A 10									
		♥ A K Q 9 2									
		♦ A Q J 8									
		♣ Q 4									

Shape 5053 2434 2542 4414 HCP 8 7 22 3 Losers 7 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
3 N by North
Made 4 — NS +430

48A5AC522DCDBCE60B497BF71C2C

Board 321

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ J 7 3 2		
	♥ 10 7 6		
	♦ 7 6 5		
	♣ 7 5 4		
♠ 10 8 4		♠ Q 6 5	
♥ 9 5 4		♥ Q 3	
♦ A 8 4		♦ K J 10 9 3 2	
♣ K 9 3 2		♣ Q 8	
	♠ A K 9		
	♥ A K J 8 2		
	♦ Q		
	♣ A J 10 6		

Shape 4333 3262 3514 3334 HCP 1 10 22 7 Losers 12 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

4AA561E74B2CC24089DB4823F89B

Board 322

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 6 3		♠ 10 4
♥ 3		♥ J 9 8 7 5
♦ K 9 8 4		♦ 10
♣ 10 8 5 3		♣ Q J 6 4 2
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		♠ K J 8 5
		♥ 6 2
		♦ J 7 6 5 3 2
		♣ 9
		♠ A 7 2
		♥ A K Q 10 4
		♦ A Q
		♣ A K 7

Shape 2515 4261 3523 4144 HCP 4 5 26 5 Losers 8 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1460

49AAA66129C4F4737701C05BDC3A

Board 323

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ J 6 2	
	♥ 10 6 5	
	♦ Q 8 6 5	
	♣ 8 7 4	
♠ 10 9 5 3		♠ Q 8 7 4
♥ 9 8 7 2		♥ 4 3
♦ 3		♦ K 10 9 7
♣ 10 9 5 3		♣ A K 2
	♠ A K	
	♥ A K Q J	
	♦ A J 4 2	
	♣ Q J 6	

Shape 3343 4243 2443 4414 HCP 3 12 25 0 Losers 11 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by South
 Made 4 — NS +430

4BADAC7A0E7AC047C89B19161D31

Board 324

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 7		♠ J 5 4 3 2									
♥ Q 10 2		♥ J 9 8 7									
♦ Q 10 7 6 5		♦ 8 4									
♣ K 9 7		♣ 8 6									
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		♥ 6 5 4 3									
		♦ 9 2									
		♣ Q J 10 4									
		♠ A K 6									
		♥ A K									
		♦ A K J 3									
		♣ A 5 3 2									

Shape 5422 3424 3244 2353 HCP 2 5 26 7 Losers 10 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

4AA5F9C76A536A3762F351CF273C

Board 325

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 6 4		♠ 8 3 2
♥ K 8 6 2		♥ Q 4
♦ 10 7 6 5		♦ 4 2
♣ 2		♣ Q 10 8 6 4 3

N
W E
S

	♠ A	♠ J 10 9 7 5
	♥ A J 9 7 3	♥ 10 5
	♦ A Q 8 3	♦ K J 9
	♣ A K 5	♣ J 9 7

Shape 3226 5233 1543 4441 HCP 4 6 22 8 Losers 9 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
4 ♥ by South
Down 1 — NS -100

49A1E1E69D9A2E7F26DC51C3C032

Board 326

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

W

N

S

E



♠ A J 10	♠ 8 5
♥ A K Q 9 7	♥ J 10 6 5
♦ 10	♦ Q 7
♣ A K J 5	♣ Q 10 9 7 2

Shape 3262 2425 3514 5242 HCP 7 5 22 6 Losers 8 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 3 N by North
 Made 4 — NS +430

4BAC0D2D5C08D558B65702DB2860

Board 327

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 4		♠ K Q 10 5 3									
♥ 7		♥ K 10 5									
♦ 10 8 4 3		♦ 9 7 6									
♣ A J 10 8 3 2		♣ 6 4									
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		♦ 5 2									
		♣ 7 5									
		♠ A 7									
		♥ A Q 3 2									
		♦ A K Q J									
		♣ K Q 9									

Shape 5332 4522 2443 2146 HCP 8 2 25 5 Losers 8 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. strong
6 N by South
Made 6 — NS +1440

48A9A071D8DC6B3D8C2B5BDFFDD7

Board 328

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 4 3 2		♠ 8 6
♥ Q 8 3		♥ 7
♦ 2		♦ A J 9 6 5
♣ K J 10 7		♣ 9 6 5 4 2

	♠ Q 9 5
	♥ J 10 5 4 2
	♦ 10 8 7 4 3
	♣ —

	♠ A K 7
	♥ A K 9 6
	♦ K Q
	♣ A Q 8 3



Shape 2155 3550 3424 5314 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 8 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +430

49A8892DDC450F8675E240B21E3E

Board 329

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ Q 9 3 2	
	♥ K 10 9 8 5	
	♦ 6 5 4	
	♣ 9	
♠ J 6		♠ 10 7 5
♥ 7 4 2		♥ J 3
♦ Q J 9 3 2		♦ 10 8 7
♣ A J 5		♣ 8 6 4 3 2
	♠ A K 8 4	
	♥ A Q 6	
	♦ A K	
	♣ K Q 10 7	

Shape 4531 3235 4324 2353 HCP 5 1 25 9 Losers 8 11 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

4BE9A5A0E6F679CB209DC2564700

Board 330

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 7 2		
	♥ 8 5 3 2		
	♦ K J 10 4 3		
	♣ 8 3		
♠ A J 10 8 5		♠ 9 4 3	
♥ 10 9		♥ 6 4	
♦ A 9 8		♦ Q 7 5 2	
♣ Q 7 2		♣ J 10 5 4	
	♠ K Q 6		
	♥ A K Q J 7		
	♦ 6		
	♣ A K 9 6		

Shape 2452 3244 3514 5233 HCP 4 3 22 11 Losers 9 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

48E0A3822C0E66CC37F7DA966319

Board 331

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 6 5		♠ J 10 7 2
♥ 7 6		♥ Q 10 8
♦ 9 7 6 4		♦ 5 2
♣ A J 8		♣ K 7 6 3
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ 9 3
		♥ 5 4 2
		♦ J 10 8
		♣ Q 10 9 5 4
		♠ K Q 4
		♥ A K J 9 3
		♦ A K Q 3
		♣ 2

Shape 4324 2335 3541 4243 HCP 6 3 22 9 Losers 9 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

4A65B8AD19E0CD6F5820183F9AC3

Board 332

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 9 2		♠ J 6 5 4									
♥ K 4		♥ 9 2									
♦ 10 6 2		♦ Q 9 8 4									
♣ K 10 7 6 5		♣ 8 4 2									
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		♥ J 7 5 3									
		♦ K J 7 5 3									
		♣ 3									
		♠ K Q 3									
		♥ A Q 10 8 6									
		♦ A									
		♣ A Q J 9									

Shape 4243 3451 3514 3235 HCP 3 9 22 6 Losers 10 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

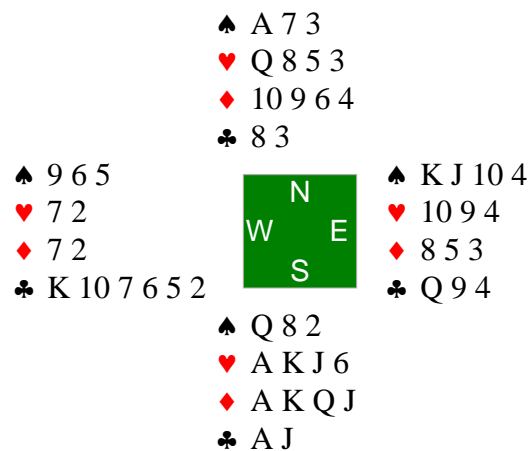
Made 3 — NS +600

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Board 333

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 3442 4333 3442 3226 HCP 6 6 25 3 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
 Made 5 — NS +660

48A9A12696CFC0DB349A231A76DC

Board 334

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ Q 7 5 4	
	♥ 10 9	
	♦ A 8 6 4	
	♣ 10 8 5	
♠ 10 9 8 2		♠ 3
♥ 7 3		♥ J 8 6 4 2
♦ Q J 7 3		♦ 10 2
♣ 9 7 2		♣ Q J 6 4 3
	♠ A K J 6	
	♥ A K Q 5	
	♦ K 9 5	
	♣ A K	

Shape 4243 1525 4432 4243 HCP 6 4 27 3 Losers 9 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

4AA52401288FD2443C2BD8775251

Board 335

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ K Q J 7 6	
	♥ Q 10 8	
	♦ 10 7	
	♣ 10 6 4	
♠ 9 5		♠ 8 4 3 2
♥ 7 4		♥ 9 5 3 2
♦ Q 9 3 2		♦ J 6 5
♣ K J 8 7 5		♣ 9 3
	♠ A 10	
	♥ A K J 6	
	♦ A K 8 4	
	♣ A Q 2	

Shape 5323 4432 2443 2245 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 8 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. strong
6 N by South
Made 6 — NS +1440

494DA9ADD74C962221F06C300F56

Board 336

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 6		♠ 8 7 4 3									
♥ 6 4		♥ A 10 3									
♦ A Q 10 5 3		♦ 8 7 6 4									
♣ 10 6 5 4		♣ J 3									
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		♥ J 9 2									
		♦ J 9 2									
		♣ 9 8 2									
		♠ K Q 9									
		♥ K Q 8 7 5									
		♦ K									
		♣ A K Q 7									

Shape 4342 4333 3514 2254 HCP 5 6 22 7 Losers 10 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

58A595ACCE4D672864DFC9CA1AB8

Board 337

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 8 3	
	♥ J 10 5 4	
	♦ 8 5 4 3 2	
	♣ 9 6	
♠ J 6 5 4		♠ 10 9 7
♥ 2		♥ K 6 3
♦ A K 9 7		♦ Q J 10 6
♣ Q 8 7 2		♣ J 4 3
	♠ A K Q 2	
	♥ A Q 9 8 7	
	♦ —	
	♣ A K 10 5	

Shape 2452 3343 4504 4144 HCP 1 7 22 10 Losers 10 10 2 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

5AA5986EE13EC82C9EC8A9DB0F70

Board 338

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 8 3			
♥ 9 6 3			
♦ Q 10 8 7 3			
♣ 4 3			
♠ J 9 6 4			♠ Q 2
♥ 10 2			♥ K 7 4
♦ J 2			♦ K 9 6 5 4
♣ K 9 8 6 2			♣ Q 10 7
♠ A K 7 5			
♥ A Q J 8 5			
♦ A			
♣ A J 5			

Shape 3352 2353 4513 4225 HCP 2 10 23 5 Losers 10 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

59A58BE8BE135F3ED4AEE31FE506

Board 339

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7 5 3		♠ 10 8 4 2									
♥ J 8		♥ K 2									
♦ J 9 8 6 4		♦ 10 5									
♣ Q 7		♣ K 10 9 5 4									
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		♥ 10 9 7 4									
		♦ A 7 3 2									
		♣ J 8 6 2									
		♠ A K J 6									
		♥ A Q 6 5 3									
		♦ K Q									
		♣ A 3									

Shape 4225 1444 4522 4252 HCP 6 5 23 6 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

5BAC2EBE846B76E3B3C310277ADC

Board 340

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6 2		♠ K 5 4
♥ Q 9 7 3		♥ J 6
♦ 10 3		♦ J 9 4
♣ A J 5 2		♣ 10 8 7 6 4
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W S E</div> </div>	♠ 10 9 3
		♥ 5 2
		♦ 8 7 6 5
		♣ K Q 9 3
	♠ A Q J 7	
	♥ A K 10 8 4	
	♦ A K Q 2	
	♣ —	

Shape 3235 3244 4540 3424 HCP 5 5 23 7 Losers 10 9 2 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by North
 Made 3 — NS +600

Board 341
South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ 9 6 5
♥ Q J 9
♦ J 10 5 4 2
♣ 10 5

♠ 10 7
♥ A 8 7 6 4 3
♦ K 6
♣ 9 7 2



♠ 8 4 3
♥ 2
♦ Q 9 8 3
♣ J 8 6 4 3

♠ A K Q J 2
♥ K 10 5
♦ A 7
♣ A K Q

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♠ by South
Made 5 — NS +650

59B9AAE556F71C9AC1EE83C700F2

Board 342

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 9 3		
	♥ 7 5 4 3		
	♦ 7 5 3 2		
	♣ 10 5 4		
♠ Q 10 7 6 4 2			♠ J
♥ A 10 2			♥ J 9 8
♦ 9 6			♦ Q J 10 4
♣ 9 3			♣ K J 8 6 2
	♠ A K 8 5		
	♥ K Q 6		
	♦ A K 8		
	♣ A Q 7		

Shape 2443 1345 4333 6322 HCP 0 9 25 6 Losers 11 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

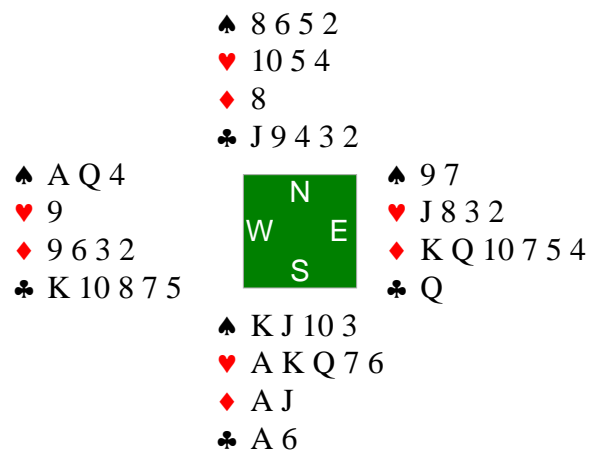
1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 343

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4315 2461 4522 3145 HCP 1 8 22 9 Losers 10 7 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. strong

4 ♥× by South

Made 5 — NS +990

58E1A6E02ACB123FAE4978D33CD6

Board 344

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 10 4 2	<div style="display: inline-block; width: 40px; height: 40px; background-color: green; color: white; text-align: center; line-height: 40px;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 6 5
♥ 8 5 3		♥ 9 4 2
♦ K 2		♦ 8 7 3
♣ Q 5 3		♣ K J 9 7 2

♠ K 7
♥ A K Q J 7
♦ A Q 9 4
♣ A 6

Shape 4243 2335 2542 5323 HCP 2 4 23 11 Losers 11 10 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	2 NT

1. strong
 2. waiting
 2 N by South
 Made 3 — NS +150

5919ABAADE24F26B02F01EBF53EE

Board 345

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 6 2		♠ A 10 7 5
♥ 9 6 4		♥ 7
♦ J 5 4 2		♦ 9 7 6 3
♣ 10 6		♣ K 8 4 3

	<div style="display: inline-block; text-align: center;"> <div style="background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; margin: 0 auto; width: 60px; height: 60px; line-height: 60px;"> N W S E </div> </div>	

♠ 8 3
♥ A J 5 3
♦ 10
♣ Q J 9 7 5 2

♠ K Q 4
♥ K Q 10 8 2
♦ A K Q 8
♣ A

Shape 4144 2416 3541 4342 HCP 7 8 23 2 Losers 8 7 2 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +460

5BBCACA464966A5436E050374FC5

Board 346

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 2		♠ 7 4
♥ A 7 4		♥ 3 2
♦ 9		♦ Q J 10 8 7 4 2
♣ A K Q J 8 6 5		♣ 4 3

		♠ J 9 8 5 3
		♥ 10 8 5
		♦ 6 5
		♣ 10 9 7

		♠ A K Q 10
		♥ K Q J 9 6
		♦ A K 3
		♣ 2

Shape 2272 5323 4531 2317 HCP 3 1 22 14 Losers 8 11 3 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♦ by North

Made 5 — NS +600

58A1E56C471DEEEA49FBA806CC1C

Board 347

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 8 6 3		♠ 10 4 2
♥ 6		♥ J 7 4 3
♦ K J 4		♦ 8 7 6 5
♣ Q 5 3 2		♣ J 6

	♠ Q J 7
	♥ 10 2
	♦ Q 10 9 3 2
	♣ 9 8 4

♠ A 5
♥ A K Q 9 8 5
♦ A
♣ A K 10 7



Shape 3442 3253 2614 5134 HCP 2 5 24 9 Losers 11 9 2 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +980

5AA5B2755C6268FFDF6ECD7F3DEE

Board 348

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 3	
	♥ 5	
	♦ J 8 7 6 5 4 3 2	
	♣ 8 7 4	
♠ 8 7 5 2		♠ Q J 10 9 6 4
♥ K Q 8 4 3		♥ J 7
♦ K 10		♦ 9
♣ J 9		♣ K 10 6 2

	♠ A K	
	♥ A 10 9 6 2	
	♦ A Q	
	♣ A Q 5 3	

Shape 1183 6214 2524 4522 HCP 1 7 23 9 Losers 8 7 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♠ ³	Pass	4 ♣ ⁴
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Minor Suit Transfers after 2 NT
 4. automat
- 5 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +620

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Board 349

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ A 6	
	♥ J 6 5	
	♦ J 4 3 2	
	♣ J 7 6 2	
♠ 10 9 5 2	<div>W<div>N S</div>E</div>	♠ 8 7 4 3
♥ A 10 3		♥ 8 7 2
♦ K 8 6 5		♦ 10 9 7
♣ 4 3		♣ 10 9 5
	♠ K Q J	
	♥ K Q 9 4	
	♦ A Q	
	♣ A K Q 8	

Shape 2344 4333 3424 4342 HCP 7 0 26 7 Losers 10 12 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 NT	Pass	5 NT
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
6 N by North
Made 6 — NS +1440

58A1A3C4272CB69A2708DC5E17EE

Board 350

South Deals

None Vul

		♠ J 10 7 6 3	
		♥ Q 6	
		♦ 8 6	
		♣ K J 7 3	
♠ Q 5 2			♠ 4
♥ 9			♥ 8 5 4 3
♦ Q J 9 7 3			♦ 10 5 4 2
♣ Q 10 6 5			♣ 9 8 4 2
		♠ A K 9 8	
		♥ A K J 10 7 2	
		♦ A K	
		♣ A	

Shape 5224 1444 4621 3154 HCP 7 0 26 7 Losers 9 10 2 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♠ ⁶	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6. no !S queen

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

5AA5967D34CF6AC3051230505C29

Board 351

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 7 6 5 2	
	♥ 10 8 7	
	♦ Q 10 3	
	♣ 10 8	
♠ 10 8		♠ Q 9 4 3
♥ Q J 5		♥ K 6 4 3
♦ 8 6 5 4		♦ 9 2
♣ J 5 4 3		♣ K 9 6
	♠ A K	
	♥ A 9 2	
	♦ A K J 7	
	♣ A Q 7 2	

Shape 5332 4423 2344 2344 HCP 3 8 25 4 Losers 10 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

592DED89A630726C7373F65B3563

Board 352

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ A 10 3	
	♥ Q	
	♦ 10 9 7 6 2	
	♣ 7 6 4 2	
♠ K 5		♠ 9 8 7 6 4 2
♥ 10 9 7 6 5 3		♥ 4
♦ A K 8		♦ J 5 3
♣ 10 8		♣ J 9 5
	♠ Q J	
	♥ A K J 8 2	
	♦ Q 4	
	♣ A K Q 3	

Shape 3154 6133 2524 2632 HCP 6 2 22 10 Losers 9 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

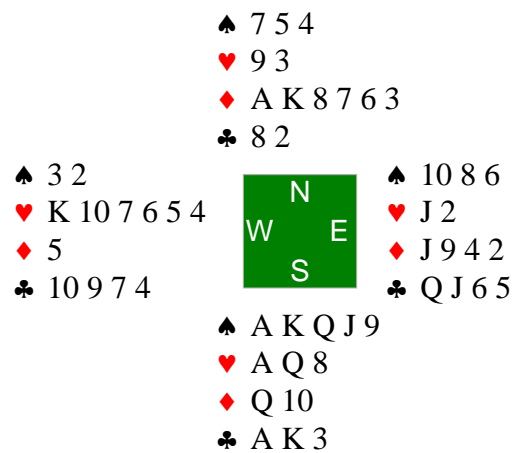
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 353

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 3262 3244 5323 2614 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 8 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1020

6A89A569901B0E6307D378FD3051

Board 354

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 9 7 3	
	♥ A 9 7	
	♦ 9 4	
	♣ 10 8 7 6	
♠ 6 4		♠ Q 8 5 2
♥ 5 4 3		♥ J 10 6 2
♦ J 8 6 3 2		♦ A Q 10 5
♣ J 5 3		♣ 9
	♠ A K J	
	♥ K Q 8	
	♦ K 7	
	♣ A K Q 4 2	

Shape 4324 4441 3325 2353 HCP 4 9 25 2 Losers 10 7 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

6989EAE99577CC0433722B7A47F4

Board 355

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 8 7 5	
	♥ A 9 8 3	
	♦ 7 6	
	♣ 10 7 5 3	
♠ K Q 9 2	<div>W<div>NSE</div>E</div>	♠ 10 6 4 3
♥ 10 7 6 4 2		♥ J
♦ 9		♦ J 10 8 3 2
♣ 9 8 2		♣ K 6 4
	♠ A J	
	♥ K Q 5	
	♦ A K Q 5 4	
	♣ A Q J	

Shape 3424 4153 2353 4513 HCP 4 5 26 5 Losers 10 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +460

6BAD69B7CCFFD55751F3A07A430B

Board 356

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 9 6		♠ 2									
♥ Q 10 6 4		♥ J 3 2									
♦ K 4 2		♦ Q 9 8									
♣ J 5		♣ Q 10 8 6 3 2									
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	N										
W		E									
	S										
		♠ K 8 7 4 3									
		♥ 9 8 7									
		♦ 7 6 5 3									
		♣ 4									
		♠ A Q 5									
		♥ A K 5									
		♦ A J 10									
		♣ A K 9 7									

Shape 1336 5341 3334 4432 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 8 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♣	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

6AE1A6A6BCB35E6C6EDEFE0E3006

Board 357

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 6 5		♠ 4 3 2
♥ J 10 5 3		♥ 4 2
♦ A 10 3		♦ J 9 8 7 6 5 4
♣ J 8 3		♣ 10

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	♠ K Q J 10	♠ 9 8 7
	♥ A K Q 8 7	♥ 9 6
	♦ K Q 2	♦ —
	♣ A	♣ K Q 9 7 6 5 4 2

Shape 3271 3208 4531 3433 HCP 1 5 24 10 Losers 9 6 2 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	5 ♣	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	Dbl

1. strong
 2. waiting
 5 ♣× by East
 Down 2 — NS +300

69E9F92950F7211E12268EDC27F7

Board 358

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K 10 4 2		♠ Q 9 8 7 6 3
♥ K 10 2		♥ 5
♦ 8 5 4		♦ J 9 7
♣ J 4		♣ 10 3 2

	♠ J
	♥ J 8 7 4
	♦ 10 6 3 2
	♣ 8 7 6 5

	♠ 5
	♥ A Q 9 6 3
	♦ A K Q
	♣ A K Q 9



Shape 6133 1444 1534 5332 HCP 3 2 24 11 Losers 9 10 2 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 4 — NS +420

6BAE2E8E58D4674A8F30E758A7FA

Board 359

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K 6	
	♥ Q 8 7	
	♦ 10 9 5 3	
	♣ 9 7 5 3	
♠ 10 5 2		♠ J 9 8 4
♥ 6 2		♥ J 10 4
♦ J 8 4 2		♦ 6
♣ J 10 6 4		♣ A K Q 8 2
	♠ A Q 7 3	
	♥ A K 9 5 3	
	♦ A K Q 7	
	♣ —	

Shape 2344 4315 4540 3244 HCP 5 11 22 2 Losers 9 7 2 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
Pass	5 ♦ ⁵	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Exclusion, for !H

5. 0 out of 4

5 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +710

68ADA20A85EA6A46D04A38ECFAB7

Board 360

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 7 4 3		♠ Q 5
♥ 5 3 2		♥ Q J 8 6
♦ J 8 2		♦ Q 10 9 6 5 3
♣ 7 5 4		♣ 2
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ 9 8 6
		♥ 7
		♦ A 4
		♣ K Q 10 9 8 6 3
		♠ A K J 2
		♥ A K 10 9 4
		♦ K 7
		♣ A J

Shape 2461 3127 4522 4333 HCP 7 9 23 1 Losers 7 6 4 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	3 ♣	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

69A8A527FF3B1E9E285A40207F36

Board 361

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J		♠ Q 10 9 7 4 2
♥ J 10 3 2		♥ 5
♦ J 9 8 3		♦ 5 4
♣ A 7 5 4		♣ Q J 10 3

	♠ 6 5 3
	♥ 9 8 6
	♦ K Q 2
	♣ 9 8 6 2

♠ A K 8
♥ A K Q 7 4
♦ A 10 7 6
♣ K



Shape 6124 3334 3541 1444 HCP 5 5 23 7 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +480

6BACA54DD2167F700EF4E6B5D433

Board 362

South Deals

Both Vul

		♠ 10 7 2	
		♥ Q 7	
		♦ K 10 6 5 4 3	
		♣ 9 2	
♠ J 6 5 3			♠ Q 9 8
♥ 9 8 6 4 2			♥ J 10 3
♦ —			♦ J 8 2
♣ A 8 6 3			♣ J 10 7 5
		♠ A K 4	
		♥ A K 5	
		♦ A Q 9 7	
		♣ K Q 4	

Shape 3262 3334 3343 4504 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 9 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 NT ⁴

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=3 out of 4

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

68A191FF2639F3CFD6DA4A728006

Board 363

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 2			
♥ 8 5 3 2			
♦ 10 6 5			
♣ Q 9 8			
♠ Q 9 8 7 6			♠ 5 4
♥ Q 10 9 4			♥ K 7 6
♦ J 7 2			♦ Q 8
♣ 3			♣ J 7 6 5 4 2
♠ A K 3			
♥ A J			
♦ A K 9 4 3			
♣ A K 10			

Shape 3433 2326 3253 5431 HCP 3 6 26 5 Losers 11 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

6AA625F52F20E053B278160B7A4F

Board 364

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9		♠ K J 10 5 4
♥ Q 7 6 3		♥ 4 2
♦ 10 9 8 7		♦ J 2
♣ 10 9 6		♣ J 8 4 2
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W<div>S</div>E</div> </div>	♠ 8 6 3 2
		♥ 8 5
		♦ 6 4 3
		♣ A 7 5 3
		♠ A 7
		♥ A K J 10 9
		♦ A K Q 5
		♣ K Q

Shape 5224 4234 2542 2443 HCP 6 4 26 4 Losers 9 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

6BBDA92C0BD94D1A1A363326DE70

Board 365

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ Q J 8 7 6 5 4	
	♥ J 9	
	♦ 6 4	
	♣ J 5	
♠ 10 3		♠ 9 2
♥ A 6 5 2		♥ 10 8 7 3
♦ K J 10 8 7		♦ 5 2
♣ Q 2		♣ 8 7 6 4 3
	♠ A K	
	♥ K Q 4	
	♦ A Q 9 3	
	♣ A K 10 9	

Shape 7222 2425 2344 2452 HCP 5 0 25 10 Losers 8 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠× by North

Made 6 — NS +1660

6861ADB217C317C629DB1ED4B673

Board 366

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8 6 4		♠ J 9 7 5									
♥ Q 3 2		♥ 10 8									
♦ J 9 8 4 3		♦ 7 6									
♣ 4		♣ J 10 9 6 2									
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		♥ J 9 6 5 4									
		♦ K 5									
		♣ Q 8 5 3									
		♠ K Q 3									
		♥ A K 7									
		♦ A Q 10 2									
		♣ A K 7									

Shape 4225 2524 3343 4351 HCP 2 10 25 3 Losers 10 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

6AB56101B7224F69FA28DE2BD07F

Board 367

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ Q 10 6 4	
	♥ Q 9	
	♦ 9 5 2	
	♣ J 9 4 2	
♠ 7 5 3		♠ K 9 8 2
♥ A J 7 2		♥ 5 3
♦ K Q 10 3		♦ 8 7 6 4
♣ 6 3		♣ 10 7 5
	♠ A J	
	♥ K 10 8 6 4	
	♦ A J	
	♣ A K Q 8	

Shape 4234 4243 2524 3442 HCP 5 3 22 10 Losers 10 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

69A52FAD6F8A567FAFD0D8040410

Board 368

South Deals

E-W Vul

		♠ K 4 3 2	
		♥ 10 4 3	
		♦ 6 2	
		♣ K J 8 7	
♠ 6 5			♠ J 9 8
♥ 8			♥ 9 6 5 2
♦ K Q J 8 7			♦ A 9 4 3
♣ 6 5 4 3 2			♣ 10 9
		♠ A Q 10 7	
		♥ A K Q J 7	
		♦ 10 5	
		♣ A Q	

Shape 4324 3442 4522 2155 HCP 7 5 22 6 Losers 9 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

78BDE12279304ADC284C6AC710EF

Board 369

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 4 2		♠ Q 10 7 3
♥ A J 10		♥ 9 6 4
♦ 4		♦ J 9 7 5
♣ 10 8 7 6 3		♣ 4 2

	♠ J 9 6 5
	♥ 8 3
	♦ A 8 6 2
	♣ Q 9 5

	♠ A
	♥ K Q 7 5 2
	♦ K Q 10 3
	♣ A K J



Shape 4342 4243 1543 4315 HCP 3 7 22 8 Losers 10 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♥ by South
 Made 5 — NS +450

7AA129AAEFBC7328DB5C1C846802

Board 370

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 7		♠ K 8 5 2
♥ 10 9		♥ 4 2
♦ A 9 2		♦ J 10 6 5
♣ 10 8 6 5 4 3		♣ J 9 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 6 3		♠ A Q 10 4
♥ 7 6 5		♥ A K Q J 8 3
♦ K Q 8 7 3		♦ 4
♣ Q 2		♣ A K

Shape 4243 3352 4612 2236 HCP 5 7 23 5 Losers 10 9 2 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 6 ♠ by South
 Made 6 — NS +1430

79A889BB1314CCC5157EB62A373E

Board 371

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8		♠ J 10 7 4 3 2
♥ Q 6 5 3 2		♥ K 9 8
♦ 9 6 2		♦ J
♣ A 10 9		♣ Q J 3

	♠ 6
	♥ J 10 7
	♦ 10 8 7 5 3
	♣ 6 5 4 2

♠ A K Q 5
♥ A 4
♦ A K Q 4
♣ K 8 7



Shape 6313 1354 4243 2533 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 8 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ ³
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

7BA0AC29B3D43A104A7F4E082F66

Board 372

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10		♠ Q 9 8 4 3									
♥ J 9 6		♥ 7 5 4									
♦ Q 9 7 4		♦ 10 2									
♣ A K 10 8 4		♣ J 6 3									
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		♥ 10 8									
		♦ A J 8									
		♣ 9 7 5 2									
		♠ A K J									
		♥ A K Q 3 2									
		♦ K 6 5 3									
		♣ Q									

Shape 5323 4234 3541 1345 HCP 3 5 22 10 Losers 10 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
4 ♥ by South
Made 4 — NS +620

7AA5E4DF9B2F7B02F9DEEEE03D59

Board 373

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 7 6 5 4		♠ 10 8 3
♥ 9 7 3		♥ 8
♦ 8 4		♦ Q 10 6 5 3
♣ K 4		♣ Q J 10 9
	<div>W N E S</div>	♠ 9 2
		♥ Q J 6 2
		♦ J 9 7 2
		♣ 8 6 5
		♠ A J
		♥ A K 10 5 4
		♦ A K
		♣ A 7 3 2

Shape 3154 2443 2524 6322 HCP 5 4 23 8 Losers 8 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +600

7925A9D7280246B79E3C7433A4EF

Board 374

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 2		♠ A J 10 6 4
♥ 8 6 5 4		♥ 10 9
♦ 7 6 2		♦ 10 4
♣ J 6 5 3		♣ Q 8 4 2
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		♣ 10 9 7
		♠ K 8 7 3
		♥ A K J 3 2
		♦ K J
		♣ A K

Shape 5224 2263 4522 2434 HCP 7 8 22 3 Losers 8 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass			Pass

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

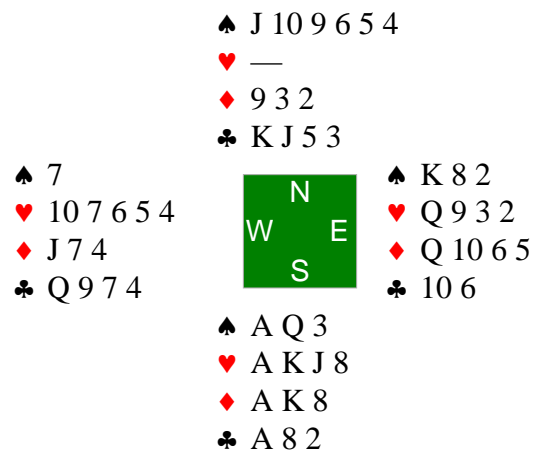
Made 6 — NS +980

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Board 375

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 6034 3442 3433 1534 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 8 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♠ by North

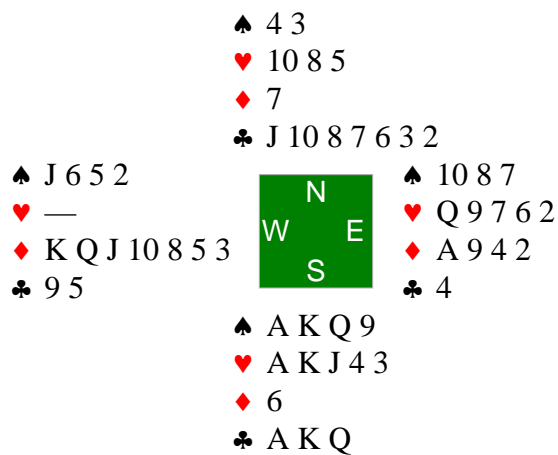
Made 6 — NS +680

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Board 376

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 2317 3541 4513 4072 HCP 1 6 26 7 Losers 9 8 2 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♦	Pass	5 ♦	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	Dbl

1. strong

5 ♦ × by West

Down 2 — NS +300

796AABB5A31B4FE07874F3EF46D7

Board 377

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10	
	♥ 9 3	
	♦ J 8 5	
	♣ K J 10 9 5 4 2	
♠ 8 5 4 2		♠ A 9 7 6 3
♥ Q 7 6 5		♥ 10 2
♦ 9 4		♦ Q 6 3 2
♣ 8 7 6		♣ A 3
	♠ K Q J	
	♥ A K J 8 4	
	♦ A K 10 7	
	♣ Q	

Shape 1237 5242 3541 4423 HCP 5 10 23 2 Losers 8 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +430

7B6DECBFD527C3512C22D3087ADB

Board 378

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 9 5 2		♠ 10 7 6 4
♥ Q 3		♥ 9 4
♦ 4 3 2		♦ J 10
♣ K 7 4		♣ Q 10 9 5 2
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		♥ J 8 5 2
		♦ 9 8 6 5
		♣ 6 3
		♠ Q
		♥ A K 10 7 6
		♦ A K Q 7
		♣ A J 8

Shape 4225 3442 1543 5233 HCP 3 5 23 9 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	5 ♣	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 5 ♣ by South
 Made 5 — NS +600

78A0E1B8667B120DD720CF2ED77F

Board 379

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 7 5 3		♠ 9 8 6 4									
♥ Q 10 2		♥ 8 5									
♦ J 7 3		♦ Q 10									
♣ A Q 6		♣ 10 7 5 3 2									
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		♦ 8 5 4 2									
		♣ J 9 4									
		♠ A Q									
		♥ A K J 6 4									
		♦ A K 9 6									
		♣ K 8									

Shape 4225 3343 2542 4333 HCP 2 2 24 12 Losers 10 12 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
2 N by South
Made 3 — NS +150

7A65A9D93DA43B1BDF2C52E373FE

Board 380

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 7 4 2		♠ J 9 8 6
♥ J 9 3 2		♥ —
♦ 5 4 3		♦ J 7 6 2
♣ 10 6		♣ 9 8 7 4 3

	♠ A 5 3
	♥ Q 8 7 5
	♦ K Q 9 8
	♣ 5 2

	♠ K 10
	♥ A K 10 6 4
	♦ A 10
	♣ A K Q J



Shape 4045 3442 2524 4432 HCP 2 11 24 3 Losers 9 7 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	2 NT

1. strong
 2. waiting
 2 N by South
 Made 3 — NS +150

7BACEEA307E676CE982273F957BB

Board 381

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 10 8 4		♠ J 6
♥ 9 5 4 2		♥ J 8
♦ 7 4 2		♦ J 10 9 3
♣ A 7		♣ Q J 5 3 2

	♠ 9 5 3
	♥ 7 3
	♦ Q 6 5
	♣ K 10 9 8 6

	♠ A Q 7 2
	♥ A K Q 10 6
	♦ A K 8
	♣ 4



Shape 2245 3235 4531 4432 HCP 6 5 22 7 Losers 9 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♥ by South
 Made 5 — NS +650

78AD836D4F7C22C31463EC48C7F6

Board 382

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 5 3 2		♠ 9 7									
♥ 10 2		♥ K J 8 4 3									
♦ 7 3 2		♦ 4									
♣ 10 7 5 4		♣ K J 8 6 3									
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		♦ A Q J 10 5									
		♣ 9 2									
		♠ A K									
		♥ A Q 9 6 5									
		♦ K 9 8 6									
		♣ A Q									

Shape 2515 5152 2542 4234 HCP 8 10 22 0 Losers 7 6 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♦ ³
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♣ ⁵
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

7AA3A6E69E7A037060BCE9164F0C

Board 383

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 9 4 2	
	♥ 9 3 2	
	♦ J 6 3 2	
	♣ A 9 3	
♠ Q 5		♠ 10 8 7 3
♥ 10 8 6		♥ J 4
♦ A 9 8 7		♦ 10 5
♣ 8 7 6 2		♣ K Q J 10 4
	♠ A K J 6	
	♥ A K Q 7 5	
	♦ K Q 4	
	♣ 5	

Shape 3343 4225 4531 2344 HCP 5 7 22 6 Losers 11 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Dbl	4 ♦ ⁵
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

79A528685F03E4CCB01E962A821C

Board 384

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ K 10 6 4 2	
	♥ 10 8 3	
	♦ 10 7 3	
	♣ J 10	
♠ 9 8		♠ Q J
♥ 7		♥ J 6 5 2
♦ J 8 6 2		♦ A 9 5
♣ K Q 9 8 7 2		♣ 6 5 4 3
	♠ A 7 5 3	
	♥ A K Q 9 4	
	♦ K Q 4	
	♣ A	

Shape 5332 2434 4531 2146 HCP 4 8 22 6 Losers 10 10 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

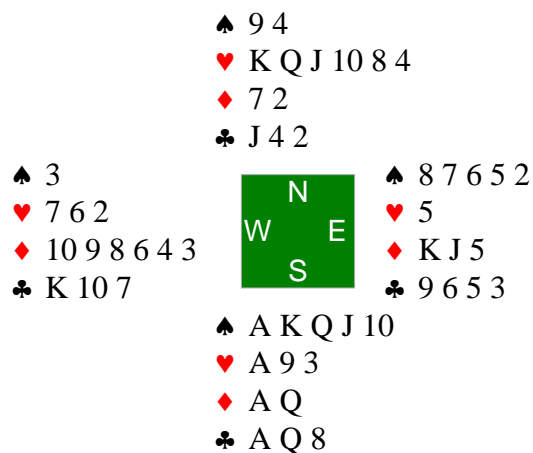
1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Cue bid, surplus
 4 ♥ by South
 Made 5 — NS +450

88A18C818F84264578765E07E67B

Board 385

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 2623 5134 5323 1363 HCP 7 4 26 3 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	7 ♥

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. !H queen no !C king no !D king
- 7 ♥ by North
Made 7 — NS +1510

8AA5E9DCCF0AEB73E7A93B791273

Board 386

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q J 9 7		♠ 10 5 3									
♥ 8 5 4 2		♥ J 10									
♦ 8 3 2		♦ Q J									
♣ Q		♣ J 9 8 7 5 2									
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		♥ Q 3									
		♦ K 10 9 6 5 4									
		♣ 10 3									
		♠ A 6									
		♥ A K 9 7 6									
		♦ A 7									
		♣ A K 6 4									

Shape 3226 3262 2524 5431 HCP 5 5 22 8 Losers 10 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

89A1A8BB37C070409E4EB9526C42

Board 387

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ J	
	♥ 10 8 6 2	
	♦ A 10 9 8 4 2	
	♣ Q J	
♠ 10		♠ 9 8 6 4 3 2
♥ Q J 9 5		♥ 7 4
♦ 7 6 3		♦ J
♣ K 10 9 8 3		♣ 7 6 4 2

A green square diagram with 'N' at the top, 'S' at the bottom, 'W' on the left, and 'E' on the right.

♠ A K Q 7 5
♥ A K 3
♦ K Q 5
♣ A 5

Shape 1462 6214 5332 1435 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 8 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♠ ⁴
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. !D queen and !S king
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 7 — NS +940

8BAD603F60179359C6B86BB87723

Board 388

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7		♠ Q 10 2									
♥ Q 6 4 3		♥ 7									
♦ 8 6 5 4		♦ 10 7 3									
♣ K J 6 4		♣ Q 10 9 5 3 2									
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		♥ 10 9 8									
		♦ K J 9 2									
		♣ 7									
		♠ A 9 6 4									
		♥ A K J 5 2									
		♦ A Q									
		♣ A 8									

Shape 3136 5341 4522 1444 HCP 4 8 22 6 Losers 8 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by North
Made 3 — NS +600

8AA56B60EEC390AB06C792D23C5F

Board 389

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 6 4		♠ 7 3
♥ 3		♥ 10 7 6
♦ Q 10 9 5 4		♦ J 3 2
♣ Q 9 3		♣ K 10 8 6 2

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

Shape 2335 3424 4531 4153 HCP 4 9 22 5 Losers 10 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 ♦ ⁵
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

89B92912B2C02B1758663E3C64EF

Board 390

South Deals

E-W Vul

		♠ K Q 9 8 5 4	
		♥ 10	
		♦ Q J 10	
		♣ 9 8 2	
♠ 10 2			♠ 7 6 3
♥ A J 5 4			♥ Q 8 7
♦ 5 4 2			♦ 8 6 3
♣ 10 7 4 3			♣ Q J 6 5
		♠ A J	
		♥ K 9 6 3 2	
		♦ A K 9 7	
		♣ A K	

Shape 6133 3334 2542 2434 HCP 8 5 22 5 Losers 7 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

8BAD2C8AA720B9E0FA7B46325207

Board 391

South Deals

Both Vul

		♠ K 10 4 2	
		♥ Q 5 2	
		♦ J 5 2	
		♣ J 6 2	
♠ 8 7			♠ 6 5 3
♥ 9 7 6 4			♥ 3
♦ Q 9 7 6			♦ 10 8 4 3
♣ K 10 8			♣ Q 7 5 4 3
		♠ A Q J 9	
		♥ A K J 10 8	
		♦ A K	
		♣ A 9	

Shape 4333 3145 4522 2443 HCP 7 2 26 5 Losers 10 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

88A2A276E6F73B741D6ECA482323

Board 392

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 5		♠ 9 7 3 2
♥ Q 10 9 8		♥ 5 4
♦ Q J 10 8		♦ 9 5 4
♣ 8 4		♣ 10 9 3 2
	<div>W N E S</div>	♠ Q 8 6 4
		♥ 7
		♦ 7 6
		♣ A K Q J 6 5
		♠ A K
		♥ A K J 6 3 2
		♦ A K 3 2
		♣ 7

Shape 4234 4126 2641 3442 HCP 0 12 22 6 Losers 11 5 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

899998AB671262EE7F3B1D1FF4CF

Board 393

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 3 2		♠ 10 6 5 4
♥ 7 6 3		♥ 2
♦ 8 7 5 4 2		♦ 10 9
♣ K 3		♣ Q J 7 6 4 2

	♠ J 9 7
	♥ A K 10 5 4
	♦ J 3
	♣ 10 9 8

♠ A K Q
♥ Q J 9 8
♦ A K Q 6
♣ A 5



Shape 4126 3523 3442 3352 HCP 3 9 25 3 Losers 8 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	6 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. waiting
 6 ♣ by South
 Down 1 — NS -50

8BADEA6391C4951B781AE76BD749

Board 394

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 10 5 3		♠ 8 6
♥ 7		♥ 10 2
♦ K 8 7 6 4 2		♦ 10 9 5 3
♣ 10 7		♣ Q 8 5 4 3

	♠ Q 7 4 2
	♥ J 9 8 6 3
	♦ Q J
	♣ K 6

	♠ A J 9
	♥ A K Q 5 4
	♦ A
	♣ A J 9 2



Shape 2245 4522 3514 4162 HCP 2 9 23 6 Losers 9 8 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♣

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

88A5B9E17DE70BF2DD4F4ADFF01A

Board 395

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 2		♠ J 6 5
♥ 9 6 5		♥ 7 4 2
♦ K 9 5 2		♦ J 7 6 4
♣ 10 9 6 4		♣ 8 5 2
♠ Q 10 8 7 4 3	W N E	
♥ K J 8 3		
♦ A 10		
♣ 3		
♠ A K		
♥ A Q 10		
♦ Q 8 3		
♣ A K Q J 7		

Shape 2344 3343 2335 6421 HCP 3 2 25 10 Losers 10 12 3 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

Board 396
South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ 8 4
♥ 10 8 6 3
♦ 9 6 4 2
♣ Q 8 3

♠ Q 10 2
♥ J 7 4
♦ J 7 3
♣ K J 6 4



♠ A J 9 7 6 3
♥ 5 2
♦ 10 8
♣ 10 5 2

♠ K 5
 ♥ A K Q 9
 ♦ A K Q 5
 ♣ A 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

8B6D89AE815239D3C8C1C8540764

Board 397

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7 6 5		♠ 9 3									
♥ 9		♥ K J 7 6 5 3									
♦ K 9 7 5		♦ 4 3 2									
♣ 7 5 4 2		♣ 8 3									
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		♥ 10 8 4									
		♦ J 10 8 6									
		♣ Q 10									
		♠ K Q J									
		♥ A Q 2									
		♦ A Q									
		♣ A K J 9 6									

Shape 2632 4342 3325 4144 HCP 4 7 26 3 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

88A1A6676B88501839C324F8565E

Board 398

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 8 7 5	
	♥ 10 6	
	♦ J 10 8 7 4	
	♣ Q J 6	
♠ 6 4		♠ Q J 9 3 2
♥ 7 4		♥ 9 8 3 2
♦ K Q 5 3		♦ 2
♣ 10 9 8 5 4		♣ K 3 2

	♠ A K 10	
	♥ A K Q J 5	
	♦ A 9 6	
	♣ A 7	

Shape 3 2 5 3 5 4 1 3 3 5 3 2 2 2 4 5 HCP 4 6 2 5 5 Losers 10 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

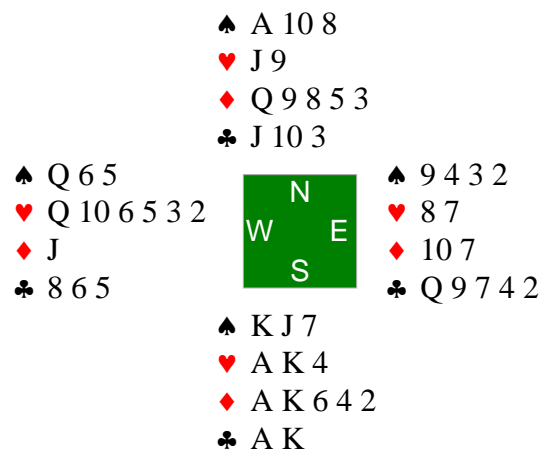
1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by South
 Made 4 — NS +430

8A25A5FE833B4E1C9AF4FC667F76

Board 399

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 3253 4225 3352 3613 HCP 8 2 25 5 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♠ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	5 NT ⁵
Pass	6 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. King ask by 5 NT
6. K=0

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

89A8A536225BC8DE3B72DD20E350

Board 400

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 5 3		♠ Q J 7 4
♥ Q 7 6		♥ 9
♦ 8 5		♦ J 6 4 3 2
♣ A 9 4 2		♣ 10 7 3

♠ 10 6 2		♠ A K
♥ 10 8 5 2		♥ A K J 4 3
♦ K Q		♦ A 10 9 7
♣ Q J 8 6		♣ K 5

	♠	♥	♦	♣
	10	10	K	Q
	6	8	Q	J
	2	5	8	6

Shape 4153 3424 2542 4324 HCP 4 8 22 6 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Stayman
 3 N by South
 Made 3 — NS +400

986162A7C2DCC434286E18978F9B

Board 401

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 8 7 5	
	♥ J 9 3	
	♦ 7 5 2	
	♣ Q 4 3 2	
♠ J 10 9		♠ A K 6
♥ 8		♥ 10 5 4 2
♦ Q 9 8 4		♦ 10 6 3
♣ 10 9 8 7 5		♣ K J 6
	♠ Q 4 3 2	
	♥ A K Q 7 6	
	♦ A K J	
	♣ A	

Shape 3334 3433 4531 3145 HCP 3 11 23 3 Losers 11 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Cue bid, surplus
- 4 ♥ by South
- Made 5 — NS +450

9AA4A1E8898F1639DB7A8FFF5073

Board 402

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 9 8		
	♥ J 10 5		
	♦ 10 5 4		
	♣ 10 7 5 4 2		
♠ Q 7 4		♠ 6 3 2	
♥ 8 6 4 2		♥ 9 7 3	
♦ K 3 2		♦ Q J 8 7 6	
♣ A Q 3		♣ 9 6	
	♠ A K J 10 5		
	♥ A K Q		
	♦ A 9		
	♣ K J 8		

Shape 2335 3352 5323 3433 HCP 1 3 25 11 Losers 11 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +600

Board 403

E-W Vul

♥ 10 9 7

♦ J 10 3

♣ 10 8 4 3

♠ Q J 10 8 6 3

♥ K 2

♦ A 6

♣ 7 5 2



♠ K 7 2

♥ Q 5 3

♦ 9 8 7 5 2

♣ J 6

♠ A

♥ A J 8 6 4

♦ K Q 4

♣ A K Q 9

Shape 3334 3352 1534 6223 HCP 1 6 23 10 Losers 12 9 3 7

West

North

East

South

EPBot4

EPBot1

EPBot2

EPBot3

 $2\clubsuit^1$

Pass

 $2 \spadesuit 2$

Pass

2 ♥

2 ♠

3 ♥

Pass

4 ♥

Pass

Pass

Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

9BAD2AEDC55F121045C888DEFB13

Board 404

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K 9 8 2		
	♥ J 7 6 5		
	♦ J 7		
	♣ 10 3 2		
♠ Q J 6 4 3		♠ 10 7	
♥ 3		♥ 10 9 8 4 2	
♦ K 6 5 3		♦ 9 8 2	
♣ 8 6 5		♣ K 9 4	
	♠ A 5		
	♥ A K Q		
	♦ A Q 10 4		
	♣ A Q J 7		

Shape 4423 2533 2344 5143 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 10 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +660

9AA589A07EB5C61360407A580C0F

Board 405

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9		♠ 8 3 2
♥ J 10 5		♥ K 9 6 3 2
♦ Q 8 7 6		♦ J 3 2
♣ Q 7 6 4 3		♣ 8 2
	<div>♠ J 7 6 5 4</div> <div>♥ 8 4</div> <div>♦ K 5 4</div> <div>♣ J 9 5</div>	
	<div>♠ A K Q 10</div> <div>♥ A Q 7</div> <div>♦ A 10 9</div> <div>♣ A K 10</div>	

Shape 3532 5233 4333 1345 HCP 4 5 26 5 Losers 10 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 6 — NS +690

99A8A96FFA4E072F6634837FDF9E

Board 406

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 3		♠ 9 8 6									
♥ J 6 4		♥ 10 9 5									
♦ Q 10 8 4 3 2		♦ 5									
♣ A 6		♣ Q 9 8 5 4 3									
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		♥ 3 2									
		♦ 9 7 6									
		♣ J 10 7 2									
		♠ A K 5 2									
		♥ A K Q 8 7									
		♦ A K J									
		♣ K									

Shape 3316 4234 4531 2362 HCP 2 3 27 8 Losers 9 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

9BA9A7EE3306F0732BF6639471A0

Board 407

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 6		♠ J 10 7
♥ J 9 8 6 3		♥ 10
♦ A 7		♦ K 10 6 4
♣ 9 4 2		♣ K J 8 7 5
	<div>W N E S</div>	♠ 8 5 3
		♥ 4
		♦ J 9 8 5 3 2
		♣ Q 10 6
		♠ A K 4 2
		♥ A K Q 7 5 2
		♦ Q
		♣ A 3

Shape 3 1 4 5 3 1 6 3 4 6 1 2 3 5 2 3 HCP 8 3 22 7 Losers 8 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong
4 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +680

9811E0E12516C8CC67194E737F26

Board 408

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 9 8		♠ A J 10 6 2
♥ 4 3		♥ 9 8 5
♦ J 10 7 2		♦ 9 6
♣ K 9 8		♣ 7 4 3
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W<div>S</div>E</div> </div>	♠ 7 5 4 3
		♥ A 10 6
		♦ 8 5 3
		♣ 10 5 2
		♠ —
		♥ K Q J 7 2
		♦ A K Q 4
		♣ A Q J 6

Shape 5323 4333 0544 4243 HCP 5 4 22 9 Losers 10 11 2 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

99E9B9E2E8026E4246556FC0FB3F

Board 409

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q J 4 3		♠ 10 2									
♥ K 3 2		♥ 10 8 7 4									
♦ 9 5 2		♦ Q 10 8 4									
♣ J 4		♣ 5 3 2									
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	S										
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		♥ 6									
		♦ 7 6									
		♣ Q 10 9 8 7									
		♠ K									
		♥ A Q J 9 5									
		♦ A K J 3									
		♣ A K 6									

Shape 2443 5125 1543 5332 HCP 2 2 25 11 Losers 10 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

9BA9A12BF8C73AD2A35765D7B24C

Board 410

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ Q 9	
	♥ 10 2	
	♦ 10 6 5 4	
	♣ Q 10 7 6 4	
♠ J 10 8 4		♠ 6 5 2
♥ J 9 3		♥ 8 6 4
♦ A Q J 9		♦ K 8 7 3
♣ J 2		♣ 9 8 3
	♠ A K 7 3	
	♥ A K Q 7 5	
	♦ 2	
	♣ A K 5	

Shape 2245 3343 4513 4342 HCP 4 3 23 10 Losers 9 11 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !C

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

98A2A5C23F4AF60AE2E77C53D729

Board 411

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 8 2		
♥ Q 10 8		
♦ 10 8 2		
♣ J 6 4 3		
♠ Q 9 7 6 3		♠ 10 5 4
♥ J 9 5		♥ 4 3
♦ K 9 6 3		♦ J 5
♣ 5		♣ A Q 10 9 8 7
♠ A K		
♥ A K 7 6 2		
♦ A Q 7 4		
♣ K 2		

Shape 3334 3226 2542 5341 HCP 4 7 23 6 Losers 11 8 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +400

9AA9A5737D0E1888FAFF2609FB74

Board 412

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 9 5 4	
	♥ 10 8 4	
	♦ J 10 6	
	♣ Q 6 3	
♠ 7 6 3		♠ Q J 2
♥ Q J 7 6 3 2		♥ 9
♦ Q		♦ A 9 8 7 4 3
♣ 9 8 2		♣ 10 7 5
	♠ A K 8	
	♥ A K 5	
	♦ K 5 2	
	♣ A K J 4	

Shape 4333 3163 3334 3613 HCP 3 7 25 5 Losers 11 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

9BAD6CA432830C682011D8481636

Board 413

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 7 6 3 2
♥ 10 9 4
♦ Q 3 2
♣ 10

♠ 5
♥ J 2
♦ 8 5 4
♣ K Q 9 8 7 5 4

♠ K 8 4
♥ 6 5 3
♦ J 10 7 6
♣ J 3 2

♠ A Q 10
♥ A K Q 8 7
♦ A K 9
♣ A 6

W N E S

Shape 6331 3343 3532 1237 HCP 3 5 26 6 Losers 9 11 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

9861A935DE07E8076AD35442EAF2

Board 414

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 6 3 2		♠ Q 10 8
♥ Q 2		♥ 10 8 4
♦ Q 10 8 5		♦ K 9 7 3
♣ 9 5		♣ 10 8 6
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W E</div> <div>S</div> </div>	
		♠ A 7 5 4
		♥ J 6 5
		♦ J
		♣ J 7 4 3 2
		♠ K
		♥ A K 9 7 3
		♦ A 6 4 2
		♣ A K Q

Shape 3343 4315 1543 5242 HCP 5 7 23 5 Losers 10 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

Board 415
South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 4
♥ J 7 5 3
♦ A 6
♣ J 10 9 8

♠ J 10 7 2
♥ Q 6 4
♦ 9 8
♣ 6 5 3 2



♠ 6 5
♥ 10 8 2
♦ J 10 5 4 3 2
♣ Q 4

♠ A K 8 3
♥ A K 9
♦ K Q 7
♣ A K 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	5 NT	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
6 N by South
Made 6 — NS +1440

9961A96C310C09D6EC5E53D8436F

Board 416

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 4		♠ J 10 9									
♥ J		♥ 10 9 3									
♦ Q 10 7 6 2		♦ A J 5 3									
♣ Q 10 7 4		♣ 5 3 2									
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	N										
W		E									
	S										
		♠ A Q 6 5 3 2									
		♥ 8 6 5 4									
		♦ 8									
		♣ 8 6									
		♠ K									
		♥ A K Q 7 2									
		♦ K 9 4									
		♣ A K J 9									

Shape 3343 6412 1534 3154 HCP 6 6 23 5 Losers 11 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	2 ♠	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

A82161E266A737C61715177FC51E

Board 417

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8 3		♠ A 9 7 6 5 2
♥ 9 4		♥ 8 3
♦ J 10 9 8 7 6 5 3		♦ —
♣ —		♣ 10 9 7 5 4

	♠ K J 4
	♥ 7 6 5 2
	♦ 4 2
	♣ Q J 8 2

	♠ 10
	♥ A K Q J 10
	♦ A K Q
	♣ A K 6 3



Shape 6205 3424 1534 3280 HCP 4 7 26 3 Losers 7 9 2 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♦	3 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♠

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♠ by North
Down 1 — NS -50

AAA5ED18E85F9CE74E4DD8204231

Board 418

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ Q 4 2	
	♥ 7 6 3	
	♦ K 10 9 7 6	
	♣ 10 8	
♠ K J 8 5		♠ 10 7 6 3
♥ 2		♥ Q 10 9 5
♦ 4 3 2		♦ Q J 5
♣ Q J 9 5 4		♣ 7 3
	♠ A 9	
	♥ A K J 8 4	
	♦ A 8	
	♣ A K 6 2	

Shape 3352 4432 2524 4135 HCP 5 5 23 7 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

A9A9D99B46F137BE0E2434CD6F47

Board 419

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 9 7 6 5	
	♥ J 7 4 2	
	♦ 10	
	♣ Q 9 3 2	
♠ K 10 4		♠ J 3 2
♥ 10 9 8 5		♥ K Q
♦ 8 7 4 3		♦ J 9 6 5 2
♣ 6 5		♣ J 8 7
	♠ A Q 8	
	♥ A 6 3	
	♦ A K Q	
	♣ A K 10 4	

Shape 4414 3253 3334 3442 HCP 3 8 26 3 Losers 9 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

ABAD2DB43A5D1014F34D1B2036D0

Board 420

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K J 9 8 5 4 3	
	♥ 6	
	♦ Q 8 3	
	♣ 7 5	
♠ 7 2		♠ 10 6
♥ Q J 7 3		♥ 10 9 8 5 2
♦ J 5		♦ 9 7 4 2
♣ Q 9 8 4 2		♣ J 3
	♠ A Q	
	♥ A K 4	
	♦ A K 10 6	
	♣ A K 10 6	

Shape 7132 2542 2344 2425 HCP 6 1 27 6 Losers 7 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +2210

AA65A48F023DC8667838FBEEE75B

Board 421

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5 4 3		♠ J 10 6
♥ 10 7 6 5		♥ Q J 9
♦ J		♦ Q 10 4
♣ K 9 7 6		♣ Q 5 3 2

	♠ A 8 7 2
	♥ 2
	♦ 9 7 6 5 2
	♣ J 8 4

	♠ K Q
	♥ A K 8 4 3
	♦ A K 8 3
	♣ A 10



Shape 3334 4153 2542 4414 HCP 8 5 23 4 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3 N by South
 Made 5 — NS +660

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Board 422

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3		♠ 10 9 4
♥ K Q 9 4 2		♥ J 8 3
♦ 9 5		♦ Q J 10 7 3
♣ 10 9 8 6 5		♣ Q 7
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W S E</div> </div>	
		♠ Q J 8 5 2
		♥ 7 6 5
		♦ 8 6 4
		♣ 4 2
		♠ A K 7 6
		♥ A 10
		♦ A K 2
		♣ A K J 3

Shape 3352 5332 4234 1525 HCP 6 3 26 5 Losers 10 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	3 NT
Dbl	Pass	Pass	7 NT
			Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

7 N× by South

Down 1 — NS -100

Board 423
South Deals
Both Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 5 3 2
♥ 6 4 3
♦ —
♣ J 10 6

♠ 7
♥ K J 2
♦ K 10 8 6 5
♣ Q 9 5 2

Shape 2263 1354 3523 7303 HCP 3 9 26 2 Losers 9 7 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

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Board 424

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7		♠ K Q 9 8 6 4
♥ Q 9 7 4 3		♥ 10
♦ 10 8 7		♦ 9 6 2
♣ Q J 5 2		♣ 10 7 6
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		♥ J 8 6 5
		♦ J 5 4
		♣ K 8 4
	♠ A J 10	
	♥ A K 2	
	♦ A K Q 3	
	♣ A 9 3	

Shape 6133 3433 3343 1534 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 8 11 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♠ by North

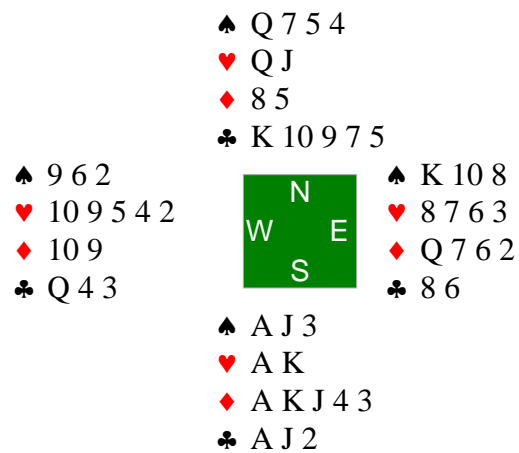
Made 7 — NS +1010

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Board 425

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4225 3442 3253 3523 HCP 8 5 25 2 Losers 8 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 ♣	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	7 NT

1. strong
 7 N by South
 Down 1 — NS -50

AB6D71B56D08303A682B43E36A17

Board 426

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 10 9 8 6 2	
	♥ 10 5	
	♦ Q 2	
	♣ 6 5 4 2	
♠ 4		♠ A K J 7 5 3
♥ K Q 9 8	<div>W<div>N</div>E<div>S</div></div>	♥ 2
♦ 10 8 7 6 3		♦ K 9 5 4
♣ 10 9 7		♣ 8 3
	♠ Q	
	♥ A J 7 6 4 3	
	♦ A J	
	♣ A K Q J	

Shape 5224 6142 1624 1453 HCP 2 11 22 5 Losers 10 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	2 ♠	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +170

A8A1A24CCFC4353FA556424F243A

Board 427

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 9 8 3 2	
	♥ Q J 10 5 4	
	♦ 2	
	♣ J 8 4	
♠ J 10		♠ Q 6 5 4
♥ 9 8 2		♥ 6
♦ 10 9 7 6 3		♦ Q J 8 4
♣ Q 10 3		♣ K 6 5 2
	♠ A K 7	
	♥ A K 7 3	
	♦ A K 5	
	♣ A 9 7	

Shape 4513 4144 3433 2353 HCP 4 8 25 3 Losers 9 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

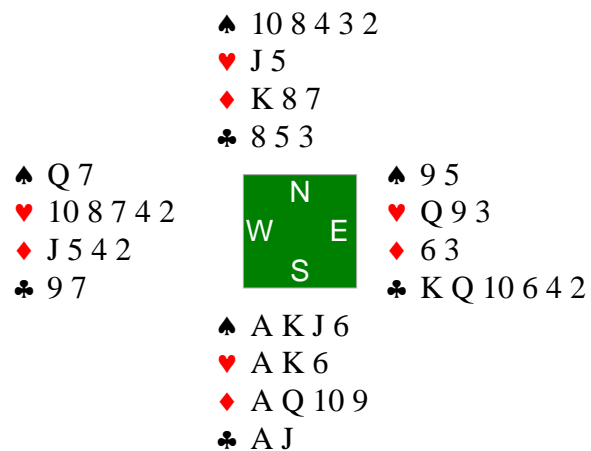
1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 428

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 5233 2326 4342 2542 HCP 4 7 26 3 Losers 10 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

ABA58E61E6C054E786F80C12A0F3

Board 429

South Deals

Both Vul

		♠ 5 4		
		♥ K 10 7 5		
		♦ A J 9 8 7		
		♣ 8 2		
♠ J 10 8 6 2			♠ Q 9	
♥ 6 2			♥ 9 4	
♦ 6			♦ Q 10 4 3 2	
♣ 10 9 6 5 3			♣ K J 7 4	
		♠ A K 7 3		
		♥ A Q J 8 3		
		♦ K 5		
		♣ A Q		

Shape 2452 2254 4522 5215 HCP 8 8 23 1 Losers 8 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ ⁴
Pass	5 NT ⁵	Pass	6 ♥ ⁶
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !H queen and !S king

5. King ask by 5 NT

6. K=2

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

A8A3E111E88C0B4748F572DE56BA

Board 430

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ Q 9	
	♥ 10 9 8 7	
	♦ J 9 7 2	
	♣ A 9 8	
♠ K J 6 4		♠ 8 7 5 3
♥ 6 5 2		♥ Q 4 3
♦ 8 6 3		♦ 10 4
♣ J 10 7		♣ 5 4 3 2
	♠ A 10 2	
	♥ A K J	
	♦ A K Q 5	
	♣ K Q 6	

Shape 2443 4324 3343 4333 HCP 7 2 26 5 Losers 10 10 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

AAA5A88BBB0A465F423338F091E7

Board 431

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4 2		♠ 10 6 5
♥ J 6 5 4		♥ Q 10 9 7
♦ 7 6 4 3		♦ 8
♣ K 5 4		♣ Q J 8 6 2
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		♠ 9 8 7
		♥ 8 3
		♦ K Q J 10 5
		♣ 10 9 7
		♠ A K Q J 3
		♥ A K 2
		♦ A 9 2
		♣ A 3

Shape 3415 3253 5332 2443 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 8 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Dbl	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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Board 432

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ K J 5 4	
	♥ 8 5	
	♦ Q 10 7 6	
	♣ 5 3 2	
♠ Q 8 7 6		♠ 9 3 2
♥ 9 4 3		♥ A 10 6
♦ 5 4		♦ J 3 2
♣ J 8 7 4		♣ K 10 9 6
	♠ A 10	
	♥ K Q J 7 2	
	♦ A K 9 8	
	♣ A Q	

Shape 4243 3334 2542 4324 HCP 6 8 23 3 Losers 9 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 433

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 3		♠ 9 8 5 4 2									
♥ 9 8 3		♥ J 10 4 2									
♦ 10 9 8 3 2		♦ J 5									
♣ A 5 4		♣ 8 6									
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		♦ 7 6									
		♣ K Q 10 9 7 3									
		♠ K 6									
		♥ A K Q 7 5									
		♦ A K Q 4									
		♣ J 2									

Shape 5422 4126 2542 2353 HCP 2 11 22 5 Losers 10 5 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

BAA669AF0EDAB077BF01F3FB6C6A

Board 434

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 6	
	♥ J 6	
	♦ Q J 7 3	
	♣ Q 8 7 5 4	
♠ 10 5 4		♠ K 8 3 2
♥ 9 8 7 5 4		♥ 10
♦ 9 6 5		♦ K 10 4 2
♣ 9 3		♣ A J 10 2
	♠ A Q 9 7	
	♥ A K Q 3 2	
	♦ A 8	
	♣ K 6	

Shape 2245 4144 4522 3532 HCP 7 11 22 0 Losers 8 7 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

B9A8298178F027D47B177A41CE36

Board 435

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ K 9 6 2	
	♥ Q 4 3	
	♦ Q 10 4	
	♣ 9 7 6	
♠ 10 8 3		♠ J 7 5 4
♥ J 10 7 5 2	W N E	♥ 8 6
♦ 3	S	♦ 9 8 6 2
♣ A J 10 8		♣ 5 3 2
	♠ A Q	
	♥ A K 9	
	♦ A K J 7 5	
	♣ K Q 4	

Shape 4333 4243 2353 3514 HCP 7 1 26 6 Losers 9 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

BBA56D6E0ADA4EF747A01558CBE8

Board 436

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 8 3 2		♠ J 5
♥ 8		♥ J 9 7 3
♦ J 10 4 3 2		♦ A 8 7 5
♣ 6 4 2		♣ 8 7 3

	♠ K Q 9 7 4
	♥ 10 5 4
	♦ 6
	♣ Q J 10 9

	♠ A 6
	♥ A K Q 6 2
	♦ K Q 9
	♣ A K 5



Shape 2443 5314 2533 4153 HCP 6 8 25 1 Losers 10 7 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Cue bid, surplus
 4. Cue bid, surplus
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
 - 7 ♥ by South
- Down 1 — NS -100

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Board 437

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ —	
	♥ Q J 6 5 4 3	
	♦ 10 5 4 2	
	♣ J 8 2	
♠ Q J 10 6 4		♠ 9 8 7 5 2
♥ A 9		♥ 10 8 2
♦ Q J 7		♦ 8 6 3
♣ 9 7 6		♣ 5 3
	♠ A K 3	
	♥ K 7	
	♦ A K 9	
	♣ A K Q 10 4	

Shape 0643 5332 3235 5233 HCP 4 0 26 10 Losers 8 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

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Board 438

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q		♠ K J 9 5									
♥ 9 6 3 2		♥ —									
♦ J 3 2		♦ Q 10 8 7 6									
♣ Q 9 5 3 2		♣ 10 8 7 6									
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		♥ Q 10 8 7 5 4									
		♦ 9 5									
		♣ 4									
		♠ A 10 8 6									
		♥ A K J									
		♦ A K 4									
		♣ A K J									

Shape 4054 4621 4333 1435 HCP 6 2 27 5 Losers 7 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Quantitative 4 NT
6 N by South
Made 6 — NS +990

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Board 439

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 7 4 3		♠ J 8 5									
♥ 9		♥ 10 6 5 2									
♦ J 8 3		♦ 10 7 6 4									
♣ A 8 7 4 3		♣ 10 9									
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	S										
		♠ 9 6 2									
		♥ J 7 3									
		♦ A K 5 2									
		♣ J 6 5									
		♠ A K Q									
		♥ A K Q 8 4									
		♦ Q 9									
		♣ K Q 2									

Shape 3442 3343 3523 4135 HCP 1 9 25 5 Losers 11 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

B8A261A6F9B7125AEB07D77F2AFC

Board 440

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 9 6 3		
	♥ 6		
	♦ J 8 7 3		
	♣ 10 7 6 5 4		
♠ J 7 5 2		♠ K 8 4	
♥ J 10 4 2		♥ 9 8 5	
♦ Q 10 6 5		♦ 4 2	
♣ 2		♣ A Q 9 8 3	
	♠ A Q 10		
	♥ A K Q 7 3		
	♦ A K 9		
	♣ K J		

Shape 3145 3325 3532 4441 HCP 1 9 26 4 Losers 10 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +400

B9A8A182A76B52C4E6C33FDCE6CE

Board 441

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 5	
	♥ Q 8 6 2	
	♦ K Q 9 6	
	♣ J 10 6 5	
♠ 8 7 6 4 3 2		♠ 10 9
♥ 5		♥ 9 4
♦ 5 4 2		♦ J 8 7 3
♣ A 8 4		♣ Q 9 7 3 2

♠ A K Q J
♥ A K J 10 7 3
♦ A 10
♣ K

Shape 1444 2245 4621 6133 HCP 8 3 25 4 Losers 7 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ ³	Pass	3 NT ⁴
Pass	4 ♦ ⁵	Pass	4 NT ⁶
Pass	5 ♣ ⁷	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Cue bid, surplus
6. Blackwood 0314, for !H
7. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

BBAEAEC626F0AA20500447CAA875

Board 442

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 8 6	
	♥ Q 6 5 4	
	♦ Q J 6 5 2	
	♣ 5	
♠ Q 10 4		♠ 7 5 2
♥ 10 2		♥ 7
♦ 9 4 3		♦ 10 8 7
♣ 10 8 7 6 3		♣ A K Q J 9 4
	♠ A K 9 3	
	♥ A K J 9 8 3	
	♦ A K	
	♣ 2	

Shape 3451 3136 4621 3235 HCP 6 10 22 2 Losers 8 7 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Dbl	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

B891A56294BB4B36E5CBBF165AC6

Board 443

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 8 4		
	♥ 9 6 2		
	♦ 10 9 6 3		
	♣ 10 9 6 5		
♠ 7 6 2		♠ Q 9 3	
♥ 10 8 5		♥ A J 4 3	
♦ K J 8 7 4 2		♦ 5	
♣ J		♣ Q 8 4 3 2	
	♠ A K J 10 5		
	♥ K Q 7		
	♦ A Q		
	♣ A K 7		

Shape 2344 3415 5323 3361 HCP 0 9 26 5 Losers 11 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +400

BAA5E1450B30D85F8E32A8675C40

Board 444

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 10 6	
	♥ Q J 7 2	
	♦ 8 7 3	
	♣ J 8 4	
♠ K 9		♠ Q 8 4 3 2
♥ 10 6		♥ 9 8 3
♦ K 10 6 2		♦ J 9 5
♣ 10 9 5 3 2		♣ 7 6
	♠ A 7 5	
	♥ A K 5 4	
	♦ A Q 4	
	♣ A K Q	

Shape 3433 5332 3433 2245 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 11 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

BBADFEA9160A83B65CD67AEB9BC7

Board 445

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 10	
	♥ 10 9 2	
	♦ J 8 6 2	
	♣ 9 4 3 2	
♠ K 6 4 2		♠ 7 5
♥ K 8 5		♥ J 7 6 3
♦ Q 10 5 4 3		♦ 9
♣ 7		♣ K J 10 8 6 5
	♠ A Q 9 8 3	
	♥ A Q 4	
	♦ A K 7	
	♣ A Q	

Shape 2344 2416 5332 4351 HCP 2 5 25 8 Losers 11 8 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +600

B8A5A7E16AFA0C85D2D49C5B0B58

Board 446

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 9 3		
	♥ 9 8 3		
	♦ J 10 4 3 2		
	♣ K 4 3		
♠ Q 10 7 6		♠ J 4 2	
♥ 10		♥ 7 6 5 4 2	
♦ A K 8 6		♦ 9 5	
♣ 9 6 5 2		♣ J 10 7	
	♠ A K 8 5		
	♥ A K Q J		
	♦ Q 7		
	♣ A Q 8		

Shape 2353 3523 4423 4144 HCP 4 2 25 9 Losers 10 11 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

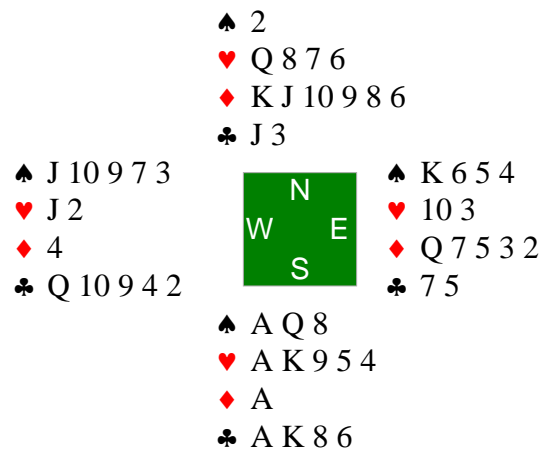
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Board 447

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1462 4252 3514 5215 HCP 7 5 24 4 Losers 7 8 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ ³	Pass	3 NT ⁴
Pass	4 ♦ ⁵	Pass	4 NT ⁶
Pass	5 ♣ ⁷	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	6 ♦ ⁸	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Splinter
 4. Cue bid, surplus
 5. Cue bid, surplus
 6. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 7. A=0/5 or 3/5
 8. !H queen and !D king
- 6 ♥ by South
- Made 7 — NS +1460


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Board 448

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 8	
	♥ J 7 6 3 2	
	♦ K 7 4 2	
	♣ K 9	
♠ J 9 7 3		♠ 6 5 4 2
♥ Q 8		♥ 9 5
♦ 10 5		♦ 9 6 3
♣ J 10 7 6 4		♣ Q 8 3 2



	♠ A K Q	
	♥ A K 10 4	
	♦ A Q J 8	
	♣ A 5	

Shape 2542 4234 3442 4225 HCP 7 2 27 4 Losers 8 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♥ ⁴	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. no !H queen
- 7 ♥ by North
 Made 7 — NS +1510

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Board 449

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9		♠ 7 6 4 2
♥ 8 3		♥ K 9 4
♦ A 7 6 3 2		♦ J 9 8 5
♣ J 8 7 6 2		♣ Q 9
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ A Q 10 8 5 3
		♥ J 7 6
		♦ 10 4
		♣ 10 4
		♠ K J
		♥ A Q 10 5 2
		♦ K Q
		♣ A K 5 3

Shape 4342 6322 2524 1255 HCP 6 7 22 5 Losers 10 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	2 ♠	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
2. waiting
4 ♥ by South
Made 5 — NS +450


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Board 450

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 7 4	
	♥ J 9 8 7 6 2	
	♦ —	
	♣ A 9 8 5 3	
♠ J 9 6		♠ Q 10 8 5 2
♥ 5		♥ 4
♦ J 10 8 7 4 3		♦ A 5 2
♣ 10 6 4		♣ K Q 7 2



	♠ A K 3	
	♥ A K Q 10 3	
	♦ K Q 9 6	
	♣ J	

Shape 2605 5134 3541 3163 HCP 5 11 22 2 Losers 7 6 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 ♦ ⁵
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ♣ ⁷
Pass	7 ♥	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper
6. Exclusion, for !H
7. 3 out of 4

7 ♥× by South

Made 7 — NS +2470

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Board 451

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 5 4 2		
	♥ Q 10 9 3		
	♦ 8		
	♣ A 8 6 5 4		
♠ Q J 8 7		♠ 10 9 6	
♥ 7 2		♥ J 8 6 5	
♦ Q J 6 3 2		♦ 7 5 4	
♣ Q 10		♣ 9 7 2	
	♠ A K 3		
	♥ A K 4		
	♦ A K 10 9		
	♣ K J 3		

Shape 3415 3433 3343 4252 HCP 6 1 25 8 Losers 8 12 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

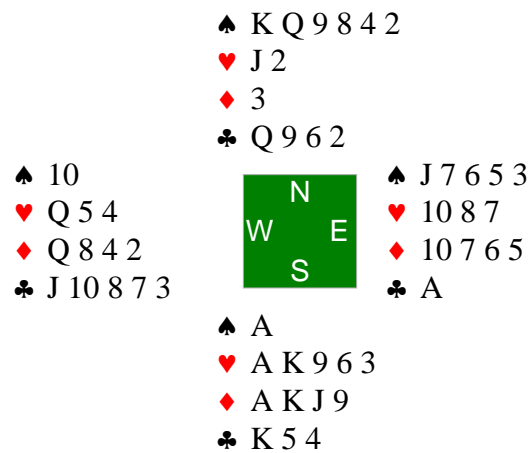
Made 6 — NS +490

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Board 452

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 6214 5341 1543 1345 HCP 8 5 22 5 Losers 6 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. strong
4 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +680

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Board 453

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ K 10 7	
	♥ J	
	♦ Q J 7 4	
	♣ 10 9 7 5 2	
♠ 5 4 3		♠ 9 8 2
♥ 10 6 5 3		♥ 9 8 2
♦ A K 10 9 8		♦ 6 5 3
♣ 6		♣ Q J 8 4
	♠ A Q J 6	
	♥ A K Q 7 4	
	♦ 2	
	♣ A K 3	

Shape 3145 3334 4513 3451 HCP 7 3 23 7 Losers 8 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

C92D2AA9FEC06216E61C7B0DC6CB

Board 454

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K 8 6 4		
♥ 10 4 3 2		
♦ 10 9		
♣ 5 2		
♠ J 10 7 3 2		♠ 9 5
♥ J 5		♥ 8 6
♦ A J 6 4		♦ 8 7 3
♣ 10 6		♣ K J 9 8 7 3
♠ Q		
♥ A K Q 9 7		
♦ K Q 5 2		
♣ A Q 4		

Shape 5422 2236 1543 5242 HCP 7 4 22 7 Losers 8 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. strong
4 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +480

CBACBFAB3054E20971EB5A0746AA

Board 455

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 8 4	
	♥ 8 4 3	
	♦ 10 4 3	
	♣ K Q 6 4	
♠ 9 6		♠ 10 7 5 3
♥ K J 7		♥ 10 5
♦ Q 8 6 5 2		♦ J 9 7
♣ A J 10		♣ 9 5 3 2
	♠ A K Q 2	
	♥ A Q 9 6 2	
	♦ A K	
	♣ 8 7	

Shape 3334 4234 4522 2353 HCP 6 1 22 11 Losers 10 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, surplus

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

C8E1A621971C2658071459C8706A

Board 456

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 4		♠ Q 10 9 7 6									
♥ 3		♥ 7 4									
♦ K J 9 7 6		♦ 8 5 4 2									
♣ 10 8 6 4 3		♣ J 7									
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		♦ 10									
		♣ K 9 2									
		♠ K J									
		♥ A K Q 9 2									
		♦ A Q 3									
		♣ A Q 5									

Shape 5242 4513 2533 2155 HCP 3 4 25 8 Losers 9 9 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +430

C9ADE8AD1C1E723823A776779340

Board 457

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K		♠ J 10 8 7
♥ 9 8 5 4		♥ 2
♦ A Q J 10		♦ 9 7 3 2
♣ K J 8 2		♣ 7 6 4 3
	<div>♠ 9 5 4 2</div> <div>♥ J 10 3</div> <div>♦ 6 5 4</div> <div>♣ 10 9 5</div>	
	<div>♠ A Q 6 3</div> <div>♥ A K Q 7 6</div> <div>♦ K 8</div> <div>♣ A Q</div>	

Shape 4144 4333 4522 1444 HCP 1 1 24 14 Losers 10 12 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by North
Made 3 — NS +400

Board 458

Both Vul

♥ K 10 6 5 2

♦ 76

♣ 10 9 4 2

♠ Q J 9 8 5 2

♥ J 8 3

♦ 10 4

♣ 87



♠ 74

♥ Q 9

♦ Q 9 8 5 3 2

♣ Q J 3

♠ A K 3

♥ A 7 4

♦ A K J

♣ A K 6 5

West

North

East

South

EPBot4

EPBot1

EPBot2

EPBot3

 $2\clubsuit^1$

Pass

 $2 \spadesuit 2$

Pass

3 NT

Pass

Pass

Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

Board 459
South Deals
None Vul

♣ 6



♠ 4 2
♥ 10 7 6 4
♦ Q J 9 7 5
♣ J 3

♣ A Q 10 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	6 ♦ ⁴	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. !S queen and !D king

7 ♠ by North
Made 7 — NS +1510

CA25A56E7F5CF083C22CBDBA5EDB

Board 460

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7 2		♠ A 6
♥ J 9 5 4		♥ 8 7
♦ 9 8 7		♦ Q J 10 6 5 3
♣ 10 9 6		♣ J 8 2

	♠ Q J 10 3
	♥ 10 3 2
	♦ 4 2
	♣ Q 7 4 3

	♠ K 8 5 4
	♥ A K Q 6
	♦ A K
	♣ A K 5



Shape 2263 4324 4423 3433 HCP 8 5 26 1 Losers 8 9 3 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	6 NT	Pass	5 NT
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 6 N by South
 Made 7 — NS +1470

Board 461
South Deals
Both Vul

♠ 10 9 2
♥ 10 6 4
♦ J 9 6
♣ K 10 6 2

♠ Q 8 6 3
♥ A 5
♦ 10 7 3 2
♣ 7 5 3

♠ J 7 5 4
♥ Q 8 2
♦ A 8 5 4
♣ J 4

♠ A K
♥ K J 9 7 3
♦ K Q
♣ A Q 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

C8A597A5B75818240C2EE92F58DE

Board 462

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 9 8 7 6 4	
	♥ 7	
	♦ 10 9 5 3	
	♣ K J 4	
♠ 5 2		♠ 10 3
♥ J		♥ K 10 9 3 2
♦ A K Q J 8		♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ 10 9 8 7 3		♣ 6 2
	♠ A K Q J	
	♥ A Q 8 6 5 4	
	♦ —	
	♣ A Q 5	

Shape 5143 2542 4603 2155 HCP 4 3 22 11 Losers 9 9 2 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 NT ²	Dbl	4 ♦	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. strong

2. Unusual 2 NT

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

CAA5EE6E9CBCEB472023CED8D29B

Board 463

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 6			
♥ 8 5			
♦ K Q J 10 5			
♣ 9 8 6 2			
♠ K 9 5 4 3			♠ Q 8
♥ 10			♥ J 4 3 2
♦ 7 6 3			♦ 9 4 2
♣ J 10 7 4			♣ K Q 5 3
♠ A J 10 2			
♥ A K Q 9 7 6			
♦ A 8			
♣ A			

Shape 2254 2434 4621 5134 HCP 6 8 22 4 Losers 8 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +710

C9A91D8AAD5FD3CF0D97F6DCC226

Board 464

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ K 7 2		
	♥ Q 8 7 3		
	♦ 9 3		
	♣ 10 9 8 6		
♠ 9 8 5 4 3			♠ 10
♥ 5			♥ K 10 9 6 4
♦ K J 10 8 7 4			♦ 6 5 2
♣ 4			♣ Q 5 3 2
	♠ A Q J 6		
	♥ A J 2		
	♦ A Q		
	♣ A K J 7		

Shape 3424 1534 4324 5161 HCP 5 5 26 4 Losers 9 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

D8A0EDE583BE4794D70A584A2CEA

Board 465

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 7 2		♠ 6 3									
♥ 10		♥ J 9 6 4									
♦ Q 9 8 7		♦ 6 5 4 2									
♣ A 8 5 3		♣ J 9 7									
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		♥ 8 7 5									
		♦ K 10 3									
		♣ 10 6 4 2									
		♠ A J 10 8									
		♥ A K Q 3 2									
		♦ A J									
		♣ K Q									

Shape 2443 3334 4522 4144 HCP 2 3 24 11 Losers 11 11 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

DA54A6A6A76B63F80F30CB92FC1B

Board 466

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 7 6 2	
	♥ 7 5	
	♦ 7 3	
	♣ J 10 9 7 5 2	
♠ 8 5 3		♠ A 10 9
♥ 8 6 3		♥ A 4 2
♦ 9 6 4		♦ 10 8 5 2
♣ A 8 6 3		♣ K Q 4
	♠ K Q J 4	
	♥ K Q J 10 9	
	♦ A K Q J	
	♣ —	

Shape 3226 3343 4540 3334 HCP 1 13 22 4 Losers 10 8 2 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

Board 467
South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ J 6
♥ 8 5 4 2
♦ 9 8 5 4 3
♣ J 5

♠ 10 8 5
♥ K 6 3
♦ A J 10 6
♣ Q 8 6

♠ 9 7 2
♥ J 10 7
♦ 7 2
♣ 10 9 7 4 3

♠ A K Q 4 3
♥ A Q 9
♦ K Q
♣ A K 2

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

Board 468
South Deals
Both Vul

♠ J 10 4
♥ 10 9 5 2
♦ 10 5 4
♣ 9 7 5

♠ 6 5 3
♥ K 7 4
♦ Q 6
♣ Q J 8 6 3



♠ A 9 7
♥ 3
♦ K J 9 8 7 2
♣ 10 4 2

♠ K Q 8 2
♥ A Q J 8 6
♦ A 3
♣ A K

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
4 ♥ by South
Made 5 — NS +650

Board 469
South Deals
N-S Vul

Shape 3145 3532 3253 4513 HCP 2 10 27 1 Losers 9 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +660

D9A9929895BFC65F0E6CE2F70BF3

Board 470

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 7 3				
	♥ 9 7 3				
	♦ K 5 2				
	♣ 10 8 4 3 2				
♠ 9 5 4 2				♠ 8 6	
♥ 10 4 2				♥ K Q J 8	
♦ 10 8 7 6				♦ J 9 4	
♣ Q 6				♣ K 9 7 5	
	♠ A K Q J 10				
	♥ A 6 5				
	♦ A Q 3				
	♣ A J				

Shape 2335 2434 5332 4342 HCP 3 10 25 2 Losers 10 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +430

DBA59DE32E19D2D0FFC044157827

Board 471

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 10 4 2	
	♥ 6 5	
	♦ A 5 4 2	
	♣ Q 7 2	
♠ Q 9 8 7 6		♠ 5 3
♥ 7 3		♥ K 10 9 8 4
♦ 10 3		♦ Q 9 8 6
♣ 8 6 5 3		♣ J 9
	♠ A K	
	♥ A Q J 2	
	♦ K J 7	
	♣ A K 10 4	

Shape 4243 2542 2434 5224 HCP 7 6 25 2 Losers 9 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

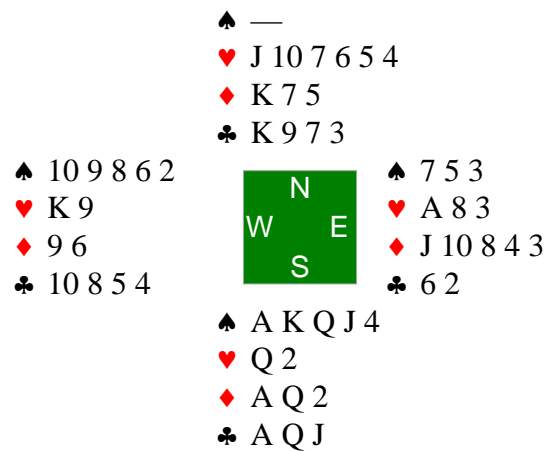
Made 6 — NS +1440

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Board 472

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 0634 3352 5233 5224 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♥

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

D995A9AF830E77BC6813F404741A

Board 473

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 6 4 2	
	♥ J 10 4	
	♦ J 6	
	♣ Q J 9 6	
♠ 5		♠ 9 7 3
♥ 9 8 5 3		♥ A 6 2
♦ Q 10 8		♦ A 9 5 4 3
♣ 8 7 5 4 3		♣ 10 2
	♠ A K Q J 8	
	♥ K Q 7	
	♦ K 7 2	
	♣ A K	

Shape 4324 3352 5332 1435 HCP 5 8 25 2 Losers 10 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Cue bid, surplus

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

DBAD698766F84323707C91087F33

Board 474

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10		♠ 8 4 2									
♥ 10 7 6 3 2		♥ Q 9 4									
♦ K 10 4		♦ Q J									
♣ 10 7 6 4		♣ Q 9 8 3 2									
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		♦ 9 8 7 5 2									
		♣ J									
		♠ A Q 5									
		♥ A K J 8									
		♦ A 6 3									
		♣ A K 5									

Shape 3325 6151 3433 1534 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 9 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Quantitative 4 NT
4 N by South
Made 6 — NS +690

D8A2B8ADEB546D9CEBCF7F372FCC

Board 475

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 4 3		
	♥ 6 2		
	♦ K J 7		
	♣ J 7 6 5 4 3		
♠ J 7 6 2		♠ 10 9 5	
♥ K 5 4		♥ 10 8	
♦ 10 4		♦ Q 9 8 6 5 3 2	
♣ K 10 8 2		♣ A	
	♠ A K Q 8		
	♥ A Q J 9 7 3		
	♦ A		
	♣ Q 9		

Shape 2236 3271 4612 4324 HCP 5 6 22 7 Losers 9 7 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

DAA5657E24994F3C7E13F07E722D

Board 476

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5		♠ J 8 6 2									
♥ Q 8 7 5 4 3		♥ 9									
♦ 6 5 3		♦ Q 9 8 7 4 2									
♣ J 8 5		♣ 9 6									
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		♥ 10 6									
		♦ 10									
		♣ Q 7 4 3									
		♠ A 10									
		♥ A K J 2									
		♦ A K J									
		♣ A K 10 2									

Shape 4162 6214 2434 1633 HCP 3 7 27 3 Losers 8 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +1370

DBADE00C79610EE10656C85B23C8

Board 477

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 8 5 2		♠ Q 9 7 3									
♥ J		♥ Q 9 7 5 2									
♦ J 5 4 2		♦ 7 6									
♣ K Q 5 2		♣ 4 3									
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W		E									
	S										
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		♥ 6 4									
		♦ K 10 8 3									
		♣ 9 7 6									
		♠ A									
		♥ A K 10 8 3									
		♦ A Q 9									
		♣ A J 10 8									

Shape 4522 4243 1534 4144 HCP 4 4 22 10 Losers 8 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

D8E1A27428153304EAD21A1EEF3D

Board 478

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ J 10 9 8 5 4 2	
	♥ 8	
	♦ J 7 5	
	♣ 9 3	
♠ A 7 6 3		♠ Q
♥ Q 9 2	W N E	♥ 10 6 5 4
♦ Q 10 8		♦ 4 3 2
♣ Q J 8		♣ K 7 6 5 4
	♠ K	
	♥ A K J 7 3	
	♦ A K 9 6	
	♣ A 10 2	

Shape 7132 1435 1543 4333 HCP 2 5 22 11 Losers 9 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

DAA534C1DDD62CCB6A7B4A202EC4

Board 479

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ K 9 4 3		
	♥ Q 8 5 2		
	♦ J 9 3		
	♣ 8 6		
♠ Q J 10 8 2		♠ 7 6 5	
♥ K 6		♥ J 10	
♦ Q 4		♦ 8 7 6 5	
♣ K 9 4 2		♣ 10 7 5 3	
	♠ A		
	♥ A 9 7 4 3		
	♦ A K 10 2		
	♣ A Q J		

Shape 4432 3244 1543 5224 HCP 6 1 22 11 Losers 9 11 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

D9A9C9606283E255DC3E6E78C007

Board 480

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 6 2		
	♥ K 10 3 2		
	♦ Q J 10 9 3		
	♣ 10 2		
♠ K 9 7 3		♠ Q J 8 5 4	
♥ 6 4		♥ 8 7	
♦ 7 6 5		♦ 8 2	
♣ Q 7 4 3		♣ J 9 6 5	
	♠ A 10		
	♥ A Q J 9 5		
	♦ A K 4		
	♣ A K 8		

Shape 2452 5224 2533 4234 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1010

E8E3A532A2C7A4F60E4F5E071AE0

Board 481

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 10 8 2		♠ Q 7 4 3									
♥ Q 8		♥ 10 7 6 4									
♦ K 10 9 8 4		♦ 3									
♣ 9 2		♣ A 10 6 4									
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		♥ 5 3									
		♦ 7 6 5									
		♣ Q J 8 7 5 3									
		♠ K J 9									
		♥ A K J 9 2									
		♦ A Q J 2									
		♣ K									

Shape 4414 2236 3541 4252 HCP 6 3 22 9 Losers 8 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Splinter
- 4 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +480

EAA6A58A06446EC33060093853C2

Board 482

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 7 5 4	
	♥ Q J 10 8 5 2	
	♦ 9	
	♣ 8 3	
♠ 8 2		♠ 10 9 6 3
♥ 7 4		♥ 3
♦ 8 7 6 3 2		♦ Q 5 4
♣ 10 7 6 4		♣ A Q J 9 2
	♠ A K Q	
	♥ A K 9 6	
	♦ A K J 10	
	♣ K 5	

Shape 4612 4135 3442 2254 HCP 4 9 27 0 Losers 8 7 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

E9A9E2F56B31E3263957FE4C1F72

Board 483

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 8 7 3	
	♥ 4	
	♦ K 10 9 2	
	♣ J 9 6 3	
♠ K Q 9 5		♠ J 6 4 2
♥ Q 10 7 5 2		♥ 6 3
♦ 5 4 3		♦ Q 8 6
♣ 4		♣ K 8 5 2
	♠ A	
	♥ A K J 9 8	
	♦ A J 7	
	♣ A Q 10 7	

Shape 4144 4234 1534 4531 HCP 4 6 23 7 Losers 9 9 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +400

EBAD62EC7BB76EF6C6265C3532C4

Board 484

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 4 3
♥ 7 2
♦ 10 8 7 6 4 2
♣ J 10

♠ Q 8 7 2
♥ J 10 8 4 3
♦ J
♣ Q 5 2

♠ A 10
♥ A K Q 9 6
♦ A Q 9 5
♣ A 4

♠ K J 9 5
♥ 5
♦ K 3
♣ K 9 8 7 6 3

W N E S

Shape 3 2 6 2 4 1 2 6 2 5 4 2 4 5 1 3 HCP 1 10 2 3 6 Losers 10 6 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♠ ³	Pass	4 ♣ ⁴
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Minor Suit Transfers after 2 NT

4. automat

6 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +1370

EAE5A3E78C005226AF70FB08565B

Board 485

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 5		♠ 10 8 4
♥ 6 5		♥ J 10 4
♦ K 10 9 6		♦ J 7
♣ J 10 6 4		♣ K Q 7 5 2
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		♠ 9 6 3 2
		♥ 9 3 2
		♦ 5 4 2
		♣ 9 8 3
		♠ K J 7
		♥ A K Q 8 7
		♦ A Q 8 3
		♣ A

Shape 3325 4333 3541 3244 HCP 7 0 23 10 Losers 9 12 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

E9698AB1E90EFF3D5C53940E477B

Board 486

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 8 4	
	♥ K 10 4 3	
	♦ Q 6	
	♣ 9 6 3 2	
♠ J 9		♠ A 7 6 3 2
♥ Q 9 8 2		♥ 7 6 5
♦ 10 9 8 7 4		♦ 5 3
♣ 7 5		♣ K 10 4
	♠ K Q 5	
	♥ A J	
	♦ A K J 2	
	♣ A Q J 8	

Shape 3424 5323 3244 2452 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 10 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

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Board 487

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 6 5		♠ 9 7 3 2
♥ Q 9		♥ K 6 4 3 2
♦ 10 9 7 4 3		♦ 6
♣ J 6 2		♣ Q 10 7
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ K 10 4
		♥ J 10 8 7
		♦ J 5 2
		♣ 8 5 4
		♠ A J 8
		♥ A 5
		♦ A K Q 8
		♣ A K 9 3

Shape 4513 3433 3244 3253 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 8 11 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

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Board 488

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ A 4 2	
	♥ Q 10	
	♦ 10 8 6 5 4	
	♣ 9 7 3	
♠ Q 9 6 5		♠ J 8 3
♥ 8		♥ J 9 7 5 4 3 2
♦ Q 7		♦ 9 3
♣ Q J 10 6 5 4		♣ 8
	♠ K 10 7	
	♥ A K 6	
	♦ A K J 2	
	♣ A K 2	

Shape 3 2 5 3 3 7 2 1 3 3 4 3 4 1 2 6 HCP 6 2 2 5 7 Losers 10 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
Made 6 — NS +490

E9AA69EB9F4771023C7418C374D9

Board 489

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 4 2		♠ 8 7 5
♥ 9 7 6 3		♥ 10 8 4
♦ J 7		♦ 9 8 4
♣ 7 6 5 3		♣ Q J 10 4
	<div>W<div>N S</div>E</div>	
		♠ K 10 9 6 3
		♥ J 5 2
		♦ 10 6 3
		♣ A 8
		♠ A J
		♥ A K Q
		♦ A K Q 5 2
		♣ K 9 2

Shape 3334 5332 2353 3424 HCP 3 8 26 3 Losers 11 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

EBADA0661E83373DFA0672D8F7EE

Board 490

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 9 8 6	
	♥ 10 6	
	♦ Q 9 6 3	
	♣ 10 9 3	
♠ 7 4 3 2		♠ Q 5
♥ 9 8 7 5 3		♥ J 4
♦ 7 4		♦ K 10 5
♣ K 4		♣ Q J 7 6 5 2
	♠ A K 10	
	♥ A K Q 2	
	♦ A J 8 2	
	♣ A 8	

Shape 4243 2236 3442 4522 HCP 3 9 25 3 Losers 10 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

E8A1AF37A0CA3BFD7F105A855614

Board 491

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ Q 9 6 2	
	♥ 10 4	
	♦ 10 9 5	
	♣ K Q 9 7	
♠ 10 8		♠ 7 5 3
♥ Q 9 8 7		♥ 6 5 3 2
♦ Q 4 3 2		♦ K 8 7
♣ J 6 2		♣ 10 5 3
	♠ A K J 4	
	♥ A K J	
	♦ A J 6	
	♣ A 8 4	

Shape 4234 3433 4333 2443 HCP 7 3 25 5 Losers 8 11 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50

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Board 492

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 2		♠ 9 7 6 3									
♥ 8 3 2		♥ J 10 7 5									
♦ J 8 7 6		♦ Q 2									
♣ 9 4 3		♣ 10 8 2									
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	N										
W		E									
	S										
		♠ K 10 8 5									
		♥ Q 9 6									
		♦ 10 9 4 3									
		♣ Q 5									
		♠ A 4									
		♥ A K 4									
		♦ A K 5									
		♣ A K J 7 6									

Shape 4423 4342 2335 3343 HCP 3 7 26 4 Losers 11 9 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

EBBDEDFDD797EE423BD432481197

Board 493

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 7 5 3		
	♥ 8 4		
	♦ J 10 6 2		
	♣ J 10 7 2		
♠ K Q J 9 6			♠ 8 4
♥ A Q 7 5			♥ J 10 6 3 2
♦ 7 4			♦ 8 5 3
♣ 6 4			♣ 9 8 5
	♠ A 10 2		
	♥ K 9		
	♦ A K Q 9		
	♣ A K Q 3		

Shape 3244 2533 3244 5422 HCP 2 1 25 12 Losers 11 11 3 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

E8A1AA6A56C426F1FB586A033632

Board 494

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 4 3 2
 ♥ 10 4
 ♦ K Q 7 6 5
 ♣ 7 4

♠ 10 8 7
 ♥ 8 7 3 2
 ♦ J 10 9 3
 ♣ 10 6

♠ Q J 6 5
 ♥ J 6
 ♦ —
 ♣ K Q J 9 5 3 2

♠ A K
 ♥ A K Q 9 5
 ♦ A 8 4 2
 ♣ A 8

N
 W E
 S

Shape 4252 4207 2542 3442 HCP 5 10 24 1 Losers 8 5 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	3 ♣	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +460

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Board 495

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10 9 3	
	♥ 8 2	
	♦ 7 3 2	
	♣ Q 8 7 6 3	
♠ J 8 7 6		♠ Q 5 4 2
♥ 9 4 3		♥ A Q 7
♦ J 4		♦ Q 9 6 5
♣ K J 4 2		♣ 10 9
	♠ A K	
	♥ K J 10 6 5	
	♦ A K 10 8	
	♣ A 5	

Shape 3235 4342 2542 4324 HCP 2 10 22 6 Losers 10 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
2 N by South
Made 2 — NS +120

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Board 496

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8 4		
♥ K 9 3		
♦ Q 10 8 4		
♣ Q 9 4		
♠ Q 10 3		♠ 9 7 6 5 2
♥ 6 2		♥ 8 7 4
♦ K 9 6		♦ 7 3
♣ J 10 7 3 2		♣ A 8 5
♠ A K		
♥ A Q J 10 5		
♦ A J 5 2		
♣ K 6		

Shape 3343 5323 2542 3235 HCP 8 4 22 6 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

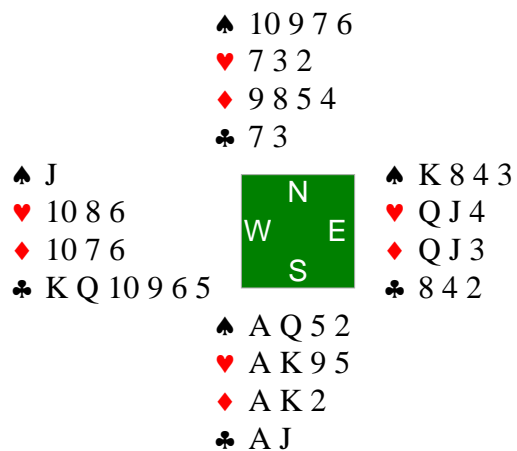
1. strong
5 ♥ by South
Made 5 — NS +450

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Board 497

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4342 4333 4432 1336 HCP 0 9 25 6 Losers 11 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

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Board 498

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J 7 4 3		♠ Q 9 6 5
♥ 10 6 4		♥ J 8 5
♦ J 4		♦ 8 6
♣ 10 9 3		♣ K 7 6 4

	♠ 10
	♥ Q 9 2
	♦ 10 9 5 3 2
	♣ J 8 5 2

	♠ K 8 2
	♥ A K 7 3
	♦ A K Q 7
	♣ A Q



Shape 4324 1354 3442 5323 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. strong
 2. waiting
 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 6 N by South
Down 1 — NS -100

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Board 499

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 6	
	♥ K 10 9 8 7	
	♦ 10 9 4	
	♣ 10 7 5	
♠ 5 4 2		♠ J 8 7 3
♥ 5		♥ 6 4 3
♦ Q 8 7 6 5		♦ K J 2
♣ A J 9 4		♣ 8 6 3
	♠ A K Q 9	
	♥ A Q J 2	
	♦ A 3	
	♣ K Q 2	

Shape 2533 4333 4423 3154 HCP 3 5 25 7 Losers 10 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

FB6DAD8038B15306B2FACBCE83D7

Board 500

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 8	
	♥ Q 8 5 4 3	
	♦ 8 2	
	♣ 9 5 3 2	
♠ 6 5 4 2		♠ A 9
♥ J 10 7 6	W N E	♥ 9 2
♦ J 6 5	S	♦ Q 10 9 7 3
♣ Q J		♣ 8 7 6 4
	♠ K Q 10 7 3	
	♥ A K	
	♦ A K 4	
	♣ A K 10	

Shape 2524 2254 5233 4432 HCP 3 6 26 5 Losers 9 8 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630