

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 1	♠ 93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ2	
Vul: None	♦ A62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A9743	

Board: 2	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ10	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ1053	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ J9	

Board: 3	♠ J105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A5	

Board: 4	♠ K864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ106	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 2	

Board: 5	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10	
Vul: EW	♦ A102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 876543	

Board: 1	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 93	♠ AKJ8				1♣
Vul: None	♥ QJ2	♥ 6	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 11	♦ A62	♦ KJ9	Pass	5♣	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A9743	♣ K10862				
Contract: 5♣ S						
						1. Inverted minors
						2. Splinter
Board: 2	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J	♠ K5				
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ10	♥ 65		1♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18	♦ AQJ1053	♦ K98642	Pass	5♦	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ J9	♣ Q82				
Contract: 5♦ N						
Board: 3	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J105	♠ Q3				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ KJ7	♥ 106	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 11	♦ Q9764	♦ AK852	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ A5	♣ KJ86				
Contract: 3♦ S						
						1. Inverted minors
Board: 4	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K864	♠ —				
Vul: NS	♥ QJ106	♥ A43		1♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AKQ9	♦ 107642	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ 2	♣ AJ743				
Contract: 3♦ N						
Board: 5	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AKJ3				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ10	♥ J42	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ A102	♦ 865	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 876543	♣ KJ2				
Contract: 3♣ S						
						1. Inverted minors

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors  
2. Splinter

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♦
Pass	5♦	AP	

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♦
AP			

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 1	♠ AKJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: None	♦ KJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K10862	

Board: 2	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	
Vul: EW	♦ K98642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q82	

Board: 3	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 106	
Vul: Both	♦ AK852	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ86	

Board: 4	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A43	
Vul: NS	♦ 107642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ743	

Board: 5	♠ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J42	
Vul: EW	♦ 865	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ2	

Board: 1	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 93	♠ AKJ8				1♣
Vul: None	♥ QJ2	♥ 6	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 11	♦ A62	♦ KJ9	Pass	5♣	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A9743	♣ K10862				
Contract: 5♣ S						
						1. Inverted minors
						2. Splinter
Board: 2	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J	♠ K5				
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ10	♥ 65		1♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18	♦ AQJ1053	♦ K98642	Pass	5♦	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ J9	♣ Q82				
Contract: 5♦ N						
Board: 3	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J105	♠ Q3				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ KJ7	♥ 106	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 11	♦ Q9764	♦ AK852	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ A5	♣ KJ86				
Contract: 3♦ S						
						1. Inverted minors
Board: 4	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K864	♠ —				
Vul: NS	♥ QJ106	♥ A43		1♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AKQ9	♦ 107642	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ 2	♣ AJ743				
Contract: 3♦ N						
Board: 5	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AKJ3				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ10	♥ J42	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ A102	♦ 865	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 876543	♣ KJ2				
Contract: 3♣ S						
						1. Inverted minors

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors  
2. Splinter

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♦
Pass	5♦	AP	

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♦
AP			

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors

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### Inverted Minors

Board: 6	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ8	
Vul: Both	♦ Q872	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q76	

Board: 7	♠ 1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ8	
Vul: None	♦ AJ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q105	

Board: 8	♠ AQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK54	
Vul: Both	♦ A43	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 102	

Board: 9	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A107	
Vul: None	♦ 532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ954	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 6	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7	♠ AQJ		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ8	♥ 953	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q872	♦ 109654	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q76	♣ A3	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 7	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1042	♠ AJ5				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KQ8	♥ 104	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ73	♦ KQ642	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q105	♣ A86	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 8	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ5	♠ K3		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AK54	♥ 2	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 18	♦ A43	♦ 108765	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ 102	♣ AKQ95	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♦
Contract: 6♦ N			AP			
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
			4. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 9	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K5	♠ AQ108				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A107	♥ KQ4	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ 532	♦ AJ10	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 19	♣ AJ954	♣ K86	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ S			AP			
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 6	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 953	
Vul: Both	♦ 109654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A3	

Board: 7	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 104	
Vul: None	♦ KQ642	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A86	

Board: 8	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ 108765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ95	

Board: 9	♠ AQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ4	
Vul: None	♦ AJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ K86	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 6	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7	♠ AQJ		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ8	♥ 953	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q872	♦ 109654	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q76	♣ A3				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 7	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1042	♠ AJ5				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KQ8	♥ 104	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ73	♦ KQ642	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q105	♣ A86				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 8	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ5	♠ K3		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AK54	♥ 2	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 18	♦ A43	♦ 108765	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ 102	♣ AKQ95	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♦
Contract: 6♦ N			AP			

1. Inverted minors  
 2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper  
 3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦  
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 9	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K5	♠ AQ108				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A107	♥ KQ4	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ 532	♦ AJ10	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 19	♣ AJ954	♣ K86	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ S			AP			

1. Inverted minors  
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣  
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0



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### Inverted Minors

Board: 10	♠ AQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q73	
Vul: NS	♦ 1083	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A83	

Board: 11	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1052	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ432	

Board: 12	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J43	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ864	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ 10	

Board: 13	♠ A103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ J972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ965	

Board: 14	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ62	
Vul: EW	♦ 1096	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K102	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 10	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ108	♠ J6		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ Q73	♥ 96	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 1083	♦ KQJ9	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A83	♣ KQ1092	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AKJ9				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 1052	♥ K73	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AJ95	♦ 1074	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ432	♣ J109	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ	♠ 42		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J43	♥ AQ6	Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 19	♦ AKQ864	♦ J975	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ 10	♣ KQ92	AP			
Contract: 5♦ N			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
			4. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A103	♠ K84				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ K	♥ Q43	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ J972	♦ A643				
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ965	♣ A84				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ10	♠ 986		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AJ62	♥ 74	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 1096	♦ AKQ	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K102	♣ QJ986	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 10	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 96	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ1092	

Board: 11	♠ AKJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K73	
Vul: Both	♦ 1074	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J109	

Board: 12	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ6	
Vul: None	♦ J975	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ92	

Board: 13	♠ K84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q43	
Vul: NS	♦ A643	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A84	

Board: 14	♠ 986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 74	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ986	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 10	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ108	♠ J6		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ Q73	♥ 96	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 1083	♦ KQJ9	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A83	♣ KQ1092	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AKJ9				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 1052	♥ K73	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AJ95	♦ 1074	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ432	♣ J109	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ	♠ 42		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J43	♥ AQ6	Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 19	♦ AKQ864	♦ J975	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ 10	♣ KQ92	AP			
Contract: 5♦ N			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
			4. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A103	♠ K84				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ K	♥ Q43	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ J972	♦ A643				
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ965	♣ A84				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ10	♠ 986		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AJ62	♥ 74	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 1096	♦ AKQ	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K102	♣ QJ986	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 15	♠ A98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 542	
Vul: EW	♦ AK642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J8	

Board: 16	♠ Q985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK4	

Board: 17	♠ K62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A53	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1042	

Board: 18	♠ AKQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q974	
Vul: EW	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 864	

Board: 19	♠ 104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A42	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ65	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A98	♠ QJ				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 542	♥ A763	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AK642	♦ QJ75	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J8	♣ A73				
Contract: 3♦ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 16	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q985	♠ 2				
Vul: Both	♥ Q8	♥ AJ10		1♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18	♦ AQJ5	♦ 109832	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ AK4	♣ Q876				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 17	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K62	♠ A983				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ A53	♥ K94	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ97	♦ 8543	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 1042	♣ AJ	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 18	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ7	♠ J5		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ Q974	♥ J	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ K4	♦ J9653	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 864	♣ AKQ73	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

			West	North	East	South
Board: 19						1♦
Dealer: S	North:	South:	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
Vul: Both	♠ 104	♠ AQ97	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 12	♥ A42	♥ Q9	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 18	♦ KJ75	♦ A432	Pass	5♦	AP	
Contract: 5♦ S	♣ KJ65	♣ AQ9	1. Inverted minors 2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper 3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			

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### Inverted Minors

Board: 15	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A763	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ75	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A73	

Board: 16	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ 109832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q876	

Board: 17	♠ A983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K94	
Vul: NS	♦ 8543	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ	

Board: 18	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ J9653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ73	

Board: 19	♠ AQ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9	
Vul: Both	♦ A432	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ9	

Board: 15
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♦ S

North:	South:
♠ A98	♠ QJ
♥ 542	♥ A763
♦ AK642	♦ QJ75
♣ J8	♣ A73

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	AP	
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 16
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3♦ N

North:	South:
♠ Q985	♠ 2
♥ Q8	♥ AJ10
♦ AQJ5	♦ 109832
♣ AK4	♣ Q876

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♦
AP			

Board: 17
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2N S

North:	South:
♠ K62	♠ A983
♥ A53	♥ K94
♦ AJ97	♦ 8543
♣ 1042	♣ AJ

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
AP			
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 18
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♣ N

North:	South:
♠ AKQ7	♠ J5
♥ Q974	♥ J
♦ K4	♦ J9653
♣ 864	♣ AKQ73

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
AP			
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 19
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 18
Contract: 5♦ S

North:	South:
♠ 104	♠ AQ97
♥ A42	♥ Q9
♦ KJ75	♦ A432
♣ KJ65	♣ AQ9

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♦	AP	
1. Inverted minors			
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 20	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q853	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ42	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ10	

Board: 21	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8	
Vul: Both	♦ 9765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K973	

Board: 22	♠ K105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 32	
Vul: None	♦ AQ73	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1062	

Board: 23	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ2	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 875	

Board: 24	♠ KQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q842	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 20	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K	♠ Q72		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q853	♥ J6	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ KQJ42	♦ A863	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQ10	♣ A964	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 21	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ4	♠ Q953				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K8	♥ Q1062	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 9765	♦ A82	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K973	♣ A10	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 22	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K105	♠ A72		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 32	♥ AK10	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ73	♦ 98642	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A1062	♣ 98	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 23	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K9	♠ Q654				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ QJ2	♥ A10	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ852	♦ J943	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 875	♣ AQ2	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 24	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ74	♠ 53		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ4	♥ K	Pass	3♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 3	♦ A8754	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q842	♣ AJ963	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S			2. shortness			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 20	♠ Q72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J6	
Vul: None	♦ A863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A964	

Board: 21	♠ Q953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1062	
Vul: Both	♦ A82	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10	

Board: 22	♠ A72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: None	♦ 98642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 98	

Board: 23	♠ Q654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: NS	♦ J943	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ2	

Board: 24	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ A8754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ963	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 20	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K	♠ Q72		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q853	♥ J6	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ KQJ42	♦ A863	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQ10	♣ A964	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 21	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ4	♠ Q953				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K8	♥ Q1062	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 9765	♦ A82	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K973	♣ A10	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 22	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K105	♠ A72		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 32	♥ AK10	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ73	♦ 98642	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A1062	♣ 98	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 23	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K9	♠ Q654				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ QJ2	♥ A10	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ852	♦ J943	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 875	♣ AQ2	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 24	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ74	♠ 53		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ4	♥ K	Pass	3♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 3	♦ A8754	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q842	♣ AJ963	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S			2. shortness			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 25	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1096	
Vul: None	♦ A762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KJ1086	

Board: 26	♠ AK85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ 952	

Board: 27	♠ 975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1063	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AKQ62	

Board: 28	♠ Q972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ8	
Vul: None	♦ 103	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK72	

Board: 29	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: NS	♦ 109742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AKQ32	

Board: 25	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AJ10				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 1096	♥ AKJ3				
North HCP: 10	♦ A762	♦ QJ983	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ KJ1086	♣ 2				
Contract: 3♦ S						
Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK85	♠ Q104		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ A4	♥ KQ7				
North HCP: 19	♦ AKJ6	♦ Q985	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 952	♣ K63				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 975	♠ AK64				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 7	♥ K105	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ Q1063	♦ K5	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AKQ62	♣ 9743				
Contract: 3♣ S			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q972	♠ A63				
Vul: None	♥ AJ8	♥ 7		1♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 103	♦ KJ76	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AK72	♣ J10943				
Contract: 3♣ N						
Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8	♠ A105				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q2	♥ 765	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ 109742	♦ AKQJ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQ32	♣ 74				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 25	♠ AJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ3	
Vul: None	♦ QJ983	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 2	

Board: 26	♠ Q104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ7	
Vul: NS	♦ Q985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K63	

Board: 27	♠ AK64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K105	
Vul: EW	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9743	

Board: 28	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: None	♦ KJ76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J10943	

Board: 29	♠ A105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 765	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 74	

Board: 25	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AJ10				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 1096	♥ AKJ3				
North HCP: 10	♦ A762	♦ QJ983	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ KJ1086	♣ 2				
Contract: 3♦ S						
Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK85	♠ Q104		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ A4	♥ KQ7				
North HCP: 19	♦ AKJ6	♦ Q985	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 952	♣ K63				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 975	♠ AK64				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 7	♥ K105	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ Q1063	♦ K5	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AKQ62	♣ 9743				
Contract: 3♣ S			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q972	♠ A63				
Vul: None	♥ AJ8	♥ 7		1♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 103	♦ KJ76	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AK72	♣ J10943				
Contract: 3♣ N						
Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8	♠ A105				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q2	♥ 765	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ 109742	♦ AKQJ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQ32	♣ 74				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 30	♠ KJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ76	
Vul: EW	♦ K10764	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	

Board: 31	♠ 632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 109	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ5	

Board: 32	♠ J542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ108	
Vul: NS	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J84	

Board: 33	♠ K98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J106	

Board: 34	♠ KJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ K64	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 30  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 5♦ N

North:  
♠ KJ9  
♥ KQ76  
♦ K10764  
♣ A

South:  
♠ AQ10  
♥ J5  
♦ J982  
♣ KJ105

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
AP			

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 31  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
♠ 632  
♥ 109  
♦ AQ532  
♣ AJ5

South:  
♠ AKQ7  
♥ QJ  
♦ KJ86  
♣ Q82

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 32  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 11  
Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
♠ J542  
♥ AQ108  
♦ A9  
♣ J84

South:  
♠ A9  
♥ J42  
♦ 1064  
♣ AQ1075

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
AP			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 33  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ K98  
♥ A5  
♦ QJ876  
♣ J106

South:  
♠ J7  
♥ K94  
♦ AK102  
♣ K982

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 34  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 8  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KJ43  
♥ AKJ2  
♦ A10  
♣ K64

South:  
♠ 1098  
♥ 5  
♦ Q985  
♣ AQ953

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

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 30	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	
Vul: EW	♦ J982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ105	

Board: 31	♠ AKQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ86	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q82	

Board: 32	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J42	
Vul: NS	♦ 1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ1075	

Board: 33	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K94	
Vul: EW	♦ AK102	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K982	

Board: 34	♠ 1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ Q985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AQ953	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 30  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 5♦ N

North:  
♠ KJ9  
♥ KQ76  
♦ K10764  
♣ A

South:  
♠ AQ10  
♥ J5  
♦ J982  
♣ KJ105

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
AP			

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 31  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
♠ 632  
♥ 109  
♦ AQ532  
♣ AJ5

South:  
♠ AKQ7  
♥ QJ  
♦ KJ86  
♣ Q82

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 32  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 11  
Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
♠ J542  
♥ AQ108  
♦ A9  
♣ J84

South:  
♠ A9  
♥ J42  
♦ 1064  
♣ AQ1075

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
AP			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 33  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ K98  
♥ A5  
♦ QJ876  
♣ J106

South:  
♠ J7  
♥ K94  
♦ AK102  
♣ K982

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 34  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 8  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KJ43  
♥ AKJ2  
♦ A10  
♣ K64

South:  
♠ 1098  
♥ 5  
♦ Q985  
♣ AQ953

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

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 35	♠ 1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 82	
Vul: None	♦ KQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQJ107	

Board: 36	♠ Q1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK93	
Vul: EW	♦ K92	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J6	

Board: 37	♠ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 843	
Vul: None	♦ AQ72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J62	

Board: 38	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ93	
Vul: NS	♦ AK73	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ 765	

Board: 39	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 863	
Vul: Both	♦ AK65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q65	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 35	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1084	♠ KJ96				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 82	♥ A743	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ7	♦ 63	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ107	♣ A65				
Contract: 3♣ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 36	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q1097	♠ K43		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AK93	♥ 7	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K92	♦ A763	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J6	♣ KQ854				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 37	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ3	♠ Q84				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 843	♥ 106	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ72	♦ KJ954	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J62	♣ AQ5				
Contract: 3♦ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 38	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ K		1♦	Pass	3♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ93	♥ K85	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 19	♦ AK73	♦ J1086				
South HCP: 10	♣ 765	♣ QJ1082				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 39	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ4	♠ K963				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 863	♥ AK	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AK65	♦ QJ94	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q65	♣ 1084				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 35	♠ KJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A743	
Vul: None	♦ 63	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A65	

Board: 36	♠ K43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: EW	♦ A763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ854	

Board: 37	♠ Q84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 106	
Vul: None	♦ KJ954	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ5	

Board: 38	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K85	
Vul: NS	♦ J1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ QJ1082	

Board: 39	♠ K963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1084	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 35	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1084	♠ KJ96				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 82	♥ A743	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ7	♦ 63	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ107	♣ A65				
Contract: 3♣ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 36	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q1097	♠ K43		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AK93	♥ 7	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K92	♦ A763	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J6	♣ KQ854				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 37	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ3	♠ Q84				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 843	♥ 106	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ72	♦ KJ954	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J62	♣ AQ5				
Contract: 3♦ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 38	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ K		1♦	Pass	3♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ93	♥ K85	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 19	♦ AK73	♦ J1086				
South HCP: 10	♣ 765	♣ QJ1082				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 39	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ4	♠ K963				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 863	♥ AK	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AK65	♦ QJ94	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q65	♣ 1084				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 40	♠ AKQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6532	
Vul: None	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A765	

Board: 41	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A105	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 107654	

Board: 42	♠ K109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1082	
Vul: EW	♦ Q93	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K94	

Board: 43	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ AK65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 987652	

Board: 44	♠ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A52	
Vul: NS	♦ K875	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 874	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 40  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ AKQ10  
 ♥ 6532  
 ♦ 2  
 ♣ A765

South:  
 ♠ J  
 ♥ Q108  
 ♦ KJ85  
 ♣ KQ1042

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Inverted minors			
2. shortness			

Board: 41  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 8  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ 5  
 ♥ A105  
 ♦ KJ62  
 ♣ 107654

South:  
 ♠ K1072  
 ♥ J62  
 ♦ A84  
 ♣ KJ2

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	3♣	AP	

Board: 42  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
 ♠ K109  
 ♥ A1082  
 ♦ Q93  
 ♣ K94

South:  
 ♠ AJ2  
 ♥ 54  
 ♦ K65  
 ♣ A10832

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
AP			
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 43  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 10  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ 105  
 ♥ K  
 ♦ AK65  
 ♣ 987652

South:  
 ♠ KJ32  
 ♥ AQJ10  
 ♦ 73  
 ♣ QJ3

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	3♣	AP	

Board: 44  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 2N N

North:  
 ♠ KQ8  
 ♥ A52  
 ♦ K875  
 ♣ 874

South:  
 ♠ 954  
 ♥ Q10  
 ♦ AJ64  
 ♣ KQ103

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	AP	
1. Inverted minors			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 40	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q108	
Vul: None	♦ KJ85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ1042	

Board: 41	♠ K1072	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J62	
Vul: NS	♦ A84	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ2	

Board: 42	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 54	
Vul: EW	♦ K65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10832	

Board: 43	♠ KJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ10	
Vul: None	♦ 73	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ3	

Board: 44	♠ 954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ103	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 40  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ AKQ10  
 ♥ 6532  
 ♦ 2  
 ♣ A765

South:  
 ♠ J  
 ♥ Q108  
 ♦ KJ85  
 ♣ KQ1042

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Inverted minors			
2. shortness			

Board: 41  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 8  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ 5  
 ♥ A105  
 ♦ KJ62  
 ♣ 107654

South:  
 ♠ K1072  
 ♥ J62  
 ♦ A84  
 ♣ KJ2

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	3♣	AP	

Board: 42  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
 ♠ K109  
 ♥ A1082  
 ♦ Q93  
 ♣ K94

South:  
 ♠ AJ2  
 ♥ 54  
 ♦ K65  
 ♣ A10832

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
AP			
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 43  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 10  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ 105  
 ♥ K  
 ♦ AK65  
 ♣ 987652

South:  
 ♠ KJ32  
 ♥ AQJ10  
 ♦ 73  
 ♣ QJ3

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	3♣	AP	

Board: 44  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 2N N

North:  
 ♠ KQ8  
 ♥ A52  
 ♦ K875  
 ♣ 874

South:  
 ♠ 954  
 ♥ Q10  
 ♦ AJ64  
 ♣ KQ103

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	AP	
1. Inverted minors			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 45	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ4	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1063	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J9872	

Board: 46	♠ J1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ52	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 8	

Board: 47	♠ 95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A52	
Vul: NS	♦ AK963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 1062	

Board: 48	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q764	
Vul: EW	♦ A52	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J109	

Board: 49	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q93	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 1098764	

Board: 45	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ A986				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ AJ4	♥ KQ65				
North HCP: 9	♦ Q1063	♦ A74	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ J9872	♣ 106				
Contract: 3♦ S						
Board: 46	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1096	♠ K5		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KJ52	♥ A103	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AKJ6	♦ 7543	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 8	♣ AJ64				
Contract: 3N S						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 47	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 95	♠ KQ32				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ A52	♥ KQ107	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ AK963	♦ 1054	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 1062	♣ A8				
Contract: 3♦ S						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK8	♠ Q107		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ Q764	♥ KJ	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A52	♦ J76	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ J109	♣ A7643				
Contract: 3N S						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 49	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ A1052				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ Q93	♥ J85	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	♦ AKJ	♦ Q102	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 1098764	♣ AK3				
Contract: 3♣ S						
			1. Inverted minors			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 45	♠ A986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ65	
Vul: EW	♦ A74	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 106	

Board: 46	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A103	
Vul: Both	♦ 7543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ64	

Board: 47	♠ KQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ107	
Vul: NS	♦ 1054	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A8	

Board: 48	♠ Q107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: EW	♦ J76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A7643	

Board: 49	♠ A1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J85	
Vul: Both	♦ Q102	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK3	

Board: 45	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ A986				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ AJ4	♥ KQ65	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ Q1063	♦ A74				
South HCP: 13	♣ J9872	♣ 106				
Contract: 3♦ S						
Board: 46	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1096	♠ K5		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KJ52	♥ A103	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AKJ6	♦ 7543	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 8	♣ AJ64				
Contract: 3N S						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 47	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 95	♠ KQ32				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ A52	♥ KQ107	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ AK963	♦ 1054	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 1062	♣ A8				
Contract: 3♦ S						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK8	♠ Q107		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ Q764	♥ KJ	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A52	♦ J76	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ J109	♣ A7643				
Contract: 3N S						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 49	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ A1052				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ Q93	♥ J85	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	♦ AKJ	♦ Q102	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 1098764	♣ AK3				
Contract: 3♣ S						
			1. Inverted minors			



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 50	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1095	
Vul: None	♦ J1032	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A9	

Board: 51	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K65	
Vul: EW	♦ 73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K10754	

Board: 52	♠ AQ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ 862	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 42	

Board: 53	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 85	
Vul: None	♦ J532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AKQ73	

Board: 54	♠ KQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ84	
Vul: NS	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KJ7	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 50	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ3	♠ 975		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ K1095	♥ A72	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J1032	♦ KQ98	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A9	♣ K72				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 51	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ6	♠ 973				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ K65	♥ Q94	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 73	♦ QJ8	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ K10754	♣ AQJ9				
Contract: 3♣ S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 52	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ104	♠ K2		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ5	♥ 872	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 862	♦ KQ53	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 42	♣ A1086				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 53	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J4	♠ A732				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 85	♥ A1094	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ J532	♦ AQ8	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQ73	♣ 65				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 54	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ3	♠ A2		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ84	♥ 65	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 19	♦ A6	♦ 832	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ7	♣ AQ9843	Pass	5♣	AP	
Contract: 5♣ N						

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 50	♠ 975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A72	
Vul: None	♦ KQ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K72	

Board: 51	♠ 973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q94	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ9	

Board: 52	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 872	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1086	

Board: 53	♠ A732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1094	
Vul: None	♦ AQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 65	

Board: 54	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	
Vul: NS	♦ 832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQ9843	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 50	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ3	♠ 975		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ K1095	♥ A72	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J1032	♦ KQ98	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A9	♣ K72				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 51	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ6	♠ 973				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ K65	♥ Q94	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 73	♦ QJ8	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ K10754	♣ AQJ9				
Contract: 3♣ S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 52	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ104	♠ K2		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ5	♥ 872	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 862	♦ KQ53	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 42	♣ A1086				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 53	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J4	♠ A732				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 85	♥ A1094	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ J532	♦ AQ8	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQ73	♣ 65				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 54	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ3	♠ A2		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ84	♥ 65	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 19	♦ A6	♦ 832	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ7	♣ AQ9843	Pass	5♣	AP	
Contract: 5♣ N						

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 55	♠ 985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ A964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ764	

Board: 56	♠ J83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q62	
Vul: None	♦ A63	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ83	

Board: 57	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 863	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J98	

Board: 58	♠ KJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: None	♦ A865	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K103	

Board: 59	♠ A104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J105	
Vul: NS	♦ K652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A84	



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 55	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J983	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ107	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A53	

Board: 56	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: None	♦ 10542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ642	

Board: 57	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ10	
Vul: NS	♦ J98752	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A4	

Board: 58	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J107	
Vul: None	♦ K1092	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A982	

Board: 59	♠ 63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A82	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ87	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q76	





## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 60	♠ A92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J73	
Vul: Both	♦ A732	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ4	

Board: 61	♠ 1092	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ1042	

Board: 62	♠ K83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ54	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ87	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 54	

Board: 63	♠ K103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K74	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J8	

Board: 64	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1043	
Vul: None	♦ QJ83	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ10	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 60	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A92	♠ 73		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J73	♥ A98	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A732	♦ KJ105	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ4	♣ A1086	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 61	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1092	♠ AQ5				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q2	♥ KJ7	Pass	3♣	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ5	♦ 962				
South HCP: 14	♣ KQ1042	♣ A863				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 62	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K83	♠ J6		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AQ54	♥ J73	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ KQ87	♦ A1092	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 54	♣ AQ106	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 63	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K103	♠ A86				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K74	♥ 1082	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ432	♦ AJ85	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J8	♣ KQ3	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 64	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ QJ5		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J1043	♥ A2	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ83	♦ A10964	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQ10	♣ 952	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 60	♠ 73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A98	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1086	

Board: 61	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ7	
Vul: NS	♦ 962	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A863	

Board: 62	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J73	
Vul: EW	♦ A1092	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ106	

Board: 63	♠ A86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1082	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ85	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ3	

Board: 64	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: None	♦ A10964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 952	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 60	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A92	♠ 73		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J73	♥ A98	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A732	♦ KJ105	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ4	♣ A1086	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 61	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1092	♠ AQ5				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q2	♥ KJ7	Pass	3♣	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ5	♦ 962				
South HCP: 14	♣ KQ1042	♣ A863				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 62	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K83	♠ J6		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AQ54	♥ J73	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ KQ87	♦ A1092	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 54	♣ AQ106	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 63	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K103	♠ A86				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K74	♥ 1082	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ432	♦ AJ85	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J8	♣ KQ3	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 64	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ QJ5		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J1043	♥ A2	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ83	♦ A10964	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQ10	♣ 952	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 65	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: EW	♦ 9853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ1098	

Board: 66	♠ AKJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 964	

Board: 67	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ6	
Vul: None	♦ 8643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q9753	

Board: 68	♠ AQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ87	
Vul: NS	♦ AK3	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 74	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 65

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ KQ10

♥ 9

♦ 9853

♣ AQ1098

South:

♠ 972

♥ AQ105

♦ AKQJ6

♣ 7

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>5</sup>

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 66

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AKJ4

♥ KJ9

♦ KQJ

♣ 964

South:

♠ 6

♥ 876

♦ A763

♣ A10873

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 67

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ A

♥ KQ6

♦ 8643

♣ Q9753

South:

♠ J962

♥ 10875

♦ AK102

♣ A

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 68

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQ74

♥ KQ87

♦ AK3

♣ 74

South:

♠ 103

♥ A63

♦ J965

♣ AQ103

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 65	♠ 972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ105	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 7	

Board: 66	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 876	
Vul: Both	♦ A763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A10873	

Board: 67	♠ J962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10875	
Vul: None	♦ AK102	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A	

Board: 68	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A63	
Vul: NS	♦ J965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ103	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 65  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 5♦ S

North:  
♠ KQ10  
♥ 9  
♦ 9853  
♣ AQ1098

South:  
♠ 972  
♥ AQ105  
♦ AKQJ6  
♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♦ <sup>5</sup>	AP	

1. Inverted minors
2. Splinter
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
5. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 66  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 8  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AKJ4  
♥ KJ9  
♦ KQJ  
♣ 964

South:  
♠ 6  
♥ 876  
♦ A763  
♣ A10873

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

Board: 67  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 2N S

North:  
♠ A  
♥ KQ6  
♦ 8643  
♣ Q9753

South:  
♠ J962  
♥ 10875  
♦ AK102  
♣ A

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

Board: 68  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 11  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AQ74  
♥ KQ87  
♦ AK3  
♣ 74

South:  
♠ 103  
♥ A63  
♦ J965  
♣ AQ103

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 69	♠ Q87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ9732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 832	
Board: 70	♠ AK4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ86	
Vul: EW	♦ J975	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 72	
Board: 71	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 864	
Vul: None	♦ AK73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ53	
Board: 72	♠ QJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ1082	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 69

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ Q87

♥ —

♦ AKQ9732

♣ 832

South:

♠ A6

♥ AKQ7

♦ J1084

♣ KQ6

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>5</sup>

Pass 7♦ AP

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 70

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ AK4

♥ AQ86

♦ J975

♣ 72

South:

♠ J3

♥ 3

♦ AK1043

♣ 98643

West North East South

1♦ Pass 3♦

AP

Board: 71

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 103

♥ 864

♦ AK73

♣ AJ53

South:

♠ Q974

♥ AKQ9

♦ 986

♣ K8

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 72

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 10

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ QJ8

♥ AQJ10

♦ KJ1082

♣ J

South:

♠ A104

♥ 6

♦ AQ64

♣ 97432

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 69	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ7	
Vul: Both	♦ J1084	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ6	

Board: 70	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: EW	♦ AK1043	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 98643	

Board: 71	♠ Q974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: None	♦ 986	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K8	

Board: 72	♠ A104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 97432	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 69

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ Q87

♥ —

♦ AKQ9732

♣ 832

South:

♠ A6

♥ AKQ7

♦ J1084

♣ KQ6

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>5</sup>

Pass 7♦ AP

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 70

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ AK4

♥ AQ86

♦ J975

♣ 72

South:

♠ J3

♥ 3

♦ AK1043

♣ 98643

West North East South

1♦ Pass 3♦

AP

Board: 71

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 103

♥ 864

♦ AK73

♣ AJ53

South:

♠ Q974

♥ AKQ9

♦ 986

♣ K8

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 72

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 10

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ QJ8

♥ AQJ10

♦ KJ1082

♣ J

South:

♠ A104

♥ 6

♦ AQ64

♣ 97432

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 73	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: Both	♦ A10965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ95	

Board: 74	♠ KJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8752	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A7	

Board: 75	♠ KJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J6	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ9643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 106	

Board: 76	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q104	
Vul: Both	♦ 9754	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ7	

Board: 77	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ Q532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ9643	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 73  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 5♦ S

North:  
 ♠ J6  
 ♥ 6  
 ♦ A10965  
 ♣ AQJ95

South:  
 ♠ KQ32  
 ♥ AQ104  
 ♦ K742  
 ♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♦	AP	

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

Board: 74  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 10  
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
 ♠ KJ102  
 ♥ 8752  
 ♦ KQ4  
 ♣ A7

South:  
 ♠ AQ3  
 ♥ 6  
 ♦ A10875  
 ♣ 9653

West	North	East	South
			1♦
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
AP			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 75  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
 ♠ KJ6  
 ♥ J6  
 ♦ AQ9643  
 ♣ 106

South:  
 ♠ AQ98  
 ♥ Q1043  
 ♦ K107  
 ♣ QJ

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 76  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 10  
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
 ♠ AK7  
 ♥ Q104  
 ♦ 9754  
 ♣ AJ7

South:  
 ♠ QJ  
 ♥ J2  
 ♦ AQ10863  
 ♣ 1098

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

Board: 77  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ 86  
 ♥ A  
 ♦ Q532  
 ♣ AQ9643

South:  
 ♠ AJ104  
 ♥ K63  
 ♦ J106  
 ♣ K82

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 73	♠ KQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ104	
Vul: Both	♦ K742	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 7	

Board: 74	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ A10875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 9653	

Board: 75	♠ AQ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1043	
Vul: EW	♦ K107	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ	

Board: 76	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J2	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ10863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 1098	

Board: 77	♠ AJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K63	
Vul: None	♦ J106	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K82	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 73  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 5♦ S

North:  
♠ J6  
♥ 6  
♦ A10965  
♣ AQJ95

South:  
♠ KQ32  
♥ AQ104  
♦ K742  
♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♦	AP	

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

Board: 74  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 10  
Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
♠ KJ102  
♥ 8752  
♦ KQ4  
♣ A7

South:  
♠ AQ3  
♥ 6  
♦ A10875  
♣ 9653

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
AP		Pass	3♦

1. Inverted minors

Board: 75  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
♠ KJ6  
♥ J6  
♦ AQ9643  
♣ 106

South:  
♠ AQ98  
♥ Q1043  
♦ K107  
♣ QJ

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 76  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 10  
Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
♠ AK7  
♥ Q104  
♦ 9754  
♣ AJ7

South:  
♠ QJ  
♥ J2  
♦ AQ10863  
♣ 1098

West	North	East	South
			1♦
AP		Pass	3♦

Board: 77  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
♠ 86  
♥ A  
♦ Q532  
♣ AQ9643

South:  
♠ AJ104  
♥ K63  
♦ J106  
♣ K82

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 78	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ82	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ10874	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Board: 79	♠ 976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK6	
Vul: Both	♦ 74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A10873	

Board: 80	♠ AK96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A83	
Vul: None	♦ AJ1087	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 9	

Board: 81	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q953	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 78  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 10  
Contract: 5♦ N

North:  
♠ 3  
♥ AKQ82  
♦ AJ10874  
♣ Q

South:  
♠ KQ9  
♥ 7  
♦ 6532  
♣ AJ1064

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>5</sup>
AP			
1. Inverted minors			
2. Splinter			
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
5. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 79  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ 976  
♥ AK6  
♦ 74  
♣ A10873

South:  
♠ K105  
♥ 9852  
♦ A109  
♣ KQJ

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 80  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 6♦ N

North:  
♠ AK96  
♥ A83  
♦ AJ1087  
♣ 9

South:  
♠ 1042  
♥ K  
♦ Q96543  
♣ AK8

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦	AP	
1. Inverted minors			
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
4. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 81  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 10  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
♠ QJ4  
♥ 8  
♦ KQ654  
♣ Q953

South:  
♠ K863  
♥ AJ93  
♦ A1098  
♣ J

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	AP	
1. Inverted minors			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 78	♠ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: EW	♦ 6532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ1064	

Board: 79	♠ K105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9852	
Vul: Both	♦ A109	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ	

Board: 80	♠ 1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ Q96543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK8	

Board: 81	♠ K863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ93	
Vul: NS	♦ A1098	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 78  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 10  
Contract: 5♦ N

North:  
♠ 3  
♥ AKQ82  
♦ AJ10874  
♣ Q

South:  
♠ KQ9  
♥ 7  
♦ 6532  
♣ AJ1064

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>5</sup>
AP			
1. Inverted minors			
2. Splinter			
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
5. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 79  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ 976  
♥ AK6  
♦ 74  
♣ A10873

South:  
♠ K105  
♥ 9852  
♦ A109  
♣ KQJ

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 80  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 6♦ N

North:  
♠ AK96  
♥ A83  
♦ AJ1087  
♣ 9

South:  
♠ 1042  
♥ K  
♦ Q96543  
♣ AK8

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦	AP	
1. Inverted minors			
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
4. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 81  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 10  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
♠ QJ4  
♥ 8  
♦ KQ654  
♣ Q953

South:  
♠ K863  
♥ AJ93  
♦ A1098  
♣ J

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	AP	
1. Inverted minors			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 82	♠ KQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K64	
Vul: Both	♦ K103	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK7	

Board: 83	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A98	
Vul: None	♦ J1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K1054	

Board: 84	♠ AQ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ63	
Vul: NS	♦ A1096	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 7	

Board: 85	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ6	
Vul: None	♦ K982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q1043	

Board: 86	♠ A93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 962	
Vul: NS	♦ A92	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A953	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 82	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ105	♠ 82		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K64	♥ A	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ K103	♦ AQJ52	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AK7	♣ 109843				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 83	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K8	♠ AQ63				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A98	♥ KJ105	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 11	♦ J1084	♦ KQ763	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 15	♣ K1054	♣ —	Pass	5♦ <sup>5</sup>	AP	
Contract: 5♦ S						1. Inverted minors
						2. Splinter
						3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
						4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
						5. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 84	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ94	♠ 106		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ QJ63	♥ A72	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A1096	♦ J872	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 7	♣ AK98				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 85	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q6	♠ A83				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AJ6	♥ Q1098	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ K982	♦ AJ107	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q1043	♣ J5				
Contract: 2N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 86	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A93	♠ QJ10		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ 962	♥ J43	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ A92	♦ K7	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A953	♣ KQ872				
Contract: 3♣ N						1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 82	♠ 82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 109843	

Board: 83	♠ AQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ105	
Vul: None	♦ KQ763	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 84	♠ 106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A72	
Vul: NS	♦ J872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK98	

Board: 85	♠ A83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1098	
Vul: None	♦ AJ107	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J5	

Board: 86	♠ QJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J43	
Vul: NS	♦ K7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ872	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 82	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ105	♠ 82		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ K64	♥ A	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ K103	♦ AQJ52	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AK7	♣ 109843				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 83	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K8	♠ AQ63				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A98	♥ KJ105	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 11	♦ J1084	♦ KQ763	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 15	♣ K1054	♣ —	Pass	5♦ <sup>5</sup>	AP	
Contract: 5♦ S						1. Inverted minors
						2. Splinter
						3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
						4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
						5. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 84	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ94	♠ 106		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ QJ63	♥ A72	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A1096	♦ J872	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 7	♣ AK98				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 85	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q6	♠ A83				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AJ6	♥ Q1098	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ K982	♦ AJ107	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q1043	♣ J5				
Contract: 2N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 86	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A93	♠ QJ10		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ 962	♥ J43	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ A92	♦ K7	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A953	♣ KQ872				
Contract: 3♣ N						1. Inverted minors



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 87	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ K875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ1093	

Board: 88	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ107	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q865	

Board: 89	♠ K72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J9	
Vul: None	♦ AK64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 9764	

Board: 90	♠ KJ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A103	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ543	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 8	

Board: 91	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: Both	♦ 87532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A985	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 87	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7	♠ QJ86				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ QJ5	♥ K1062	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ K875	♦ AQ	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ1093	♣ J75	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 88	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ2	♠ 864				
Vul: Both	♥ KJ	♥ A74		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ107	♦ KJ62	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q865	♣ A92	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 89	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K72	♠ QJ109				1♦
Vul: None	♥ J9	♥ KQ85	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AK64	♦ Q98	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 9764	♣ Q8	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 90	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ92	♠ Q108		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ A103	♥ 52	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ543	♦ A1072	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 8	♣ AJ63	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 91	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K9	♠ J753				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A8	♥ K53	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ 87532	♦ AK96	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A985	♣ K10	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 87	♠ QJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1062	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J75	

Board: 88	♠ 864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A74	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A92	

Board: 89	♠ QJ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ85	
Vul: None	♦ Q98	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q8	

Board: 90	♠ Q108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 52	
Vul: EW	♦ A1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ63	

Board: 91	♠ J753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K53	
Vul: Both	♦ AK96	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K10	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 87	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7	♠ QJ86				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ QJ5	♥ K1062	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ K875	♦ AQ	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ1093	♣ J75	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 88	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ2	♠ 864				
Vul: Both	♥ KJ	♥ A74		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ107	♦ KJ62	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q865	♣ A92	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 89	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K72	♠ QJ109				1♦
Vul: None	♥ J9	♥ KQ85	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AK64	♦ Q98	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 9764	♣ Q8	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 90	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ92	♠ Q108		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ A103	♥ 52	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ543	♦ A1072	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 8	♣ AJ63	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 91	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K9	♠ J753				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A8	♥ K53	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ 87532	♦ AK96	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A985	♣ K10	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 92	♠ 932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A103	
Vul: None	♦ AJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A763	

Board: 93	♠ A32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 105	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J963	

Board: 94	♠ A1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ85	
Vul: None	♦ Q1063	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	

Board: 95	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 97	
Vul: NS	♦ J98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ1063	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 92  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
 ♠ 932  
 ♥ A103  
 ♦ AJ10  
 ♣ A763

South:  
 ♠ A8  
 ♥ J6  
 ♦ K632  
 ♣ KJ1084

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
AP			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 93  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ A32  
 ♥ 105  
 ♦ AQJ10  
 ♣ J963

South:  
 ♠ KJ96  
 ♥ AKQ7  
 ♦ 642  
 ♣ 108

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 94  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 16  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 6♦ N

North:  
 ♠ A1093  
 ♥ AQ85  
 ♦ Q1063  
 ♣ A

South:  
 ♠ —  
 ♥ 963  
 ♦ AK875  
 ♣ KQ532

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

1. Inverted minors  
 2. Splinter  
 3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
 4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper  
 5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦  
 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 95  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ K6  
 ♥ 97  
 ♦ J98  
 ♣ AQJ1063

South:  
 ♠ Q1043  
 ♥ AK104  
 ♦ A5  
 ♣ 952

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 92	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J6	
Vul: None	♦ K632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ1084	

Board: 93	♠ KJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ7	
Vul: NS	♦ 642	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 108	

Board: 94	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 963	
Vul: None	♦ AK875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ532	

Board: 95	♠ Q1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK104	
Vul: NS	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 952	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 92  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
 ♠ 932  
 ♥ A103  
 ♦ AJ10  
 ♣ A763

South:  
 ♠ A8  
 ♥ J6  
 ♦ K632  
 ♣ KJ1084

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
AP			
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 93  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ A32  
 ♥ 105  
 ♦ AQJ10  
 ♣ J963

South:  
 ♠ KJ96  
 ♥ AKQ7  
 ♦ 642  
 ♣ 108

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 94  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 16  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 6♦ N

North:  
 ♠ A1093  
 ♥ AQ85  
 ♦ Q1063  
 ♣ A

South:  
 ♠ —  
 ♥ 963  
 ♦ AK875  
 ♣ KQ532

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6♦	AP	
1. Inverted minors			
2. Splinter			
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0			

Board: 95  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ K6  
 ♥ 97  
 ♦ J98  
 ♣ AQJ1063

South:  
 ♠ Q1043  
 ♥ AK104  
 ♦ A5  
 ♣ 952

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣	AP	
1. Inverted minors			



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 96	♠ A104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1054	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 752	

Board: 97	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1094	
Vul: None	♦ KQ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q10843	

Board: 98	♠ KJ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A93	
Vul: NS	♦ A54	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1054	

Board: 99	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1043	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J874	

Board: 100	♠ K103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ82	
Vul: NS	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q764	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 96	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A104	♠ K7		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ A1054	♥ J3	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ KQJ	♦ 6432	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 752	♣ AK1098	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 97	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AK108				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 1094	♥ A752	Pass	3♣	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ KQ94	♦ 7				
South HCP: 15	♣ Q10843	♣ A965				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 98	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ42	♠ 107		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ A93	♥ KQ8	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ A54	♦ J2	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 1054	♣ KQ8632	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 99	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 6	♠ AKQ				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 1043	♥ AQJ6	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ AKJ97	♦ 10643				
South HCP: 18	♣ J874	♣ Q2				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 100	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K103	♠ AQ		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ KJ82	♥ 106	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A10	♦ K865	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q764	♣ K10932	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 96	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J3	
Vul: EW	♦ 6432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK1098	

Board: 97	♠ AK108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A752	
Vul: None	♦ 7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A965	

Board: 98	♠ 107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ8	
Vul: NS	♦ J2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ8632	

Board: 99	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ6	
Vul: Both	♦ 10643	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q2	

Board: 100	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 106	
Vul: NS	♦ K865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K10932	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 96	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A104	♠ K7		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ A1054	♥ J3	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ KQJ	♦ 6432	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 752	♣ AK1098	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 97	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AK108				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 1094	♥ A752	Pass	3♣	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ KQ94	♦ 7				
South HCP: 15	♣ Q10843	♣ A965				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 98	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ42	♠ 107		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ A93	♥ KQ8	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ A54	♦ J2	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 1054	♣ KQ8632	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 99	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 6	♠ AKQ				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 1043	♥ AQJ6	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ AKJ97	♦ 10643				
South HCP: 18	♣ J874	♣ Q2				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 100	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K103	♠ AQ		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ KJ82	♥ 106	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A10	♦ K865	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q764	♣ K10932	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 101	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J95	
Vul: EW	♦ 9652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AKJ52	

Board: 102	♠ AK65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q109	
Vul: Both	♦ 10832	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A5	

Board: 103	♠ Q82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ K982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ QJ942	

Board: 104	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K94	
Vul: NS	♦ 863	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A982	

Board: 105	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: None	♦ AQ9543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q543	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 101	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ KQ96				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ J95	♥ KQ82	Pass	3♦	Pass	5♦
North HCP: 10	♦ 9652	♦ KJ843	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AKJ52	♣ —				
Contract: 5♦ S						

Board: 102	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK65	♠ 432		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ Q109	♥ K84	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 10832	♦ KJ97	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A5	♣ KQ9				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 103	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q82	♠ 93				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 10	♥ A864	Pass	3♣	AP	
North HCP: 8	♦ K982	♦ QJ10				
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ942	♣ AK65				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 104	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ4	♠ 876		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ K94	♥ 73	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 863	♦ AKQ	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A982	♣ QJ763				
Contract: 3♣ N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 105	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 4	♠ AQ108				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 96	♥ AKQ2	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 8	♦ AQ9543	♦ 10862				
South HCP: 19	♣ Q543	♣ A				
Contract: 3♦ S						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 101	♠ KQ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ82	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ843	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 102	♠ 432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K84	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ9	

Board: 103	♠ 93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A864	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK65	

Board: 104	♠ 876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 73	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ763	

Board: 105	♠ AQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ2	
Vul: None	♦ 10862	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 101	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ KQ96				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ J95	♥ KQ82	Pass	3♦	Pass	5♦
North HCP: 10	♦ 9652	♦ KJ843	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AKJ52	♣ —				
Contract: 5♦ S						

Board: 102	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK65	♠ 432		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ Q109	♥ K84	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 10832	♦ KJ97	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A5	♣ KQ9				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 103	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q82	♠ 93				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 10	♥ A864	Pass	3♣	AP	
North HCP: 8	♦ K982	♦ QJ10				
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ942	♣ AK65				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 104	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ4	♠ 876		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ K94	♥ 73	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 863	♦ AKQ	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A982	♣ QJ763				
Contract: 3♣ N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 105	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 4	♠ AQ108				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 96	♥ AKQ2	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 8	♦ AQ9543	♦ 10862				
South HCP: 19	♣ Q543	♣ A				
Contract: 3♦ S						



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 106	♠ J72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: NS	♦ AK985	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ62	

Board: 107	♠ J93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ AK32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K7632	

Board: 108	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J8	
Vul: None	♦ QJ8632	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK9	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 106

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ J72

♥ 7

♦ AK985

♣ KQ62

South:

♠ K104

♥ A86

♦ 107432

♣ A4

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 107

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ J93

♥ 10

♦ AK32

♣ K7632

South:

♠ A864

♥ AQ62

♦ —

♣ QJ984

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 108

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ A10

♥ J8

♦ QJ8632

♣ AK9

South:

♠ 975

♥ A72

♦ AK95

♣ J107

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 106	♠ K104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A86	
Vul: NS	♦ 107432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A4	

Board: 107	♠ A864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ62	
Vul: EW	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ984	

Board: 108	♠ 975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A72	
Vul: None	♦ AK95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J107	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 106

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ J72

♥ 7

♦ AK985

♣ KQ62

South:

♠ K104

♥ A86

♦ 107432

♣ A4

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 107

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ J93

♥ 10

♦ AK32

♣ K7632

South:

♠ A864

♥ AQ62

♦ —

♣ QJ984

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 108

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ A10

♥ J8

♦ QJ8632

♣ AK9

South:

♠ 975

♥ A72

♦ AK95

♣ J107

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 109	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 109543	

Board: 110	♠ AQ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A1076	

Board: 111	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q73	
Vul: NS	♦ K1073	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ82	

Board: 112	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J943	
Vul: EW	♦ Q64	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A763	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 109

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ 4

♥ K6

♦ AKJ107

♣ 109543

South:

♠ AQ86

♥ AJ52

♦ 4

♣ AJ86

West	North	East	South
			1♣

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

1. Inverted minors

2. shortness

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 110

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ AQ82

♥ AQ

♦ QJ2

♣ A1076

South:

♠ K43

♥ 6

♦ K9

♣ KQ95432

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 111

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K3

♥ Q73

♦ K1073

♣ QJ82

South:

♠ AJ108

♥ K2

♦ AQJ2

♣ K95

West	North	East	South
			1♦

Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
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AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 112

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ AQ

♥ J943

♦ Q64

♣ A763

South:

♠ K106

♥ 8

♦ K1093

♣ J9854

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	3♣

AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 109	♠ AQ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ52	
Vul: NS	♦ 4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ86	

Board: 110	♠ K43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: EW	♦ K9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ95432	

Board: 111	♠ AJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K95	

Board: 112	♠ K106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: EW	♦ K1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J9854	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 109

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ 4

♥ K6

♦ AKJ107

♣ 109543

South:

♠ AQ86

♥ AJ52

♦ 4

♣ AJ86

West	North	East	South
			1♣

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

1. Inverted minors

2. shortness

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 110

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ AQ82

♥ AQ

♦ QJ2

♣ A1076

South:

♠ K43

♥ 6

♦ K9

♣ KQ95432

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 111

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K3

♥ Q73

♦ K1073

♣ QJ82

South:

♠ AJ108

♥ K2

♦ AQJ2

♣ K95

West	North	East	South
			1♦

Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
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AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 112

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ AQ

♥ J943

♦ Q64

♣ A763

South:

♠ K106

♥ 8

♦ K1093

♣ J9854

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	3♣

AP



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 113	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ9	
Vul: None	♦ 9763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ92	
Board: 114	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A107	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ10543	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J	
Board: 115	♠ A93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 105	
Vul: Both	♦ A105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10965	
Board: 116	♠ AK86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K43	
Vul: None	♦ K964	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 53	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 113  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ Q6  
♥ KJ9  
♦ 9763  
♣ AJ92

South:  
♠ KJ82  
♥ 10  
♦ KQJ8  
♣ K873

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Inverted minors			
2. shortness			

Board: 114  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 6♦ N

North:  
♠ AJ2  
♥ A107  
♦ KQ10543  
♣ J

South:  
♠ 108  
♥ K93  
♦ AJ98  
♣ A1042

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦	AP	
1. Inverted minors			
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0			

Board: 115  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♣ S

North:  
♠ A93  
♥ 105  
♦ A105  
♣ A10965

South:  
♠ 7  
♥ A63  
♦ KQJ2  
♣ KJ742

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♣	AP	
1. Inverted minors			
2. shortness			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 116  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
♠ AK86  
♥ K43  
♦ K964  
♣ 53

South:  
♠ 104  
♥ 752  
♦ A532  
♣ AKJ9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
AP			
1. Inverted minors			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 113	♠ KJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K873	

Board: 114	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K93	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1042	

Board: 115	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A63	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ742	

Board: 116	♠ 104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 752	
Vul: None	♦ A532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ9	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 113  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ Q6  
♥ KJ9  
♦ 9763  
♣ AJ92

South:  
♠ KJ82  
♥ 10  
♦ KQJ8  
♣ K873

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Inverted minors			
2. shortness			

Board: 114  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 6♦ N

North:  
♠ AJ2  
♥ A107  
♦ KQ10543  
♣ J

South:  
♠ 108  
♥ K93  
♦ AJ98  
♣ A1042

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦	AP	
1. Inverted minors			
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0			

Board: 115  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♣ S

North:  
♠ A93  
♥ 105  
♦ A105  
♣ A10965

South:  
♠ 7  
♥ A63  
♦ KQJ2  
♣ KJ742

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♣	AP	
1. Inverted minors			
2. shortness			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 116  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
♠ AK86  
♥ K43  
♦ K964  
♣ 53

South:  
♠ 104  
♥ 752  
♦ A532  
♣ AKJ9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
AP			
1. Inverted minors			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 117	♠ 1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K97	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1085	

Board: 118	♠ AJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK94	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K82	

Board: 119	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ4	
Vul: None	♦ QJ42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K1065	

Board: 120	♠ A953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9	
Vul: NS	♦ J85	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K102	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 117

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ 1065

♥ K97

♦ AKQ4

♣ 1085

South:

♠ K9

♥ A852

♦ J652

♣ A42

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 118

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ AJ43

♥ AK94

♦ QJ

♣ K82

South:

♠ K7

♥ 3

♦ A8652

♣ A10973

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 119

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ J2

♥ KJ4

♦ QJ42

♣ K1065

South:

♠ AKQ5

♥ 93

♦ A973

♣ AQ8

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 120

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A953

♥ AQ9

♦ J85

♣ K102

South:

♠ QJ8

♥ J76

♦ KQ

♣ QJ874

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 117	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A852	
Vul: NS	♦ J652	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A42	

Board: 118	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ A8652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A10973	

Board: 119	♠ AKQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 93	
Vul: None	♦ A973	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ8	

Board: 120	♠ QJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J76	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ874	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 117

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ 1065

♥ K97

♦ AKQ4

♣ 1085

South:

♠ K9

♥ A852

♦ J652

♣ A42

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 118

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ AJ43

♥ AK94

♦ QJ

♣ K82

South:

♠ K7

♥ 3

♦ A8652

♣ A10973

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 119

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ J2

♥ KJ4

♦ QJ42

♣ K1065

South:

♠ AKQ5

♥ 93

♦ A973

♣ AQ8

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 120

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A953

♥ AQ9

♦ J85

♣ K102

South:

♠ QJ8

♥ J76

♦ KQ

♣ QJ874

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 121	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ8752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J732	

Board: 122	♠ A72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 832	
Vul: NS	♦ AK74	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K85	

Board: 123	♠ 1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQ974	

Board: 124	♠ AK83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ93	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 972	

Board: 125	♠ J32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A92	

Board: 121	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ K543				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A5	♥ K872	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ8752	♦ Q109				
South HCP: 13	♣ J732	♣ KQ				
Contract: 3♦ S						
Board: 122	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A72	♠ KQ4		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ 832	♥ AK6	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AK74	♦ 6532	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K85	♣ 1096				
Contract: 3N S						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 123	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1086	♠ AQ92				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 7	♥ AK63	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 10	♦ KJ95	♦ Q4	Pass	6♣	AP	
South HCP: 19	♣ AQ974	♣ KJ8				
Contract: 6♣ S						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 124	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK83	♠ QJ5		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ KQ	♥ 82	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ93	♦ K10852				
South HCP: 11	♣ 972	♣ KQ5				
Contract: 3N N						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 125	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J32	♠ Q54				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ Q63	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ642	♦ AQ109	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A92	♣ QJ10				
Contract: 3N N						
			1. Inverted minors			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 121	♠ K543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K872	
Vul: EW	♦ Q109	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ	

Board: 122	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK6	
Vul: NS	♦ 6532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1096	

Board: 123	♠ AQ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK63	
Vul: Both	♦ Q4	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KJ8	

Board: 124	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	
Vul: NS	♦ K10852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ5	

Board: 125	♠ Q54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q63	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ109	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ10	

Board: 121	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ K543				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A5	♥ K872	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ8752	♦ Q109				
South HCP: 13	♣ J732	♣ KQ				
Contract: 3♦ S						
Board: 122	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A72	♠ KQ4		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ 832	♥ AK6	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AK74	♦ 6532	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K85	♣ 1096				
Contract: 3N S						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 123	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1086	♠ AQ92				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 7	♥ AK63	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 10	♦ KJ95	♦ Q4	Pass	6♣	AP	
South HCP: 19	♣ AQ974	♣ KJ8				
Contract: 6♣ S						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 124	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK83	♠ QJ5		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ KQ	♥ 82	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ93	♦ K10852				
South HCP: 11	♣ 972	♣ KQ5				
Contract: 3N N						
			1. Inverted minors			
Board: 125	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J32	♠ Q54				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ Q63	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ642	♦ AQ109	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A92	♣ QJ10				
Contract: 3N N						
			1. Inverted minors			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 126	♠ KJ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A93	
Vul: None	♦ A54	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J105	

Board: 127	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K98	
Vul: Both	♦ AK1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 932	

Board: 128	♠ AK64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ109	
Vul: None	♦ QJ106	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 8	

Board: 129	♠ 63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q62	
Vul: NS	♦ A865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ74	

Board: 130	♠ KQ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ76	
Vul: Both	♦ A103	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A9	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 126  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 10  
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
 ♠ KJ107  
 ♥ A93  
 ♦ A54  
 ♣ J105

South:  
 ♠ Q  
 ♥ Q2  
 ♦ Q987  
 ♣ A98743

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	3♣
AP			

Board: 127  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 6♦ S

North:  
 ♠ J5  
 ♥ K98  
 ♦ AK1052  
 ♣ 932

South:  
 ♠ A632  
 ♥ AQ53  
 ♦ Q93  
 ♣ AQ

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	6♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 128  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 16  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 5♦ N

North:  
 ♠ AK64  
 ♥ AQ109  
 ♦ QJ106  
 ♣ 8

South:  
 ♠ Q108  
 ♥ 6  
 ♦ 8543  
 ♣ AKQJ10

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
AP			

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

Board: 129  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
 ♠ 63  
 ♥ Q62  
 ♦ A865  
 ♣ AJ74

South:  
 ♠ KQ85  
 ♥ K109  
 ♦ KQ103  
 ♣ 85

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
AP			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 130

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ KQ86

♥ KQ76

♦ A103

♣ A9

South:

♠ A7

♥ A9

♦ QJ9654

♣ 642

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5♦	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 126	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: None	♦ Q987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A98743	

Board: 127	♠ A632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ53	
Vul: Both	♦ Q93	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ	

Board: 128	♠ Q108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: None	♦ 8543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQJ10	

Board: 129	♠ KQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K109	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ103	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 85	

Board: 130	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ9654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 642	



# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 126  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 10  
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
 ♠ KJ107  
 ♥ A93  
 ♦ A54  
 ♣ J105

South:  
 ♠ Q  
 ♥ Q2  
 ♦ Q987  
 ♣ A98743

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	3♣
AP			

Board: 127  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 6♦ S

North:  
 ♠ J5  
 ♥ K98  
 ♦ AK1052  
 ♣ 932

South:  
 ♠ A632  
 ♥ AQ53  
 ♦ Q93  
 ♣ AQ

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	6♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 128  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 16  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 5♦ N

North:  
 ♠ AK64  
 ♥ AQ109  
 ♦ QJ106  
 ♣ 8

South:  
 ♠ Q108  
 ♥ 6  
 ♦ 8543  
 ♣ AKQJ10

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
AP			

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

Board: 129  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
 ♠ 63  
 ♥ Q62  
 ♦ A865  
 ♣ AJ74

South:  
 ♠ KQ85  
 ♥ K109  
 ♦ KQ103  
 ♣ 85

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
AP			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 130

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ KQ86

♥ KQ76

♦ A103

♣ A9

South:

♠ A7

♥ A9

♦ QJ9654

♣ 642

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5♦	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 131	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 53	
Vul: NS	♦ AK43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10873	

Board: 132	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A43	
Vul: None	♦ Q8642	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J3	

Board: 133	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K92	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A10753	

Board: 134	♠ K1092	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 98	
Vul: EW	♦ AK73	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q62	

Board: 135	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J109	
Vul: Both	♦ K72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ32	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 131	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J4	♠ AQ5				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 53	♥ A974	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AK43	♦ J5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A10873	♣ K965	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 132	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK8	♠ Q2		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A43	♥ Q10	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q8642	♦ J1095	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J3	♣ AK742	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 133	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 6	♠ KJ32				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ K92	♥ Q1053	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ73	♦ A6	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A10753	♣ K84	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 134	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1092	♠ 75		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ 98	♥ AQ4	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AK73	♦ Q542	1. Inverted minors			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q62	♣ A1094				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 135	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J10	♠ A642				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ J109	♥ A75	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ K72	♦ J93	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQJ32	♣ K95	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 131	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A974	
Vul: NS	♦ J5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K965	

Board: 132	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10	
Vul: None	♦ J1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK742	

Board: 133	♠ KJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1053	
Vul: NS	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K84	

Board: 134	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ4	
Vul: EW	♦ Q542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1094	

Board: 135	♠ A642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A75	
Vul: Both	♦ J93	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K95	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 131	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J4	♠ AQ5				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 53	♥ A974	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AK43	♦ J5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A10873	♣ K965				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 132	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK8	♠ Q2		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A43	♥ Q10	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q8642	♦ J1095	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J3	♣ AK742				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 133	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 6	♠ KJ32				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ K92	♥ Q1053	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ73	♦ A6	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A10753	♣ K84				
Contract: 3♣ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 134	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1092	♠ 75		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ 98	♥ AQ4	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AK73	♦ Q542				
South HCP: 12	♣ Q62	♣ A1094				
Contract: 2N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 135	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J10	♠ A642				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ J109	♥ A75	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ K72	♦ J93	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQJ32	♣ K95				
Contract: 3♣ S			1. Inverted minors			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 136	♠ K954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1092	
Vul: NS	♦ K95	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K10	

Board: 137	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: EW	♦ A654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ1065	

Board: 138	♠ K94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ87	
Vul: Both	♦ A7653	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K	

Board: 139	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 942	
Vul: EW	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AKJ932	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 136

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ K954

♥ K1092

♦ K95

♣ K10

South:

♠ 72

♥ J4

♦ AJ8643

♣ A64

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	3♦
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AP

Board: 137

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 65

♥ Q2

♦ A654

♣ AQ1065

South:

♠ AK82

♥ A96

♦ QJ2

♣ 873

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3♣	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

Board: 138

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K94

♥ KQ87

♦ A7653

♣ K

South:

♠ A

♥ 942

♦ KJ92

♣ A9754

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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AP

1. Inverted minors

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4♣	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣ <sup>5</sup>
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AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. no ♣ queen

Board: 139

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ 102

♥ 942

♦ K4

♣ AKJ932

South:

♠ AQ65

♥ AQ3

♦ AQ8

♣ 865



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 136	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J4	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ8643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A64	

Board: 137	♠ AK82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A96	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 873	

Board: 138	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 942	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A9754	

Board: 139	♠ AQ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ3	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 865	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 136

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ K954

♥ K1092

♦ K95

♣ K10

South:

♠ 72

♥ J4

♦ AJ8643

♣ A64

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	3♦
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AP

Board: 137

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 65

♥ Q2

♦ A654

♣ AQ1065

South:

♠ AK82

♥ A96

♦ QJ2

♣ 873

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3♣	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

Board: 138

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K94

♥ KQ87

♦ A7653

♣ K

South:

♠ A

♥ 942

♦ KJ92

♣ A9754

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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AP

1. Inverted minors

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4♣	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣ <sup>5</sup>
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AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. no ♣ queen

Board: 139

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ 102

♥ 942

♦ K4

♣ AKJ932

South:

♠ AQ65

♥ AQ3

♦ AQ8

♣ 865

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 140	♠ 843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ943	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ2	

Board: 141	♠ K92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J42	
Vul: None	♦ AQ86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q65	

Board: 142	♠ J103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ J96	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ8	

Board: 143	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q52	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q964	

Board: 144	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5432	
Vul: None	♦ KQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K73	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 140	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 843	♠ QJ2		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A3	♥ Q8	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ943	♦ AK107	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ2	♣ 9874	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 141	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K92	♠ 10843				1♦
Vul: None	♥ J42	♥ AK107	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ86	♦ K97	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q65	♣ A7	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 142	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J103	♠ Q62				
Vul: NS	♥ AQJ10	♥ 9		1♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ J96	♦ KQ83	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ KJ8	♣ Q7542				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 143	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8	♠ KQ3				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q52	♥ KJ7	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ87	♦ Q1063	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q964	♣ K87	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 144	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ2	♠ 54		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 5432	♥ J97	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ4	♦ A53	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ K73	♣ AQ1052	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 140	♠ QJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: Both	♦ AK107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 9874	

Board: 141	♠ 10843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK107	
Vul: None	♦ K97	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A7	

Board: 142	♠ Q62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q7542	

Board: 143	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1063	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K87	

Board: 144	♠ 54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J97	
Vul: None	♦ A53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ1052	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 140	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 843	♠ QJ2		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A3	♥ Q8	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ943	♦ AK107	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ2	♣ 9874	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 141	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K92	♠ 10843				1♦
Vul: None	♥ J42	♥ AK107	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ86	♦ K97	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q65	♣ A7	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 142	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J103	♠ Q62				
Vul: NS	♥ AQJ10	♥ 9		1♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ J96	♦ KQ83	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ KJ8	♣ Q7542				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 143	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8	♠ KQ3				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q52	♥ KJ7	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ87	♦ Q1063	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q964	♣ K87	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 144	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ2	♠ 54		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 5432	♥ J97	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ4	♦ A53	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ K73	♣ AQ1052	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 145	♠ K3	West Doubles 6♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ1075	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1086	
Board: 146	♠ KJ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: EW	♦ K952	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J73	
Board: 147	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 72	
Vul: None	♦ A972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q732	
Board: 148	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ108	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A108	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 145  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6♦ X S

North:  
♠ K3  
♥ QJ6  
♦ AQ1075  
♣ 1086

South:  
♠ AQ87  
♥ A54  
♦ KJ963  
♣ K

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♦
X	AP		

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 146  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ KJ65  
♥ KQ  
♦ K952  
♣ J73

South:  
♠ Q93  
♥ 108  
♦ A1083  
♣ AQ85

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

Board: 147  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6♦ S

North:  
♠ AQ4  
♥ 72  
♦ A972  
♣ Q732

South:  
♠ K106  
♥ AQ8  
♦ QJ865  
♣ AK

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♦
	AP		

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 148  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 8  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KQ10  
♥ AJ108  
♦ AJ6  
♣ A108

South:  
♠ 63  
♥ 63  
♦ K75  
♣ KQ7542

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



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 145      ♠ AQ87  
Dealer: S        ♥ A54  
Vul: NS         ♦ KJ963  
HCP: 17         ♣ K

West Doubles 6♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 146      ♠ Q93  
Dealer: N        ♥ 108  
Vul: EW         ♦ A1083  
HCP: 12         ♣ AQ85

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 147      ♠ K106  
Dealer: S        ♥ AQ8  
Vul: None       ♦ QJ865  
HCP: 19         ♣ AK

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 148      ♠ 63  
Dealer: N        ♥ 63  
Vul: NS         ♦ K75  
HCP: 8          ♣ KQ7542

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 145  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6♦ X S

North:  
♠ K3  
♥ QJ6  
♦ AQ1075  
♣ 1086

South:  
♠ AQ87  
♥ A54  
♦ KJ963  
♣ K

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♦
X	AP		

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 146  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ KJ65  
♥ KQ  
♦ K952  
♣ J73

South:  
♠ Q93  
♥ 108  
♦ A1083  
♣ AQ85

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

Board: 147  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6♦ S

North:  
♠ AQ4  
♥ 72  
♦ A972  
♣ Q732

South:  
♠ K106  
♥ AQ8  
♦ QJ865  
♣ AK

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♦
	AP		

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 148  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 8  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KQ10  
♥ AJ108  
♦ AJ6  
♣ A108

South:  
♠ 63  
♥ 63  
♦ K75  
♣ KQ7542

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

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 149	♠ J86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A943	

Board: 150	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J104	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q87	

Board: 151	♠ A103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ K1085	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q9652	

Board: 152	♠ AQ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1052	
Vul: Both	♦ K108	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ2	

Board: 153	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ2	
Vul: None	♦ 109864	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q1082	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 149	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J86	♠ Q104				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 96	♥ AQ103	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQJ2	♦ K864	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A943	♣ Q7	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 150	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK8	♠ J		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J104	♥ K52	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AKQ7	♦ J652	Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ Q87	♣ AK1032	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 6♦ N			Pass	6♦	AP	
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
			4. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 151	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A103	♠ Q984				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ K42				
North HCP: 10	♦ K1085	♦ 93	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q9652	♣ AKJ3				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 152	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ106	♠ J5		1♣	Pass	2♠ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 1052	♥ AQ7	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ K108	♦ J53	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AJ2	♣ K10987	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 153	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ AQ84				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KQ2	♥ J953				
North HCP: 8	♦ 109864	♦ AK7	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q1082	♣ 94				
Contract: 3♦ S						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 149	♠ Q104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ103	
Vul: EW	♦ K864	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q7	

Board: 150	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K52	
Vul: Both	♦ J652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK1032	

Board: 151	♠ Q984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K42	
Vul: NS	♦ 93	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ3	

Board: 152	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ7	
Vul: Both	♦ J53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K10987	

Board: 153	♠ AQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J953	
Vul: None	♦ AK7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 94	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 149	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J86	♠ Q104				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 96	♥ AQ103	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQJ2	♦ K864	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A943	♣ Q7				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 150	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK8	♠ J		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J104	♥ K52	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AKQ7	♦ J652	Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ Q87	♣ AK1032	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 6♦ N			Pass	6♦	AP	
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
			4. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 151	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A103	♠ Q984				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ K42				
North HCP: 10	♦ K1085	♦ 93	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q9652	♣ AKJ3				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 152	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ106	♠ J5		1♣	Pass	2♠ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 1052	♥ AQ7	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ K108	♦ J53	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AJ2	♣ K10987				
Contract: 3♣ N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 153	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ AQ84				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KQ2	♥ J953				
North HCP: 8	♦ 109864	♦ AK7	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q1082	♣ 94				
Contract: 3♦ S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 154	♠ KJ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ64	
Vul: EW	♦ 1065	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K6	

Board: 155	♠ A83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ65	

Board: 156	♠ AQ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: None	♦ Q976	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1032	

Board: 157	♠ A86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 75	
Vul: NS	♦ Q876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ97	

Board: 158	♠ K632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 975	
Vul: None	♦ A109	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ2	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 154	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ107	♠ Q84		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ KQ64	♥ A95				
North HCP: 12	♦ 1065	♦ AQ73	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ K6	♣ 532				
Contract: 2N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 155	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A83	♠ 65				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 96	♥ AKJ7	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ64	♦ AJ1097	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ65	♣ 87				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 156	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ102	♠ 75		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A10	♥ KQJ				
North HCP: 12	♦ Q976	♦ 10842	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 1032	♣ KQ64				
Contract: 2N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 157	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A86	♠ KJ				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 75	♥ K1094	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ Q876	♦ J943	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ97	♣ AJ5				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 158	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K632	♠ J5		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 975	♥ K8	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ A109	♦ K874	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AQ2	♣ KJ1075				
Contract: 3♣ N						1. Inverted minors



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 154	♠ Q84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A95	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 532	

Board: 155	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ1097	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 87	

Board: 156	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ	
Vul: None	♦ 10842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ64	

Board: 157	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1094	
Vul: NS	♦ J943	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ5	

Board: 158	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: None	♦ K874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ1075	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 154	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ107	♠ Q84		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ KQ64	♥ A95				
North HCP: 12	♦ 1065	♦ AQ73	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ K6	♣ 532				
Contract: 2N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 155	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A83	♠ 65				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 96	♥ AKJ7	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ64	♦ AJ1097	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ65	♣ 87				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 156	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ102	♠ 75		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A10	♥ KQJ				
North HCP: 12	♦ Q976	♦ 10842	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 1032	♣ KQ64				
Contract: 2N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 157	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A86	♠ KJ				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 75	♥ K1094	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ Q876	♦ J943	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ97	♣ AJ5				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 158	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K632	♠ J5		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 975	♥ K8	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ A109	♦ K874	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AQ2	♣ KJ1075				
Contract: 3♣ N						1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 159	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ	
Vul: None	♦ Q1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 10763	

Board: 160	♠ K97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ97	
Vul: NS	♦ A75	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 642	

Board: 161	♠ K103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1076	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A7	

Board: 162	♠ J732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK63	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A983	

Board: 163	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 952	
Vul: NS	♦ A10963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q96	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 159	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J3	♠ KQ97				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AKQ	♥ 642	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ Q1083	♦ AKJ2	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 10763	♣ J2	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 160	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K97	♠ J10		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AQ97	♥ K3	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ A75	♦ KQ64	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 642	♣ K9753	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 161	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K103	♠ Q964				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 1076	♥ AQ83	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ743	♦ 1052	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A7	♣ KJ	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 162	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J732	♠ 85		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AK63	♥ J10	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 9	♦ AQ107	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A983	♣ KJ1072	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 163	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ	♠ K63				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 952	♥ J73	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ A10963	♦ Q872	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q96	♣ AK7	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 159	♠ KQ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 642	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J2	

Board: 160	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K3	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K9753	

Board: 161	♠ Q964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ83	
Vul: EW	♦ 1052	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ	

Board: 162	♠ 85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ1072	

Board: 163	♠ K63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J73	
Vul: NS	♦ Q872	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK7	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 159	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J3	♠ KQ97				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AKQ	♥ 642	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ Q1083	♦ AKJ2	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 10763	♣ J2	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 160	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K97	♠ J10		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AQ97	♥ K3	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ A75	♦ KQ64	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 642	♣ K9753	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 161	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K103	♠ Q964				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 1076	♥ AQ83	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ743	♦ 1052	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A7	♣ KJ	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 162	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J732	♠ 85		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AK63	♥ J10	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 9	♦ AQ107	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A983	♣ KJ1072	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 163	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ	♠ K63				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 952	♥ J73	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ A10963	♦ Q872	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q96	♣ AK7	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 164	♠ AJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K65	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 532	

Board: 165	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K92	
Vul: Both	♦ J10973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ4	

Board: 166	♠ AQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 63	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ52	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A54	

Board: 167	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ6	
Vul: Both	♦ J97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ82	

Board: 168	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 75	
Vul: None	♦ A1087	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQJ5	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 164	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ98	♠ 1072		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ K65	♥ A98	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ7	♦ 62	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 532	♣ AKJ94				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 165	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A3	♠ KQ9				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K92	♥ AJ8	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ J10973	♦ Q854	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ4	♣ 1075				
Contract: 3♦ S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 166	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ5	♠ 864		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ 63	♥ A74	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ QJ52	♦ AK73	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A54	♣ J72				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 167	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 75	♠ 864				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ QJ6	♥ AK93	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ J97	♦ K82	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AKJ82	♣ Q76				
Contract: 3♣ S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 168	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK5	♠ 643		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 75	♥ AKJ	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ A1087	♦ J432	Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ AQJ5	♣ K43	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 6♦ N			Pass	6♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=1/5 or 4/5



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 164	♠ 1072	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A98	
Vul: EW	♦ 62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ94	

Board: 165	♠ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ8	
Vul: Both	♦ Q854	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1075	

Board: 166	♠ 864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A74	
Vul: EW	♦ AK73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J72	

Board: 167	♠ 864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK93	
Vul: Both	♦ K82	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q76	

Board: 168	♠ 643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ	
Vul: None	♦ J432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K43	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 164	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ98	♠ 1072		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ K65	♥ A98	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ7	♦ 62	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 532	♣ AKJ94				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 165	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A3	♠ KQ9				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K92	♥ AJ8	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ J10973	♦ Q854	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ4	♣ 1075				
Contract: 3♦ S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 166	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ5	♠ 864		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ 63	♥ A74	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ QJ52	♦ AK73	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A54	♣ J72				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 167	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 75	♠ 864				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ QJ6	♥ AK93	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ J97	♦ K82	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AKJ82	♣ Q76				
Contract: 3♣ S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 168	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK5	♠ 643		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 75	♥ AKJ	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ A1087	♦ J432	Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ AQJ5	♣ K43	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 6♦ N			Pass	6♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 169	♠ K63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ J1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ87	

Board: 170	♠ J1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 85	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ95	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ2	

Board: 171	♠ 542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK8	
Vul: None	♦ Q865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K109	

Board: 172	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ 9642	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A42	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 169	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K63	♠ Q42				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J	♥ KQ97	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ J1086	♦ AQ973	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AQJ87	♣ K				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 170	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1043	♠ AK9		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ 85	♥ A6	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ95	♦ J643				
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ2	♣ 9843				
Contract: 2N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 171	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 542	♠ AKJ				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AK8	♥ 75	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ Q865	♦ AK942	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 19	♣ K109	♣ A74	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♦ S			Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♥
			Pass	6♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♦
			AP			
						1. Inverted minors
						2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
						3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
						4. A=1/5 or 4/5
						5. ♦ queen and ♣ king

Board: 172	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ Q87		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ KQJ3	♥ 1054	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 9642	♦ KQJ103	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A42	♣ K9				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 169	♠ Q42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ97	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ973	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 170	♠ AK9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A6	
Vul: EW	♦ J643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 9843	

Board: 171	♠ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 75	
Vul: None	♦ AK942	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A74	

Board: 172	♠ Q87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1054	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K9	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 169	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K63	♠ Q42				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J	♥ KQ97	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ J1086	♦ AQ973	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AQJ87	♣ K				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 170	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1043	♠ AK9		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ 85	♥ A6	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ95	♦ J643				
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ2	♣ 9843				
Contract: 2N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 171	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 542	♠ AKJ				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AK8	♥ 75	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ Q865	♦ AK942	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 19	♣ K109	♣ A74	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♦ S			Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♥
			Pass	6♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♦
			AP			
						1. Inverted minors
						2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
						3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
						4. A=1/5 or 4/5
						5. ♦ queen and ♣ king

Board: 172	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ Q87		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ KQJ3	♥ 1054	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 9642	♦ KQJ103	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A42	♣ K9				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 173	♠ Q32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 42	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ5	

Board: 174	♠ AQ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ73	
Vul: EW	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A76	

Board: 175	♠ 432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ KJ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ1052	

Board: 176	♠ AKQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A84	
Vul: EW	♦ 1097	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 875	

Board: 177	♠ 107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: Both	♦ Q7532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK75	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 173	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q32	♠ J1084				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 42	♥ AKQ8	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ Q1072	♦ A65	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQJ5	♣ 108				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 174	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ75	♠ KJ		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ KQ73	♥ A8	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ K8	♦ QJ6	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A76	♣ J109542				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 175	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 432	♠ J96				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A	♥ KJ92	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ64	♦ A53	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ1052	♣ A76				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 176	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ10	♠ 652		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ A84	♥ Q7	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 1097	♦ A65	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 875	♣ AQ1063				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 177	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 107	♠ KQ85				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K3	♥ A65	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ Q7532	♦ K1098	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AK75	♣ Q6				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 173	♠ J1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ8	
Vul: Both	♦ A65	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 108	

Board: 174	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J109542	

Board: 175	♠ J96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ92	
Vul: None	♦ A53	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A76	

Board: 176	♠ 652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: EW	♦ A65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ1063	

Board: 177	♠ KQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A65	
Vul: Both	♦ K1098	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q6	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 173	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q32	♠ J1084				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 42	♥ AKQ8	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ Q1072	♦ A65	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQJ5	♣ 108				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 174	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ75	♠ KJ		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ KQ73	♥ A8	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ K8	♦ QJ6	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A76	♣ J109542				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 175	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 432	♠ J96				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A	♥ KJ92	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ64	♦ A53	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ1052	♣ A76				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 176	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ10	♠ 652		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ A84	♥ Q7	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 1097	♦ A65	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 875	♣ AQ1063				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 177	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 107	♠ KQ85				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K3	♥ A65	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ Q7532	♦ K1098	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AK75	♣ Q6				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 178	♠ KJ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 98	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q62	

Board: 179	♠ 832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 943	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1098	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A3	

Board: 180	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ862	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q8	

Board: 181	♠ 985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 103	
Vul: None	♦ KJ1073	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ	

Board: 182	♠ A93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1064	
Vul: NS	♦ Q105	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ10	



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 178	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK2	
Vul: None	♦ K1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J1043	

Board: 179	♠ AK106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK105	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ J4	

Board: 180	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J76	
Vul: Both	♦ J1075	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK93	

Board: 181	♠ A732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K764	
Vul: None	♦ AQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 109	

Board: 182	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ7642	



## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 183	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: EW	♦ K10842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 98643	

Board: 184	♠ K1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1032	
Vul: None	♦ A92	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q8	

Board: 185	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J82	
Vul: NS	♦ J87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ543	

Board: 186	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q107	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A975	

Board: 187	♠ 1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ K943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A10842	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 183	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A6	♠ J102				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 9	♥ AKQ7	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 7	♦ K10842	♦ Q765	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ 98643	♣ AQ				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 184	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1093	♠ A6		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A1032	♥ K84	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A92	♦ 10875	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q8	♣ KJ93				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 185	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK	♠ Q762				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J82	♥ KQ	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ J87	♦ AQ10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ543	♣ 8762				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 186	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ 942		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ Q107	♥ K	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ94	♦ KQ75	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A975	♣ KJ1086				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 187	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1065	♠ AK2				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q	♥ KJ94	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ K943	♦ AQJ8				
South HCP: 18	♣ A10842	♣ 65				
Contract: 3♦ S						



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 183	♠ J102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ7	
Vul: EW	♦ Q765	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ	

Board: 184	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K84	
Vul: None	♦ 10875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ93	

Board: 185	♠ Q762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 8762	

Board: 186	♠ 942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ1086	

Board: 187	♠ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ94	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 65	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 183	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A6	♠ J102				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 9	♥ AKQ7	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 7	♦ K10842	♦ Q765	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ 98643	♣ AQ				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 184	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1093	♠ A6		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A1032	♥ K84	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A92	♦ 10875	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q8	♣ KJ93				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 185	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK	♠ Q762				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J82	♥ KQ	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ J87	♦ AQ10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ543	♣ 8762				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 186	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ 942		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ Q107	♥ K	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ94	♦ KQ75	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A975	♣ KJ1086				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 187	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1065	♠ AK2				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q	♥ KJ94	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ K943	♦ AQJ8				
South HCP: 18	♣ A10842	♣ 65				
Contract: 3♦ S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 188	♠ 9653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ2	
Vul: NS	♦ Q653	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A4	

Board: 189	♠ Q84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K75	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 64	

Board: 190	♠ Q976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A865	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J	

Board: 191	♠ 98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ	
Vul: EW	♦ 974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A10987	

Board: 192	♠ Q765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ105	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q4	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 188  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 2N N

North:  
 ♠ 9653  
 ♥ AQ2  
 ♦ Q653  
 ♣ A4

South:  
 ♠ A10  
 ♥ K6  
 ♦ A1097  
 ♣ J10973

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 189  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
 ♠ Q84  
 ♥ K75  
 ♦ AQ642  
 ♣ 64

South:  
 ♠ A762  
 ♥ AJ93  
 ♦ J103  
 ♣ A2

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 190  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 11  
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
 ♠ Q976  
 ♥ A865  
 ♦ KQJ3  
 ♣ J

South:  
 ♠ K2  
 ♥ Q10  
 ♦ A1052  
 ♣ Q10872

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♦
AP			

Board: 191  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ 98  
 ♥ AQJ  
 ♦ 974  
 ♣ A10987

South:  
 ♠ QJ5  
 ♥ K92  
 ♦ K63  
 ♣ KJ42

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 192  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 11  
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
 ♠ Q765  
 ♥ QJ105  
 ♦ KQ9  
 ♣ Q4

South:  
 ♠ K2  
 ♥ 432  
 ♦ J10854  
 ♣ AK9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
AP			

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 188	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: NS	♦ A1097	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J10973	

Board: 189	♠ A762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ93	
Vul: Both	♦ J103	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A2	

Board: 190	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10	
Vul: None	♦ A1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q10872	

Board: 191	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K92	
Vul: EW	♦ K63	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ42	

Board: 192	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 432	
Vul: Both	♦ J10854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK9	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 188  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 2N N

North:  
 ♠ 9653  
 ♥ AQ2  
 ♦ Q653  
 ♣ A4

South:  
 ♠ A10  
 ♥ K6  
 ♦ A1097  
 ♣ J10973

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 189  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
 ♠ Q84  
 ♥ K75  
 ♦ AQ642  
 ♣ 64

South:  
 ♠ A762  
 ♥ AJ93  
 ♦ J103  
 ♣ A2

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 190  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 11  
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
 ♠ Q976  
 ♥ A865  
 ♦ KQJ3  
 ♣ J

South:  
 ♠ K2  
 ♥ Q10  
 ♦ A1052  
 ♣ Q10872

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♦
AP			

Board: 191  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ 98  
 ♥ AQJ  
 ♦ 974  
 ♣ A10987

South:  
 ♠ QJ5  
 ♥ K92  
 ♦ K63  
 ♣ KJ42

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 192  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 11  
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
 ♠ Q765  
 ♥ QJ105  
 ♦ KQ9  
 ♣ Q4

South:  
 ♠ K2  
 ♥ 432  
 ♦ J10854  
 ♣ AK9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
AP			

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 193	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K73	
Vul: None	♦ K9732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 983	

Board: 194	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ105	
Vul: NS	♦ 8654	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A9	

Board: 195	♠ 975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ52	

Board: 196	♠ QJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ107	
Vul: None	♦ KQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 52	

Board: 197	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: NS	♦ AK86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J9542	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ	♠ K652				1♦
Vul: None	♥ K73	♥ J	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ K9732	♦ AJ105	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 983	♣ AQ75				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors 2. shortness

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ10	♠ AJ2		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ105	♥ 64	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 8654	♦ A973	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A9	♣ K1032				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 195	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 975	♠ Q1032				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 2	♥ AK105	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ972	♦ KJ4	Pass	6♦	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ AJ52	♣ KQ				
Contract: 6♦ S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 196	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ32	♠ A64		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQ107	♥ J	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ3	♦ AJ97	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 52	♣ J10973				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 197	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 52	♠ AK73				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A4	♥ Q8	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ AK86	♦ 972	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ J9542	♣ A1086				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 193	♠ K652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ AJ105	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ75	

Board: 194	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 64	
Vul: NS	♦ A973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K1032	

Board: 195	♠ Q1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK105	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ	

Board: 196	♠ A64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ AJ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J10973	

Board: 197	♠ AK73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: NS	♦ 972	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1086	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ	♠ K652				1♦
Vul: None	♥ K73	♥ J	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ K9732	♦ AJ105	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 983	♣ AQ75				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors
						2. shortness

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ10	♠ AJ2		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ105	♥ 64	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 8654	♦ A973	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A9	♣ K1032				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 195	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 975	♠ Q1032				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 2	♥ AK105	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ972	♦ KJ4	Pass	6♦	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ AJ52	♣ KQ				
Contract: 6♦ S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 196	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ32	♠ A64		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQ107	♥ J	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ3	♦ AJ97	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 52	♣ J10973				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 197	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 52	♠ AK73				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A4	♥ Q8	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ AK86	♦ 972	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ J9542	♣ A1086				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 198	♠ Q53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ108	
Vul: EW	♦ J5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A983	

Board: 199	♠ 985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ5	
Vul: None	♦ KJ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K82	

Board: 200	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ6	
Vul: NS	♦ 109652	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K2	

Board: 201	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ3	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A73	

Board: 202	♠ AK84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1063	
Vul: Both	♦ Q85	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 83	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 198	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q53	♠ 74		1♣	Pass	3♣
Vul: EW	♥ AJ108	♥ Q2				
North HCP: 12	♦ J5	♦ K1097	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A983	♣ KQJ74				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 199	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 985	♠ AQ				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KQ5	♥ AJ94	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ107	♦ A865	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ K82	♣ A75	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 200	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9	♠ A102		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ6	♥ Q	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 109652	♦ AJ74	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K2	♣ J10853	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 201	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 103	♠ AQ75				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KQ3	♥ 7	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ976	♦ A1054	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A73	♣ K1084	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N			2. shortness			

Board: 202	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK84	♠ 102		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A1063	♥ Q4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q85	♦ K10976	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 83	♣ AK42	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 198	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: EW	♦ K1097	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQJ74	

Board: 199	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ94	
Vul: None	♦ A865	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A75	

Board: 200	♠ A102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J10853	

Board: 201	♠ AQ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: EW	♦ A1054	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K1084	

Board: 202	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q4	
Vul: Both	♦ K10976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK42	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 198	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q53	♠ 74		1♣	Pass	3♣
Vul: EW	♥ AJ108	♥ Q2				
North HCP: 12	♦ J5	♦ K1097	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A983	♣ KQJ74				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 199	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 985	♠ AQ				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KQ5	♥ AJ94	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ107	♦ A865	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ K82	♣ A75	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 200	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9	♠ A102		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ6	♥ Q	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 109652	♦ AJ74	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K2	♣ J10853	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 201	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 103	♠ AQ75				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KQ3	♥ 7	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ976	♦ A1054	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A73	♣ K1084	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N			2. shortness			

Board: 202	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK84	♠ 102		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A1063	♥ Q4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q85	♦ K10976	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 83	♣ AK42	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 203	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A6543	

Board: 204	♠ AQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ7	
Vul: EW	♦ J2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J1053	

Board: 205	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: Both	♦ J632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK753	

Board: 206	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ53	
Vul: None	♦ AQ2	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K643	

Board: 207	♠ J87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: NS	♦ A83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q8652	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 203

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 72

♥ QJ

♦ KJ63

♣ A6543

South:

♠ AJ53

♥ 5432

♦ A

♣ QJ109

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ AP

Board: 204

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQ32

♥ AQ7

♦ J2

♣ J1053

South:

♠ 95

♥ K86

♦ A109

♣ A9864

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q5

♥ Q8

♦ J632

♣ AK753

South:

♠ A72

♥ K1094

♦ AK87

♣ 86

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 206

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ K6

♥ AQ53

♦ AQ2

♣ K643

South:

♠ Q109

♥ KJ4

♦ K10

♣ Q10752

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 207

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J87

♥ KJ

♦ A83

♣ Q8652

South:

♠ AKQ3

♥ A9

♦ J42

♣ KJ104

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 203	♠ AJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5432	
Vul: NS	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ109	

Board: 204	♠ 95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K86	
Vul: EW	♦ A109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A9864	

Board: 205	♠ A72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1094	
Vul: Both	♦ AK87	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 86	

Board: 206	♠ Q109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ4	
Vul: None	♦ K10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q10752	

Board: 207	♠ AKQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	
Vul: NS	♦ J42	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ104	

Board: 203					
Dealer: S	North:	South:	West	North	East South
Vul: NS	♠ 72	♠ AJ53			1♣
North HCP: 11	♥ QJ	♥ 5432	Pass	3♣	AP
South HCP: 12	♦ KJ63	♦ A			
Contract: 3♣ S	♣ A6543	♣ QJ109			
Board: 204			West	North	East South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	Pass 2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♠ AQ32	♠ 95	Pass	2♥	Pass 3NT
North HCP: 14	♥ AQ7	♥ K86	AP		
South HCP: 11	♦ J2	♦ A109			
Contract: 3N S	♣ J1053	♣ A9864			
			1. Inverted minors		
Board: 205			West	North	East South
Dealer: S	North:	South:			1♦
Vul: Both	♠ Q5	♠ A72	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass 2♥
North HCP: 12	♥ Q8	♥ K1094	Pass	3NT	AP
South HCP: 14	♦ J632	♦ AK87			
Contract: 3N N	♣ AK753	♣ 86			
			1. Inverted minors		
Board: 206			West	North	East South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	Pass 2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♠ K6	♠ Q109	Pass	2♦	Pass 3NT
North HCP: 18	♥ AQ53	♥ KJ4	Pass	4♣	Pass 4♦ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 11	♦ AQ2	♦ K10	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass 5♣
Contract: 5♣ N	♣ K643	♣ Q10752	AP		
			1. Inverted minors		
			2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper		
			3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper		
Board: 207			West	North	East South
Dealer: S	North:	South:			1♣
Vul: NS	♠ J87	♠ AKQ3	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass 3NT
North HCP: 11	♥ KJ	♥ A9	AP		
South HCP: 18	♦ A83	♦ J42			
Contract: 3N S	♣ Q8652	♣ KJ104			
			1. Inverted minors		

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 208	♠ Q643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ87	
Vul: Both	♦ Q65	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K3	

Board: 209	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: None	♦ K7432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ43	

Board: 210	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ75	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ76	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 63	

Board: 211	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J9854	

Board: 212	♠ Q876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ43	
Vul: None	♦ QJ64	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 208	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q643	♠ A107		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQ87	♥ J9	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q65	♦ KJ932	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K3	♣ QJ8				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 209	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 105	♠ AKQ6				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ Q1063	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ K7432	♦ 1095	Pass	5♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ43	♣ K7				
Contract: 5♦ S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 210	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ4	♠ 1087		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ KJ75	♥ Q3	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ76	♦ K852	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 63	♣ AK107				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 211	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 53	♠ A964				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ J	♥ A1084	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ AKQ94	♦ 108	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J9854	♣ AQ2				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 212	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q876	♠ —		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AQ43	♥ 752	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ64	♦ A10983	Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 11	♣ Q	♣ AK1074	Pass	5♦	AP	
Contract: 5♦ N						

1. Inverted minors  
 2. Splinter  
 3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
 4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 208	♠ A107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ932	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ8	

Board: 209	♠ AKQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1063	
Vul: None	♦ 1095	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K7	

Board: 210	♠ 1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q3	
Vul: NS	♦ K852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK107	

Board: 211	♠ A964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1084	
Vul: EW	♦ 108	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ2	

Board: 212	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 752	
Vul: None	♦ A10983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK1074	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 208	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q643	♠ A107		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQ87	♥ J9	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q65	♦ KJ932	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K3	♣ QJ8				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 209	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 105	♠ AKQ6				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ Q1063	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ K7432	♦ 1095	Pass	5♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ43	♣ K7				
Contract: 5♦ S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 210	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ4	♠ 1087		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ KJ75	♥ Q3	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ76	♦ K852	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 63	♣ AK107				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 211	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 53	♠ A964				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ J	♥ A1084	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ AKQ94	♦ 108	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J9854	♣ AQ2				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 212	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q876	♠ —		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AQ43	♥ 752	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ64	♦ A10983	Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>4</sup>
South HCP: 11	♣ Q	♣ AK1074	Pass	5♦	AP	
Contract: 5♦ N						

1. Inverted minors  
2. Splinter  
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 213	♠ K42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: NS	♦ A1074	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ64	

Board: 214	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ2	
Vul: EW	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q876	

Board: 215	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J10752	

Board: 216	♠ J1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: NS	♦ Q832	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ3	

Board: 217	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 52	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ87	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 213

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ K42

♥ Q10

♦ A1074

♣ QJ64

South:

♠ AJ83

♥ 9862

♦ KJ5

♣ A2

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 214

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ KQ3

♥ AKJ2

♦ K10

♣ Q876

South:

♠ A42

♥ 63

♦ 873

♣ AK1052

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 215

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ QJ5

♥ 2

♦ KQ62

♣ J10752

South:

♠ A1042

♥ A1084

♦ A98

♣ 96

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♦ AP

Board: 216

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ J1075

♥ A3

♦ Q832

♣ AJ3

South:

♠ A93

♥ 108

♦ AKJ976

♣ 82

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 217

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ K6

♥ 52

♦ AQ986

♣ QJ87

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ Q1098

♦ K32

♣ 42

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♦ AP

1. Inverted minors



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 213	♠ AJ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9862	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A2	

Board: 214	♠ A42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 63	
Vul: EW	♦ 873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK1052	

Board: 215	♠ A1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1084	
Vul: Both	♦ A98	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 96	

Board: 216	♠ A93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 108	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 82	

Board: 217	♠ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1098	
Vul: EW	♦ K32	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 42	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 213	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K42	♠ AJ83				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q10	♥ 9862	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ A1074	♦ KJ5	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ64	♣ A2	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 214	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ3	♠ A42		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AKJ2	♥ 63	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 18	♦ K10	♦ 873	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 11	♣ Q876	♣ AK1052	Pass	5♣	AP	
Contract: 5♣ N			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			

Board: 215	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ5	♠ A1042				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 2	♥ A1084				
North HCP: 9	♦ KQ62	♦ A98	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J10752	♣ 96				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 216	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1075	♠ A93		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ A3	♥ 108	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ Q832	♦ AKJ976	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ3	♣ 82	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 217	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K6	♠ AQJ4				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 52	♥ Q1098	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ986	♦ K32	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ87	♣ 42	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 218	♠ 1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ73	
Vul: Both	♦ K103	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ3	

Board: 219	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1094	
Vul: None	♦ A98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK865	

Board: 220	♠ A98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A854	
Vul: EW	♦ A763	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 107	

Board: 221	♠ K107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: None	♦ 732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AJ7542	

Board: 222	♠ J108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1097	
Vul: NS	♦ AK94	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q4	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 218	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 1074	♠ A85		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ73	♥ A5	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ K103	♦ 975	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ3	♣ KJ862	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 219	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 86	♠ A1073				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 1094	♥ QJ72	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ A98	♦ K4	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AK865	♣ Q93	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 220	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A98	♠ Q53		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ A854	♥ 72	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ A763	♦ J952	1. Inverted minors			
South HCP: 12	♣ 107	♣ AKQ4				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 221	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K107	♠ A952				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 5	♥ KQJ7	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 8	♦ 732	♦ A	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ AJ7542	♣ KQ98				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 222	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J108	♠ 53		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ Q1097	♥ AJ2	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AK94	♦ J872	1. Inverted minors			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q4	♣ AJ103				
Contract: 2N N						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 218	♠ A85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: Both	♦ 975	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ862	

Board: 219	♠ A1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ72	
Vul: None	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q93	

Board: 220	♠ Q53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 72	
Vul: EW	♦ J952	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ4	

Board: 221	♠ A952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ7	
Vul: None	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ98	

Board: 222	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ2	
Vul: NS	♦ J872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ103	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 218	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 1074	♠ A85		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ KQ73	♥ A5	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ K103	♦ 975	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ3	♣ KJ862	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 219	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 86	♠ A1073				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 1094	♥ QJ72	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ A98	♦ K4	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AK865	♣ Q93	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 220	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A98	♠ Q53		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ A854	♥ 72	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ A763	♦ J952	1. Inverted minors			
South HCP: 12	♣ 107	♣ AKQ4				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 221	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K107	♠ A952				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 5	♥ KQJ7	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 8	♦ 732	♦ A	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ AJ7542	♣ KQ98				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 222	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J108	♠ 53		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ Q1097	♥ AJ2	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AK94	♦ J872	1. Inverted minors			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q4	♣ AJ103				
Contract: 2N N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 223	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K72	
Vul: Both	♦ K986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K954	

Board: 224	♠ KQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J83	
Vul: None	♦ 654	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ3	

Board: 225	♠ K86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: EW	♦ Q10865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ5	

Board: 226	♠ KJ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ9	
Vul: None	♦ 10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ105	

Board: 227	♠ K92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: NS	♦ K1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KJ843	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 223  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ Q9  
 ♥ K72  
 ♦ K986  
 ♣ K954

South:  
 ♠ AJ62  
 ♥ Q964  
 ♦ AJ73  
 ♣ J

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 224  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 8  
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
 ♠ KQJ5  
 ♥ J83  
 ♦ 654  
 ♣ AJ3

South:  
 ♠ 9  
 ♥ 1075  
 ♦ K1072  
 ♣ KQ1095

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	3♣
AP			

Board: 225  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
 ♠ K86  
 ♥ A4  
 ♦ Q10865  
 ♣ QJ5

South:  
 ♠ Q3  
 ♥ Q72  
 ♦ A732  
 ♣ A1032

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 226  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 10  
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:  
 ♠ KJ97  
 ♥ KQJ9  
 ♦ 10  
 ♣ QJ105

South:  
 ♠ 6  
 ♥ A85  
 ♦ K764  
 ♣ K7643

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	5♣
AP			

1. Inverted minors  
 2. shortness

Board: 227  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 10  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ K92  
 ♥ 5  
 ♦ K1064  
 ♣ KJ843

South:  
 ♠ AQ73  
 ♥ AJ7  
 ♦ QJ5  
 ♣ 1062

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 223	♠ AJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q964	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J	

Board: 224	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1075	
Vul: None	♦ K1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KQ1095	

Board: 225	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q72	
Vul: EW	♦ A732	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1032	

Board: 226	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A85	
Vul: None	♦ K764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K7643	

Board: 227	♠ AQ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ7	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1062	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 223  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ Q9  
 ♥ K72  
 ♦ K986  
 ♣ K954

South:  
 ♠ AJ62  
 ♥ Q964  
 ♦ AJ73  
 ♣ J

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 224  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 8  
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
 ♠ KQJ5  
 ♥ J83  
 ♦ 654  
 ♣ AJ3

South:  
 ♠ 9  
 ♥ 1075  
 ♦ K1072  
 ♣ KQ1095

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	3♣
AP			

Board: 225  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
 ♠ K86  
 ♥ A4  
 ♦ Q10865  
 ♣ QJ5

South:  
 ♠ Q3  
 ♥ Q72  
 ♦ A732  
 ♣ A1032

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 226  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 10  
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:  
 ♠ KJ97  
 ♥ KQJ9  
 ♦ 10  
 ♣ QJ105

South:  
 ♠ 6  
 ♥ A85  
 ♦ K764  
 ♣ K7643

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	5♣
AP			

1. Inverted minors  
 2. shortness

Board: 227  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 10  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3♣ S

North:  
 ♠ K92  
 ♥ 5  
 ♦ K1064  
 ♣ KJ843

South:  
 ♠ AQ73  
 ♥ AJ7  
 ♦ QJ5  
 ♣ 1062

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 228	♠ AQ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10962	
Vul: Both	♦ A43	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A2	

Board: 229	♠ K93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 43	
Vul: NS	♦ K874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ98	

Board: 230	♠ KJ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ 732	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q876	

Board: 231	♠ 762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K105	

Board: 232	♠ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10642	
Vul: None	♦ K109	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K5	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ64	♠ K83		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 10962	♥ QJ5	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A43	♦ QJ85	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A2	♣ K76	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 229	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K93	♠ A874				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 43	♥ AK62	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ K874	♦ A965	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 16	♣ AQ98	♣ J	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♦ S			Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♦
			AP			
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
			4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0			

Board: 230	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ74	♠ AQ6		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AK	♥ 74	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 732	♦ Q65	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q876	♣ KJ1052	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 231	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 762	♠ AJ				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ KJ7	♥ 105	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ74	♦ 109832				
South HCP: 12	♣ K105	♣ AQJ7	AP			
Contract: 3♦ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 232	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ4	♠ K105		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 10642	♥ K3	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K109	♦ J432	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ K5	♣ A872	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 228	♠ K83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K76	

Board: 229	♠ A874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK62	
Vul: NS	♦ A965	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J	

Board: 230	♠ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 74	
Vul: EW	♦ Q65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ1052	

Board: 231	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 105	
Vul: Both	♦ 109832	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ7	

Board: 232	♠ K105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K3	
Vul: None	♦ J432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A872	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ64	♠ K83		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 10962	♥ QJ5	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A43	♦ QJ85	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A2	♣ K76	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 229	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K93	♠ A874				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 43	♥ AK62	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ K874	♦ A965	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 16	♣ AQ98	♣ J	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♦ S			Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♦
			AP			
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
			4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0			

Board: 230	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ74	♠ AQ6		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AK	♥ 74	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 732	♦ Q65	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q876	♣ KJ1052	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 231	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 762	♠ AJ				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ KJ7	♥ 105	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ74	♦ 109832				
South HCP: 12	♣ K105	♣ AQJ7	AP			
Contract: 3♦ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 232	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ4	♠ K105		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 10642	♥ K3	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K109	♦ J432	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ K5	♣ A872	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 233	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: EW	♦ J63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ8543	

Board: 234	♠ A105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1086	
Vul: Both	♦ J1083	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK6	

Board: 235	♠ A64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1082	
Vul: None	♦ AJ43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K53	

Board: 236	♠ Q53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1098	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ54	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A5	

Board: 237	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK3	
Vul: Both	♦ 8765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ974	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 233			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♣
Vul: EW			Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	North:	South:	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 19	♠ K2	♠ AJ104	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣
Contract: 5♣ S	♥ Q2	♥ AK10	AP			
	♦ J63	♦ K82				
	♣ AQ8543	♣ KJ7				

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

Board: 234			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N				1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both			Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	North:	South:	AP			
South HCP: 11	♠ A105	♠ 94				
Contract: 3♦ N	♥ 1086	♥ QJ9				
	♦ J1083	♦ AK954				
	♣ AK6	♣ J83				

1. Inverted minors

Board: 235			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♦
Vul: None			Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	North:	South:	AP			
South HCP: 12	♠ A64	♠ Q107				
Contract: 2N S	♥ 1082	♥ AKJ3				
	♦ AJ43	♦ Q965				
	♣ K53	♣ 64				

1. Inverted minors

Board: 236			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N				1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS			Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	North:	South:	AP			
South HCP: 11	♠ Q53	♠ A7				
Contract: 3N S	♥ Q1098	♥ A65				
	♦ AQ54	♦ 9862				
	♣ A5	♣ K932				

1. Inverted minors

Board: 237			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♣
Vul: Both			Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11	North:	South:	Pass	6♣	AP	
South HCP: 18	♠ 6	♠ AQJ8				
Contract: 6♣ S	♥ AK3	♥ Q2				
	♦ 8765	♦ K92				
	♣ KJ974	♣ AQ108				

1. Inverted minors



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 233	♠ AJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10	
Vul: EW	♦ K82	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KJ7	

Board: 234	♠ 94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ AK954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J83	

Board: 235	♠ Q107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ3	
Vul: None	♦ Q965	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 64	

Board: 236	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A65	
Vul: NS	♦ 9862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K932	

Board: 237	♠ AQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: Both	♦ K92	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ108	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 233			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♣
Vul: EW			Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	North:	South:	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 19	♠ K2	♠ AJ104	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣
Contract: 5♣ S	♥ Q2	♥ AK10	AP			
	♦ J63	♦ K82				
	♣ AQ8543	♣ KJ7				

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

Board: 234			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N				1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both			Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	North:	South:	AP			
South HCP: 11	♠ A105	♠ 94				
Contract: 3♦ N	♥ 1086	♥ QJ9				
	♦ J1083	♦ AK954				
	♣ AK6	♣ J83				

1. Inverted minors

Board: 235			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♦
Vul: None			Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	North:	South:	AP			
South HCP: 12	♠ A64	♠ Q107				
Contract: 2N S	♥ 1082	♥ AKJ3				
	♦ AJ43	♦ Q965				
	♣ K53	♣ 64				

1. Inverted minors

Board: 236			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N				1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS			Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	North:	South:	AP			
South HCP: 11	♠ Q53	♠ A7				
Contract: 3N S	♥ Q1098	♥ A65				
	♦ AQ54	♦ 9862				
	♣ A5	♣ K932				

1. Inverted minors

Board: 237			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♣
Vul: Both			Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11	North:	South:	Pass	6♣	AP	
South HCP: 18	♠ 6	♠ AQJ8				
Contract: 6♣ S	♥ AK3	♥ Q2				
	♦ 8765	♦ K92				
	♣ KJ974	♣ AQ108				

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 238	♠ A963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A763	
Vul: None	♦ Q86	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q10	

Board: 239	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: NS	♦ 7642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AKJ42	

Board: 240	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ Q8762	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ5	

Board: 241	♠ Q75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 104	
Vul: None	♦ KJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ1087	

Board: 242	♠ 8532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ7	
Vul: NS	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q62	



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 238	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: None	♦ A10754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK63	

Board: 239	♠ AK43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 953	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ53	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 5	

Board: 240	♠ J82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A63	
Vul: EW	♦ AK53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1043	

Board: 241	♠ K963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ7	
Vul: None	♦ AQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K93	

Board: 242	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1065	
Vul: NS	♦ Q32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ975	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 238	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A963	♠ 102		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A763	♥ J9	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ Q86	♦ A10754	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q10	♣ AK63				
Contract: 3♦ N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 239	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 105	♠ AK43				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ K2	♥ 953	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ 7642	♦ KQJ53	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AKJ42	♣ 5				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 240	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ5	♠ J82		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ J	♥ A63	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♦
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8762	♦ AK53	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ5	♣ 1043				
Contract: 5♦ N						1. Inverted minors 2. Splinter

Board: 241	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q75	♠ K963				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 104	♥ AQ7	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ9	♦ AQ8	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 18	♣ AQ1087	♣ K93	Pass	5♣	AP	
Contract: 5♣ S						1. Inverted minors 2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 242	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 8532	♠ AJ		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ7	♥ 1065	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ K7	♦ Q32	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q62	♣ KJ975				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 243	♠ 1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A10876	

Board: 244	♠ J1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ	
Vul: EW	♦ Q105	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q108	

Board: 245	♠ K95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: Both	♦ 542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KQJ1064	

Board: 246	♠ AQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 753	
Vul: None	♦ Q87	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ9	

Board: 247	♠ K97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 952	
Vul: EW	♦ A743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ4	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 243	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1042	♠ KQ63				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 10	♥ A753				
North HCP: 7	♦ QJ92	♦ K	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A10876	♣ QJ93				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 244	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1053	♠ Q2		1♣	Pass	3♣
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ	♥ J86				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q105	♦ K82	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q108	♣ AJ763				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 245	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K95	♠ Q104				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ AQJ6				
North HCP: 9	♦ 542	♦ AJ10	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ KQJ1064	♣ 753				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 246	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ84	♠ J107		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 753	♥ Q4	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ Q87	♦ K96	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ9	♣ AQ762				
Contract: 3♣ N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 247	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K97	♠ Q				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 952	♥ AKQ4	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ A743	♦ Q1065	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 18	♣ KQ4	♣ AJ87	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
Contract: 5♦ S			AP			

1. Inverted minors

2. shortness

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 243	♠ KQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A753	
Vul: Both	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ93	

Board: 244	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J86	
Vul: EW	♦ K82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ763	

Board: 245	♠ Q104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ6	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 753	

Board: 246	♠ J107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q4	
Vul: None	♦ K96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ762	

Board: 247	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ4	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1065	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ87	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 243	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1042	♠ KQ63				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 10	♥ A753				
North HCP: 7	♦ QJ92	♦ K	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A10876	♣ QJ93				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 244	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1053	♠ Q2		1♣	Pass	3♣
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ	♥ J86				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q105	♦ K82	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q108	♣ AJ763				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 245	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K95	♠ Q104				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ AQJ6				
North HCP: 9	♦ 542	♦ AJ10	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ KQJ1064	♣ 753				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 246	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ84	♠ J107		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 753	♥ Q4	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ Q87	♦ K96	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ9	♣ AQ762				
Contract: 3♣ N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 247	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K97	♠ Q				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 952	♥ AKQ4	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ A743	♦ Q1065	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 18	♣ KQ4	♣ AJ87	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
Contract: 5♦ S			AP			

1. Inverted minors

2. shortness

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 248	♠ A62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: Both	♦ 108642	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A93	

Board: 249	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: NS	♦ 9874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A9874	

Board: 250	♠ K743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1086	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A6	

Board: 251	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ984	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J653	

Board: 252	♠ QJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A84	
Vul: EW	♦ K87	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A102	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 248	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A62	♠ J94		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A5	♥ KQJ				
North HCP: 12	♦ 108642	♦ KQ95	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A93	♣ 652				
Contract: 3♦ N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 249	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 42	♠ AQ86				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK	♥ Q732	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ 9874	♦ K53	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A9874	♣ K10				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 250	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K743	♠ 9		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 1086	♥ AK9	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQJ6	♦ A7542	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A6	♣ J932				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ	♠ 10853				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 92	♥ K54	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ984	♦ AJ1032	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J653	♣ A				
Contract: 3♦ S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ87	♠ 10		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ A84	♥ 92	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ K87	♦ AQJ62	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A102	♣ KJ965				
Contract: 3♣ N						1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 248	♠ J94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 652	

Board: 249	♠ AQ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q732	
Vul: NS	♦ K53	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K10	

Board: 250	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9	
Vul: Both	♦ A7542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J932	

Board: 251	♠ 10853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K54	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ1032	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A	

Board: 252	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 92	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ965	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 248	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A62	♠ J94		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ A5	♥ KQJ				
North HCP: 12	♦ 108642	♦ KQ95	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A93	♣ 652				
Contract: 3♦ N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 249	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 42	♠ AQ86				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK	♥ Q732	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ 9874	♦ K53	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A9874	♣ K10				
Contract: 3N N						1. Inverted minors

Board: 250	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K743	♠ 9		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ 1086	♥ AK9	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQJ6	♦ A7542	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A6	♣ J932				
Contract: 3N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ	♠ 10853				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 92	♥ K54	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ984	♦ AJ1032	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J653	♣ A				
Contract: 3♦ S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ87	♠ 10		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ A84	♥ 92	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ K87	♦ AQJ62	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A102	♣ KJ965				
Contract: 3♣ N						1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 253	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K42	
Vul: None	♦ K1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A1074	

Board: 254	♠ A72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K83	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ93	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 653	

Board: 255	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ1096	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q9653	

Board: 256	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A87	
Vul: NS	♦ 8765	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ9	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 253

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ J3

♥ K42

♦ K1072

♣ A1074

South:

♠ AKQ10

♥ 109

♦ A864

♣ KQ9

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 254

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ A72

♥ K83

♦ AJ93

♣ 653

South:

♠ J94

♥ AQ7

♦ Q1084

♣ K98

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 255

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J2

♥ 5

♦ KQ1096

♣ Q9653

South:

♠ KQ107

♥ AKQ

♦ J3

♣ K1074

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 256

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ A87

♦ 8765

♣ AQ9

South:

♠ J3

♥ KQJ

♦ KJ10432

♣ 107

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. A=1/5 or 4/5



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 253	♠ AKQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 109	
Vul: None	♦ A864	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ9	

Board: 254	♠ J94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ7	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K98	

Board: 255	♠ KQ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ	
Vul: Both	♦ J3	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K1074	

Board: 256	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ10432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 107	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 253

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ J3

♥ K42

♦ K1072

♣ A1074

South:

♠ AKQ10

♥ 109

♦ A864

♣ KQ9

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 254

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ A72

♥ K83

♦ AJ93

♣ 653

South:

♠ J94

♥ AQ7

♦ Q1084

♣ K98

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 255

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J2

♥ 5

♦ KQ1096

♣ Q9653

South:

♠ KQ107

♥ AKQ

♦ J3

♣ K1074

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 256

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ A87

♦ 8765

♣ AQ9

South:

♠ J3

♥ KQJ

♦ KJ10432

♣ 107

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 257	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J109	
Vul: EW	♦ 42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q107543	
Board: 258	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1086	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ53	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q92	
Board: 259	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q8543	
Board: 260	♠ A874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K832	
Vul: None	♦ Q72	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K7	
Board: 261	♠ 107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A93	
Vul: Both	♦ K1087	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ104	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 257

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 18

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ AK

♥ J109

♦ 42

♣ Q107543

South:

♠ Q962

♥ A54

♦ AQJ

♣ AJ8

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 258

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ QJ

♥ A1086

♦ AJ53

♣ Q92

South:

♠ 83

♥ KJ4

♦ K9872

♣ A64

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 259

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K8

♥ J10

♦ AQ82

♣ Q8543

South:

♠ J10

♥ Q965

♦ KJ64

♣ AK7

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 260

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ A874

♥ K832

♦ Q72

♣ K7

South:

♠ Q

♥ Q94

♦ A1083

♣ QJ953

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 261

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 107

♥ A93

♦ K1087

♣ KJ104

South:

♠ AK94

♥ 742

♦ A942

♣ Q9

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 257	♠ Q962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A54	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ8	

Board: 258	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ4	
Vul: Both	♦ K9872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A64	

Board: 259	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q965	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ64	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK7	

Board: 260	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q94	
Vul: None	♦ A1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ953	

Board: 261	♠ AK94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 742	
Vul: Both	♦ A942	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q9	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 257

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 18

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ AK

♥ J109

♦ 42

♣ Q107543

South:

♠ Q962

♥ A54

♦ AQJ

♣ AJ8

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 258

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ QJ

♥ A1086

♦ AJ53

♣ Q92

South:

♠ 83

♥ KJ4

♦ K9872

♣ A64

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 259

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K8

♥ J10

♦ AQ82

♣ Q8543

South:

♠ J10

♥ Q965

♦ KJ64

♣ AK7

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 260

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ A874

♥ K832

♦ Q72

♣ K7

South:

♠ Q

♥ Q94

♦ A1083

♣ QJ953

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 261

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 107

♥ A93

♦ K1087

♣ KJ104

South:

♠ AK94

♥ 742

♦ A942

♣ Q9

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 262	♠ A87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ83	
Vul: None	♦ A742	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J8	

Board: 263	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q76	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J652	

Board: 264	♠ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1063	
Vul: None	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J632	

Board: 265	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: NS	♦ A9643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J10542	

Board: 266	♠ J52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K97	
Vul: EW	♦ K873	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK5	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 262	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A87	♠ 53		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQ83	♥ J76	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14	♦ A742	♦ Q1093	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J8	♣ AKQ5	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 263	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 53	♠ A1062				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q76	♥ KJ84	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AKJ8	♦ 652	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J652	♣ A7	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 264	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ6	♠ 52		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A1063	♥ J97	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q9	♦ J108	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ J632	♣ AKQ98	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 265	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK	♠ 10864				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 3	♥ Q652	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ A9643	♦ K10	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J10542	♣ AKQ	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 266	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J52	♠ Q8		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ K97	♥ A5	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14	♦ K873	♦ AJ964	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AK5	♣ J1082	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ N						



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 262	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J76	
Vul: None	♦ Q1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ5	

Board: 263	♠ A1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ84	
Vul: EW	♦ 652	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A7	

Board: 264	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J97	
Vul: None	♦ J108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AKQ98	

Board: 265	♠ 10864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q652	
Vul: NS	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ	

Board: 266	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J1082	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 262	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A87	♠ 53		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ KQ83	♥ J76	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14	♦ A742	♦ Q1093	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J8	♣ AKQ5	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 263	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 53	♠ A1062				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q76	♥ KJ84	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AKJ8	♦ 652	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J652	♣ A7	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 264	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ6	♠ 52		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A1063	♥ J97	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q9	♦ J108	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ J632	♣ AKQ98	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 265	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK	♠ 10864				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 3	♥ Q652	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ A9643	♦ K10	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J10542	♣ AKQ	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 266	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J52	♠ Q8		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ K97	♥ A5	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14	♦ K873	♦ AJ964	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AK5	♣ J1082	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 267	♠ A98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: Both	♦ Q7632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K64	

Board: 268	♠ AJ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ108	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ95	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 6	

Board: 269	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J76	
Vul: EW	♦ K876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KQ972	

Board: 270	♠ Q942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ 95	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A63	

Board: 271	♠ Q74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: None	♦ AK105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 10652	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 267	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A98	♠ J76				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ Q102	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ Q7632	♦ AK85	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ K64	♣ A87				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 268	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ92	♠ 1076		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ108	♥ K4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ95	♦ A432	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 6	♣ A532				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 269	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ KQ32				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ J76	♥ A43	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9	♦ K876	♦ AJ3	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ KQ972	♣ AJ5				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 270	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q942	♠ J63				
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ2	♥ 3		1♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 95	♦ QJ63	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ A63	♣ KQ1095				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 271	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q74	♠ KJ86				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q8	♥ KJ52				
North HCP: 11	♦ AK105	♦ Q96	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 10652	♣ Q8				
Contract: 3♦ S						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 267	♠ J76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q102	
Vul: Both	♦ AK85	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A87	

Board: 268	♠ 1076	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: NS	♦ A432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A532	

Board: 269	♠ KQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A43	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AJ5	

Board: 270	♠ J63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KQ1095	

Board: 271	♠ KJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ52	
Vul: None	♦ Q96	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q8	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 267	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A98	♠ J76				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ Q102	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ Q7632	♦ AK85	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ K64	♣ A87				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 268	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ92	♠ 1076		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ108	♥ K4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ95	♦ A432	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 6	♣ A532				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 269	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ KQ32				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ J76	♥ A43	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9	♦ K876	♦ AJ3	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ KQ972	♣ AJ5				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 270	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q942	♠ J63				
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ2	♥ 3		1♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 95	♦ QJ63	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ A63	♣ KQ1095				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 271	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q74	♠ KJ86				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q8	♥ KJ52				
North HCP: 11	♦ AK105	♦ Q96	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 10652	♣ Q8				
Contract: 3♦ S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 272	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q932	
Vul: EW	♦ Q965	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ9	

Board: 273	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J74	
Vul: Both	♦ Q863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A863	

Board: 274	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1032	
Vul: None	♦ Q106	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q64	

Board: 275	♠ 82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K72	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K1062	

Board: 276	♠ AQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ32	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A4	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 272	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ K102		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ Q932	♥ 54	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q965	♦ AKJ74	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AQ9	♣ 1086	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 273	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A3	♠ Q82				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J74	♥ A1063	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ Q863	♦ AJ97	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A863	♣ J2	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 274	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ5	♠ 83		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A1032	♥ 65	Pass	2♦	Pass	5♣
North HCP: 13	♦ Q106	♦ A32	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q64	♣ AKJ932	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 5♣ N						

			West	North	East	South
						1♦
Board: 275	North:	South:	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Dealer: S	♠ 82	♠ KQ107	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
Vul: Both	♥ K72	♥ A83	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ95	♦ KJ632	Pass	5♦	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K1062	♣ Q	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 5♦ S			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			

			West	North	East	South
				1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Board: 276	North:	South:	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
Dealer: N	♠ AQ105	♠ 74	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6NT
Vul: NS	♥ KJ32	♥ A105	AP			
North HCP: 18	♦ KJ9	♦ AQ653	1. Inverted minors			
South HCP: 12	♣ A4	♣ Q102	2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
Contract: 6N N						



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 272	♠ K102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 54	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 1086	

Board: 273	♠ Q82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1063	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ97	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J2	

Board: 274	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	
Vul: None	♦ A32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ932	

Board: 275	♠ KQ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A83	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ632	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

Board: 276	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A105	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q102	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 272	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ K102		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ Q932	♥ 54	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q965	♦ AKJ74	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AQ9	♣ 1086	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 273	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A3	♠ Q82				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J74	♥ A1063	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ Q863	♦ AJ97	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A863	♣ J2	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 274	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ5	♠ 83		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A1032	♥ 65	Pass	2♦	Pass	5♣
North HCP: 13	♦ Q106	♦ A32	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q64	♣ AKJ932	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 5♣ N						

			West	North	East	South
						1♦
Board: 275	North:	South:	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Dealer: S	♠ 82	♠ KQ107	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
Vul: Both	♥ K72	♥ A83	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ95	♦ KJ632	Pass	5♦	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K1062	♣ Q	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 5♦ S			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			

			West	North	East	South
				1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Board: 276	North:	South:	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
Dealer: N	♠ AQ105	♠ 74	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6NT
Vul: NS	♥ KJ32	♥ A105	AP			
North HCP: 18	♦ KJ9	♦ AQ653	1. Inverted minors			
South HCP: 12	♣ A4	♣ Q102	2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
Contract: 6N N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 277	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 532	
Vul: EW	♦ J9832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AK1032	

Board: 278	♠ A54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ83	
Vul: None	♦ Q76	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K97	

Board: 279	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1064	
Vul: NS	♦ A852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ107	

Board: 280	♠ AK62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q87	
Vul: EW	♦ A762	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 52	

Board: 281	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: Both	♦ J5432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K10742	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 277

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ —

♥ 532

♦ J9832

♣ AK1032

South:

♠ AQ95

♥ AK4

♦ K65

♣ QJ5

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 278

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ A54

♥ QJ83

♦ Q76

♣ K97

South:

♠ J7

♥ 1062

♦ A83

♣ AQ852

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K10

♥ 1064

♦ A852

♣ AJ107

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ AJ87

♦ K1043

♣ 95

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ AK62

♥ Q87

♦ A762

♣ 52

South:

♠ J

♥ A93

♦ 10953

♣ AJ1063

West North East South

1♦ Pass 3♦

AP

Board: 281

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ A

♥ Q6

♦ J5432

♣ K10742

South:

♠ Q976

♥ A542

♦ Q876

♣ A

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 277	♠ AQ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK4	
Vul: EW	♦ K65	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ QJ5	

Board: 278	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1062	
Vul: None	♦ A83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ852	

Board: 279	♠ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ87	
Vul: NS	♦ K1043	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 95	

Board: 280	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A93	
Vul: EW	♦ 10953	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ1063	

Board: 281	♠ Q976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A542	
Vul: Both	♦ Q876	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 277

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ —

♥ 532

♦ J9832

♣ AK1032

South:

♠ AQ95

♥ AK4

♦ K65

♣ QJ5

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 278

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ A54

♥ QJ83

♦ Q76

♣ K97

South:

♠ J7

♥ 1062

♦ A83

♣ AQ852

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K10

♥ 1064

♦ A852

♣ AJ107

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ AJ87

♦ K1043

♣ 95

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ AK62

♥ Q87

♦ A762

♣ 52

South:

♠ J

♥ A93

♦ 10953

♣ AJ1063

West North East South

1♦ Pass 3♦

AP

Board: 281

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ A

♥ Q6

♦ J5432

♣ K10742

South:

♠ Q976

♥ A542

♦ Q876

♣ A

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 282	♠ 10972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ7	
Vul: EW	♦ J75	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A7	

Board: 283	♠ 32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	
Vul: None	♦ AQ943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K1084	

Board: 284	♠ AK64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1095	
Vul: EW	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K43	

Board: 285	♠ K96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J96	
Vul: None	♦ K8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ952	

Board: 286	♠ J1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ73	
Vul: NS	♦ AK5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 86	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 282	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 10972	♠ KQ5		1♦	Pass	3♦
Vul: EW	♥ AKJ7	♥ 9				
North HCP: 13	♦ J75	♦ Q1082	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ A7	♣ Q8542				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 283	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 32	♠ K1074				1♦
Vul: None	♥ K7	♥ AQJ9	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ943	♦ J875	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K1084	♣ A				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 284	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK64	♠ 832		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ Q1095	♥ A7	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q3	♦ A106	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K43	♣ A10985				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 285	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K96	♠ AQ87				1♣
Vul: None	♥ J96	♥ Q102	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ K8	♦ 954	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ952	♣ A83				
Contract: 3♣ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 286	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1085	♠ Q2		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ73	♥ K96	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AK5	♦ J743	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 86	♣ AJ52				
Contract: 2N S			1. Inverted minors			



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 282	♠ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1082	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q8542	

Board: 283	♠ K1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ9	
Vul: None	♦ J875	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

Board: 284	♠ 832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: EW	♦ A106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10985	

Board: 285	♠ AQ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q102	
Vul: None	♦ 954	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A83	

Board: 286	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K96	
Vul: NS	♦ J743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ52	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 282	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 10972	♠ KQ5		1♦	Pass	3♦
Vul: EW	♥ AKJ7	♥ 9				
North HCP: 13	♦ J75	♦ Q1082	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ A7	♣ Q8542				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 283	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 32	♠ K1074				1♦
Vul: None	♥ K7	♥ AQJ9	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ943	♦ J875	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K1084	♣ A				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 284	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK64	♠ 832		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ Q1095	♥ A7	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q3	♦ A106	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K43	♣ A10985				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 285	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K96	♠ AQ87				1♣
Vul: None	♥ J96	♥ Q102	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ K8	♦ 954	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ952	♣ A83				
Contract: 3♣ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 286	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1085	♠ Q2		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ73	♥ K96	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AK5	♦ J743	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 86	♣ AJ52				
Contract: 2N S			1. Inverted minors			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 287	♠ 1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ763	

Board: 288	♠ AK108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q2	

Board: 289	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A94	
Vul: EW	♦ 643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ97	

Board: 290	♠ K1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A972	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K	

Board: 291	♠ 943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ964	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 287

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ 1086

♥ K

♦ KJ43

♣ KQ763

South:

♠ AK72

♥ AQ82

♦ A1092

♣ 4

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 4♦

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 288

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ AK108

♥ QJ10

♦ AQJ9

♣ Q2

South:

♠ 4

♥ A75

♦ K1054

♣ A10984

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 289

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 75

♥ A94

♦ 643

♣ AKJ97

South:

♠ AQ6

♥ K53

♦ K82

♣ Q842

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 290

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ K1074

♥ A972

♦ AKJ5

♣ K

South:

♠ Q62

♥ J

♦ 10832

♣ AQ872

West North East South

1♦ Pass 3♦

AP

Board: 291

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ 943

♥ 8

♦ AJ108

♣ AJ964

South:

♠ KJ72

♥ A1053

♦ K92

♣ K5

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT AP

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 287	♠ AK72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ82	
Vul: Both	♦ A1092	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 4	

Board: 288	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A75	
Vul: NS	♦ K1054	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A10984	

Board: 289	♠ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K53	
Vul: EW	♦ K82	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q842	

Board: 290	♠ Q62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ 10832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AQ872	

Board: 291	♠ KJ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1053	
Vul: NS	♦ K92	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K5	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 287

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ 1086

♥ K

♦ KJ43

♣ KQ763

South:

♠ AK72

♥ AQ82

♦ A1092

♣ 4

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 4♦

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 288

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ AK108

♥ QJ10

♦ AQJ9

♣ Q2

South:

♠ 4

♥ A75

♦ K1054

♣ A10984

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 289

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 75

♥ A94

♦ 643

♣ AKJ97

South:

♠ AQ6

♥ K53

♦ K82

♣ Q842

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 290

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ K1074

♥ A972

♦ AKJ5

♣ K

South:

♠ Q62

♥ J

♦ 10832

♣ AQ872

West North East South

1♦ Pass 3♦

AP

Board: 291

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ 943

♥ 8

♦ AJ108

♣ AJ964

South:

♠ KJ72

♥ A1053

♦ K92

♣ K5

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT AP

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 292	♠ KQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: EW	♦ AK92	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K102	

Board: 293	♠ 97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: NS	♦ Q107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ9643	

Board: 294	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1042	
Vul: EW	♦ A843	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q2	

Board: 295	♠ AQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 105	
Vul: Both	♦ 10986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ92	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 292

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ KQ53

♥ K4

♦ AK92

♣ K102

South:

♠ A9

♥ A32

♦ QJ8763

♣ 74

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>
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Pass	6♦	AP	
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1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

Board: 293

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 97

♥ A6

♦ Q107

♣ KQ9643

South:

♠ AK108

♥ KJ103

♦ 63

♣ J82

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♣	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

Board: 294

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ AJ9

♥ J1042

♦ A843

♣ Q2

South:

♠ Q106

♥ 65

♦ K1097

♣ AK105

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2NT	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

Board: 295

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ AQ7

♥ 105

♦ 10986

♣ AJ92

South:

♠ J52

♥ 432

♦ AK43

♣ KQ3

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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AP			
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1. Inverted minors



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 292	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A32	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ8763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 74	

Board: 293	♠ AK108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ103	
Vul: NS	♦ 63	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J82	

Board: 294	♠ Q106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	
Vul: EW	♦ K1097	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK105	

Board: 295	♠ J52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 432	
Vul: Both	♦ AK43	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ3	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 292

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ KQ53

♥ K4

♦ AK92

♣ K102

South:

♠ A9

♥ A32

♦ QJ8763

♣ 74

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>
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Pass	6♦	AP	
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1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

Board: 293

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 97

♥ A6

♦ Q107

♣ KQ9643

South:

♠ AK108

♥ KJ103

♦ 63

♣ J82

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♣	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

Board: 294

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ AJ9

♥ J1042

♦ A843

♣ Q2

South:

♠ Q106

♥ 65

♦ K1097

♣ AK105

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2NT	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

Board: 295

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ AQ7

♥ 105

♦ 10986

♣ AJ92

South:

♠ J52

♥ 432

♦ AK43

♣ KQ3

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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AP			
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1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 296	♠ AKQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A108	
Vul: None	♦ K94	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q64	

Board: 297	♠ 985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: EW	♦ AK1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A762	

Board: 298	♠ K1092	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9	
Vul: None	♦ KQ92	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ3	

Board: 299	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ 8632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ983	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 296  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 18  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 6♣ N

North:  
 ♠ AKQ3  
 ♥ A108  
 ♦ K94  
 ♣ Q64

South:  
 ♠ 98  
 ♥ J  
 ♦ AQ10  
 ♣ AJ108753

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

Board: 297  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 6♦ S

North:  
 ♠ 985  
 ♥ 5  
 ♦ AK1095  
 ♣ A762

South:  
 ♠ AK  
 ♥ AQJ6  
 ♦ Q872  
 ♣ Q53

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

Board: 298  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 11  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ K1092  
 ♥ Q9  
 ♦ KQ92  
 ♣ QJ3

South:  
 ♠ 6  
 ♥ 843  
 ♦ A10854  
 ♣ AK95

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

Board: 299  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 10  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ 6  
 ♥ AJ3  
 ♦ 8632  
 ♣ AJ983

South:  
 ♠ AKJ3  
 ♥ K10  
 ♦ AQJ4  
 ♣ 754

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 296	♠ 98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ AQ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ108753	

Board: 297	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ6	
Vul: EW	♦ Q872	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q53	

Board: 298	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 843	
Vul: None	♦ A10854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK95	

Board: 299	♠ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 754	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 296  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 18  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 6♣ N

North:  
 ♠ AKQ3  
 ♥ A108  
 ♦ K94  
 ♣ Q64

South:  
 ♠ 98  
 ♥ J  
 ♦ AQ10  
 ♣ AJ108753

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

Board: 297  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 6♦ S

North:  
 ♠ 985  
 ♥ 5  
 ♦ AK1095  
 ♣ A762

South:  
 ♠ AK  
 ♥ AQJ6  
 ♦ Q872  
 ♣ Q53

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

Board: 298  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 11  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ K1092  
 ♥ Q9  
 ♦ KQ92  
 ♣ QJ3

South:  
 ♠ 6  
 ♥ 843  
 ♦ A10854  
 ♣ AK95

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

Board: 299  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 10  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ 6  
 ♥ AJ3  
 ♦ 8632  
 ♣ AJ983

South:  
 ♠ AKJ3  
 ♥ K10  
 ♦ AQJ4  
 ♣ 754

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 300	♠ J63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KJ4	

Board: 301	♠ Q65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK9	
Vul: None	♦ K10865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 96	

Board: 302	♠ KQ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: NS	♦ Q52	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ74	

Board: 303	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8	
Vul: EW	♦ 9654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ1065	

Board: 304	♠ A96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK5	
Vul: None	♦ AJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q532	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 300  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 5♣ N

North:  
♠ J63  
♥ AKQ9  
♦ AJ5  
♣ KJ4

South:  
♠ K107  
♥ J5  
♦ Q7  
♣ AQ8753

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♣	AP	

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

Board: 301  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ Q65  
♥ AK9  
♦ K10865  
♣ 96

South:  
♠ A832  
♥ J863  
♦ QJ3  
♣ AJ

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 302  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ KQ82  
♥ K8  
♦ Q52  
♣ KJ74

South:  
♠ A7  
♥ A103  
♦ 108  
♣ A109832

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

Board: 303  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ A6  
♥ K8  
♦ 9654  
♣ KQ1065

South:  
♠ K542  
♥ AJ104  
♦ AQJ2  
♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 304  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 10  
Contract: 6♣ N

North:  
♠ A96  
♥ AK5  
♦ AJ6  
♣ Q532

South:  
♠ Q8  
♥ 72  
♦ 1052  
♣ AKJ987

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

1. Inverted minors  
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣  
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 300	♠ K107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	
Vul: Both	♦ Q7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ8753	
Board: 301	♠ A832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J863	
Vul: None	♦ QJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ	
Board: 302	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A103	
Vul: NS	♦ 108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A109832	
Board: 303	♠ K542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ104	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 7	
Board: 304	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 72	
Vul: None	♦ 1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AKJ987	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 300  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 5♣ N

North:  
♠ J63  
♥ AKQ9  
♦ AJ5  
♣ KJ4

South:  
♠ K107  
♥ J5  
♦ Q7  
♣ AQ8753

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♣	AP	

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

Board: 301  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ Q65  
♥ AK9  
♦ K10865  
♣ 96

South:  
♠ A832  
♥ J863  
♦ QJ3  
♣ AJ

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 302  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ KQ82  
♥ K8  
♦ Q52  
♣ KJ74

South:  
♠ A7  
♥ A103  
♦ 108  
♣ A109832

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

Board: 303  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ A6  
♥ K8  
♦ 9654  
♣ KQ1065

South:  
♠ K542  
♥ AJ104  
♦ AQJ2  
♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 304  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 10  
Contract: 6♣ N

North:  
♠ A96  
♥ AK5  
♦ AJ6  
♣ Q532

South:  
♠ Q8  
♥ 72  
♦ 1052  
♣ AKJ987

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

1. Inverted minors  
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣  
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 305	♠ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: NS	♦ Q973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J9632	

Board: 306	♠ KJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A864	
Vul: EW	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q64	

Board: 307	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 107	
Vul: Both	♦ A10753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQ1054	

Board: 308	♠ QJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ54	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQJ8	

Board: 309	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ1082	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 305

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ KQ8

♥ 2

♦ Q973

♣ J9632

South:

♠ A95

♥ QJ74

♦ K105

♣ K108

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ AP

Board: 306

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ KJ98

♥ A864

♦ Q3

♣ Q64

South:

♠ A

♥ QJ9

♦ 10952

♣ 108752

West North East South

1♣ Pass 3♣

AP

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 308

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ QJ6

♥ KQ54

♦ KQ

♣ KQJ8

South:

♠ K73

♥ 7

♦ A543

♣ 109432

West North East South

1♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 309

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 75

♥ K10

♦ QJ93

♣ KQ1082

South:

♠ AJ62

♥ J76

♦ K76

♣ AJ7

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 305	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ74	
Vul: NS	♦ K105	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K108	

Board: 306	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ9	
Vul: EW	♦ 10952	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 108752	

Board: 307	♠ AKQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ43	
Vul: Both	♦ J94	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KJ	

Board: 308	♠ K73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: NS	♦ A543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 109432	

Board: 309	♠ AJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J76	
Vul: EW	♦ K76	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ7	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 305

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ KQ8

♥ 2

♦ Q973

♣ J9632

South:

♠ A95

♥ QJ74

♦ K105

♣ K108

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ AP

Board: 306

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ KJ98

♥ A864

♦ Q3

♣ Q64

South:

♠ A

♥ QJ9

♦ 10952

♣ 108752

West North East South

1♣ Pass 3♣

AP

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 308

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ QJ6

♥ KQ54

♦ KQ

♣ KQJ8

South:

♠ K73

♥ 7

♦ A543

♣ 109432

West North East South

1♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 309

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 75

♥ K10

♦ QJ93

♣ KQ1082

South:

♠ AJ62

♥ J76

♦ K76

♣ AJ7

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 310	♠ KQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ10	
Vul: Both	♦ 1072	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ2	

Board: 311	♠ K85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ AJ8654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 984	

Board: 312	♠ KQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ83	
Vul: EW	♦ A52	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 85	

Board: 313	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ1052	

Board: 314	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J4	
Vul: None	♦ A9876	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ82	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 310	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ108	♠ A62		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQ10	♥ 2	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 1072	♦ A943	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ2	♣ A10763	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 311	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K85	♠ AQ92				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ K762	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 10	♦ AJ8654	♦ 732				
South HCP: 14	♣ 984	♣ KQ				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 312	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ62	♠ 53		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ KJ83	♥ A62	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A52	♦ K976	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 85	♣ KQ63	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 313	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J2	♠ AK65				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ A2	♥ J108	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11	♦ QJ83	♦ K102	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ QJ1052	♣ AK8	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 314	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K6	♠ A42		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J4	♥ K98	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A9876	♦ KQ543	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ82	♣ 94	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 310	♠ A62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ A943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10763	

Board: 311	♠ AQ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K762	
Vul: None	♦ 732	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ	

Board: 312	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A62	
Vul: EW	♦ K976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ63	

Board: 313	♠ AK65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J108	
Vul: Both	♦ K102	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK8	

Board: 314	♠ A42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K98	
Vul: None	♦ KQ543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 94	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 310	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ108	♠ A62		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQ10	♥ 2	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 1072	♦ A943	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ2	♣ A10763	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 311	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K85	♠ AQ92				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ K762	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 10	♦ AJ8654	♦ 732				
South HCP: 14	♣ 984	♣ KQ				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 312	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ62	♠ 53		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ KJ83	♥ A62	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A52	♦ K976	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 85	♣ KQ63	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 313	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J2	♠ AK65				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ A2	♥ J108	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11	♦ QJ83	♦ K102	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ QJ1052	♣ AK8	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 314	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K6	♠ A42		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ J4	♥ K98	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A9876	♦ KQ543	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ82	♣ 94	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 315	♠ 63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J7	
Vul: NS	♦ J93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AQ7654	

Board: 316	♠ Q763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK62	
Vul: None	♦ K652	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 6	

Board: 317	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 9765	

Board: 318	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ85	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1098	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J96	

Board: 319	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: None	♦ Q8654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ87	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 315	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 63	♠ KQJ2				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J7	♥ AQ2				
North HCP: 8	♦ J93	♦ 762	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ7654	♣ 1093				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 316	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q763	♠ 102		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AK62	♥ 87				
North HCP: 12	♦ K652	♦ A983	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 6	♣ AKJ82	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 317	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A4	♠ J108				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q5	♥ AKJ				
North HCP: 11	♦ AJ974	♦ Q6532	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 9765	♣ K10				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 318	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ A52		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AQ85	♥ 10				
North HCP: 12	♦ Q1098	♦ 76432	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ J96	♣ AQ42	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 319	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ	♠ A1063				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q2	♥ K96				
North HCP: 11	♦ Q8654	♦ AJ92	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ87	♣ 105				
Contract: 3♦ S						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 315	♠ KQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ2	
Vul: NS	♦ 762	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1093	

Board: 316	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 87	
Vul: None	♦ A983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ82	

Board: 317	♠ J108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ	
Vul: NS	♦ Q6532	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K10	

Board: 318	♠ A52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ 76432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQ42	

Board: 319	♠ A1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K96	
Vul: None	♦ AJ92	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 105	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 315	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 63	♠ KQJ2				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J7	♥ AQ2				
North HCP: 8	♦ J93	♦ 762	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ7654	♣ 1093				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 316	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q763	♠ 102		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ AK62	♥ 87				
North HCP: 12	♦ K652	♦ A983	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 6	♣ AKJ82	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 317	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A4	♠ J108				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q5	♥ AKJ				
North HCP: 11	♦ AJ974	♦ Q6532	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 9765	♣ K10				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 318	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ A52		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AQ85	♥ 10				
North HCP: 12	♦ Q1098	♦ 76432	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ J96	♣ AQ42	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 319	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ	♠ A1063				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q2	♥ K96				
North HCP: 11	♦ Q8654	♦ AJ92	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ87	♣ 105				
Contract: 3♦ S						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 320	♠ AJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K3	
Vul: NS	♦ AK9762	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A	

Board: 321	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: Both	♦ J942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J8752	

Board: 322	♠ AJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ2	
Vul: NS	♦ 9765	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQ	

Board: 323	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 872	
Vul: None	♦ Q943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ6	

Board: 324	♠ A102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: EW	♦ A954	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ86	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 320  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 19  
 South HCP: 10  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ AJ106  
 ♥ K3  
 ♦ AK9762  
 ♣ A

South:  
 ♠ K  
 ♥ QJ10  
 ♦ J1053  
 ♣ QJ1086

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

Board: 321  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 11  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ A6  
 ♥ KQ  
 ♦ J942  
 ♣ J8752

South:  
 ♠ K742  
 ♥ A1084  
 ♦ Q53  
 ♣ A6

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 322  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 19  
 South HCP: 11  
 Contract: 5♦ N

North:  
 ♠ AJ10  
 ♥ KQ2  
 ♦ 9765  
 ♣ AKQ

South:  
 ♠ 92  
 ♥ A10  
 ♦ KQJ4  
 ♣ J10942

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
	AP		

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

Board: 323  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ AJ2  
 ♥ 872  
 ♦ Q943  
 ♣ KQ6

South:  
 ♠ Q6  
 ♥ AK105  
 ♦ 7652  
 ♣ A43

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 324  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ A102  
 ♥ Q8  
 ♦ A954  
 ♣ KJ86

South:  
 ♠ Q7  
 ♥ AJ9  
 ♦ KQ1032  
 ♣ 1095

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 320	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ J1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ QJ1086	

Board: 321	♠ K742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1084	
Vul: Both	♦ Q53	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A6	

Board: 322	♠ 92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J10942	

Board: 323	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK105	
Vul: None	♦ 7652	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A43	

Board: 324	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ9	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ1032	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1095	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 320  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 10  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AJ106  
♥ K3  
♦ AK9762  
♣ A

South:  
♠ K  
♥ QJ10  
♦ J1053  
♣ QJ1086

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

Board: 321  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ A6  
♥ KQ  
♦ J942  
♣ J8752

South:  
♠ K742  
♥ A1084  
♦ Q53  
♣ A6

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 322  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 11  
Contract: 5♦ N

North:  
♠ AJ10  
♥ KQ2  
♦ 9765  
♣ AKQ

South:  
♠ 92  
♥ A10  
♦ KQJ4  
♣ J10942

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
	AP		

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

Board: 323  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AJ2  
♥ 872  
♦ Q943  
♣ KQ6

South:  
♠ Q6  
♥ AK105  
♦ 7652  
♣ A43

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 324  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ A102  
♥ Q8  
♦ A954  
♣ KJ86

South:  
♠ Q7  
♥ AJ9  
♦ KQ1032  
♣ 1095

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 325	♠ QJ	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: Both	♦ A9843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J942	

Board: 326	♠ J98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ73	
Vul: None	♦ K764	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A5	

Board: 327	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 95432	

Board: 328	♠ AK63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK6	
Vul: None	♦ J76	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A85	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 325  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 16  
 Contract: 6♦X S

North:  
 ♠ QJ  
 ♥ A2  
 ♦ A9843  
 ♣ J942

South:  
 ♠ A643  
 ♥ KJ4  
 ♦ KQJ76  
 ♣ Q

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♦
Pass	Pass	X	AP

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 326  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ J98  
 ♥ AJ73  
 ♦ K764  
 ♣ A5

South:  
 ♠ Q32  
 ♥ 1052  
 ♦ AQJ10  
 ♣ K63

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 327  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 5♣ S

North:  
 ♠ 5  
 ♥ AQJ  
 ♦ KQ109  
 ♣ 95432

South:  
 ♠ Q1043  
 ♥ 83  
 ♦ A63  
 ♣ AKJ6

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♣	AP	

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

Board: 328  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 19  
 South HCP: 11  
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:  
 ♠ AK63  
 ♥ AK6  
 ♦ J76  
 ♣ A85

South:  
 ♠ Q2  
 ♥ 973  
 ♦ A10  
 ♣ KQ9763

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
AP			

1. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 325	♠ A643	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ4	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ76	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Board: 326	♠ Q32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1052	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K63	

Board: 327	♠ Q1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 83	
Vul: Both	♦ A63	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKJ6	

Board: 328	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 973	
Vul: None	♦ A10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ9763	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 325  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 6♦X S

North:  
♠ QJ  
♥ A2  
♦ A9843  
♣ J942

South:  
♠ A643  
♥ KJ4  
♦ KQJ76  
♣ Q

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♦
Pass	Pass	X	AP

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 326  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ J98  
♥ AJ73  
♦ K764  
♣ A5

South:  
♠ Q32  
♥ 1052  
♦ AQJ10  
♣ K63

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 327  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 5♣ S

North:  
♠ 5  
♥ AQJ  
♦ KQ109  
♣ 95432

South:  
♠ Q1043  
♥ 83  
♦ A63  
♣ AKJ6

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♣	AP	

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

Board: 328  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 11  
Contract: 5♣ N

North:  
♠ AK63  
♥ AK6  
♦ J76  
♣ A85

South:  
♠ Q2  
♥ 973  
♦ A10  
♣ KQ9763

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
AP			

1. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 329	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: NS	♦ 987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J87654	

Board: 330	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q106	
Vul: EW	♦ J864	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK10	

Board: 331	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q108	
Vul: None	♦ J1098	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A10842	

Board: 332	♠ AK108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: NS	♦ 983	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ98	

Board: 333	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: EW	♦ 10954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ K10872	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 329

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K3

♥ K3

♦ 987

♣ J87654

South:

♠ AQJ2

♥ Q876

♦ KQ

♣ KQ9

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 330

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ Q106

♦ J864

♣ AK10

South:

♠ 874

♥ A9

♦ AK93

♣ 6543

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♠<sup>2</sup> AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 331

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ K

♥ Q108

♦ J1098

♣ A10842

South:

♠ J1095

♥ AJ75

♦ AK64

♣ J

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♦ AP

Board: 332

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AK108

♥ Q8

♦ 983

♣ KQ98

South:

♠ 943

♥ A10

♦ A75

♣ A10743

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 333

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ 4

♦ 10954

♣ K10872

South:

♠ KQ105

♥ A765

♦ J

♣ A953

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ AP



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 329	♠ AQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q876	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ9	

Board: 330	♠ 874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: EW	♦ AK93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 6543	

Board: 331	♠ J1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ75	
Vul: None	♦ AK64	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J	

Board: 332	♠ 943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: NS	♦ A75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10743	

Board: 333	♠ KQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A765	
Vul: EW	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A953	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 329

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K3

♥ K3

♦ 987

♣ J87654

South:

♠ AQJ2

♥ Q876

♦ KQ

♣ KQ9

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 330

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ Q106

♦ J864

♣ AK10

South:

♠ 874

♥ A9

♦ AK93

♣ 6543

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♠<sup>2</sup> AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 331

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ K

♥ Q108

♦ J1098

♣ A10842

South:

♠ J1095

♥ AJ75

♦ AK64

♣ J

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♦ AP

Board: 332

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AK108

♥ Q8

♦ 983

♣ KQ98

South:

♠ 943

♥ A10

♦ A75

♣ A10743

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 333

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ 4

♦ 10954

♣ K10872

South:

♠ KQ105

♥ A765

♦ J

♣ A953

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 334	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ86	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ52	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 64	

Board: 335	♠ 976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ 98642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A942	

Board: 336	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ J976	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ9	

Board: 337	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: None	♦ J94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ6542	

Board: 338	♠ A1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK86	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K753	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 334	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A43	♠ KQ		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ86	♥ —	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ KJ52	♦ 87643	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 64	♣ AJ8752	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 335	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 976	♠ AJ54				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ QJ54	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 8	♦ 98642	♦ Q103				
South HCP: 13	♣ A942	♣ K5				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 336	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 72	♠ QJ4		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ9	♥ K10	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J976	♦ K8542	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AJ9	♣ Q105	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 337	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K8	♠ A53				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 96	♥ KQ53	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9	♦ J94	♦ AK6	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ AJ6542	♣ Q103				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 338	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1062	♠ 987		1♣	Pass	3♣
Vul: EW	♥ AK86	♥ Q	AP			
North HCP: 14	♦ 9	♦ Q863				
South HCP: 11	♣ K753	♣ AQJ62				
Contract: 3♣ N						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 334	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ 87643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ8752	

Board: 335	♠ AJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ54	
Vul: EW	♦ Q103	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K5	

Board: 336	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	
Vul: Both	♦ K8542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q105	

Board: 337	♠ A53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ53	
Vul: None	♦ AK6	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q103	

Board: 338	♠ 987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ Q863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ62	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 334	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A43	♠ KQ		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ86	♥ —	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ KJ52	♦ 87643	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 64	♣ AJ8752	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 335	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 976	♠ AJ54				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ QJ54	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 8	♦ 98642	♦ Q103				
South HCP: 13	♣ A942	♣ K5				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 336	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 72	♠ QJ4		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ9	♥ K10	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J976	♦ K8542	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AJ9	♣ Q105	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 337	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K8	♠ A53				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 96	♥ KQ53	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9	♦ J94	♦ AK6	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ AJ6542	♣ Q103				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 338	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1062	♠ 987		1♣	Pass	3♣
Vul: EW	♥ AK86	♥ Q	AP			
North HCP: 14	♦ 9	♦ Q863				
South HCP: 11	♣ K753	♣ AQJ62				
Contract: 3♣ N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 339	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	
Vul: Both	♦ K875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ10987	
Board: 340	♠ AJ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 943	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q64	
Board: 341	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A75	
Vul: None	♦ Q985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J10985	
Board: 342	♠ AQ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q973	
Vul: NS	♦ K652	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K	
Board: 343	♠ K102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K76	
Vul: EW	♦ 9842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 339

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ J

♥ 92

♦ K875

♣ AJ10987

South:

♠ KQ64

♥ AKJ3

♦ A432

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	3♦	AP	
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Board: 340

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ AJ109

♥ 943

♦ AJ10

♣ Q64

South:

♠ 53

♥ A62

♦ K87

♣ A10952

West	North	East	South
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1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
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AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 341

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ Q

♥ A75

♦ Q985

♣ J10985

South:

♠ A1092

♥ QJ8

♦ A106

♣ Q76

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	3♣	AP	
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Board: 342

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ AQ93

♥ Q973

♦ K652

♣ K

South:

♠ K62

♥ K

♦ J10973

♣ A543

West	North	East	South
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1♦ Pass 3♦

AP

West	North	East	South
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1♦

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 343

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ K102

♥ K76

♦ 9842

♣ KQJ

South:

♠ Q86

♥ A3

♦ AKQ10763

♣ 9



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 339	♠ KQ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ3	
Vul: Both	♦ A432	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q	

Board: 340	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A62	
Vul: NS	♦ K87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A10952	

Board: 341	♠ A1092	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ8	
Vul: None	♦ A106	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q76	

Board: 342	♠ K62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ J10973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A543	

Board: 343	♠ Q86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ10763	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 9	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 339

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ J

♥ 92

♦ K875

♣ AJ10987

South:

♠ KQ64

♥ AKJ3

♦ A432

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	3♦	AP	
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Board: 340

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ AJ109

♥ 943

♦ AJ10

♣ Q64

South:

♠ 53

♥ A62

♦ K87

♣ A10952

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass

2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
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AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 341

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ Q

♥ A75

♦ Q985

♣ J10985

South:

♠ A1092

♥ QJ8

♦ A106

♣ Q76

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	3♣	AP	
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Board: 342

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ AQ93

♥ Q973

♦ K652

♣ K

South:

♠ K62

♥ K

♦ J10973

♣ A543

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass

3♦

AP

West	North	East	South
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1♦

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 343

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ K102

♥ K76

♦ 9842

♣ KQJ

South:

♠ Q86

♥ A3

♦ AKQ10763

♣ 9

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 344	♠ KQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A542	
Vul: None	♦ AJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 3	

Board: 345	♠ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 75	
Vul: NS	♦ 7632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ43	

Board: 346	♠ Q42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ AK102	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J72	

Board: 347	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: Both	♦ K986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK743	

Board: 348	♠ A1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q108	
Vul: None	♦ AQ97	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 344	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ8	♠ 76		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A542	♥ 983	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ73	♦ KQ65	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 3	♣ AQ85	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 345	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ7	♠ 86				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 75	♥ AKJ10	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ 7632	♦ AQ98	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ43	♣ 1087	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 346	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q42	♠ 86		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ KJ3	♥ A94	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14	♦ AK102	♦ Q643	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J72	♣ AQ43	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 347	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 72	♠ AK94				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J8	♥ AK54	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 11	♦ K986	♦ Q7432	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 16	♣ AK743	♣ —	AP			
Contract: 6♦ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 348	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1064	♠ Q		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q108	♥ AK5	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ97	♦ 10653	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 11	♣ AK	♣ Q9432	Pass	6♦	AP	
Contract: 6♦ N			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 344	♠ 76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 983	
Vul: None	♦ KQ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ85	

Board: 345	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ98	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1087	

Board: 346	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A94	
Vul: NS	♦ Q643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ43	

Board: 347	♠ AK94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK54	
Vul: Both	♦ Q7432	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Board: 348	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK5	
Vul: None	♦ 10653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q9432	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 344	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ8	♠ 76		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A542	♥ 983	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ73	♦ KQ65	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 3	♣ AQ85	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 345	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ7	♠ 86				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 75	♥ AKJ10	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ 7632	♦ AQ98	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ43	♣ 1087	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 346	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q42	♠ 86		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ KJ3	♥ A94	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14	♦ AK102	♦ Q643	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J72	♣ AQ43	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 347	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 72	♠ AK94				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J8	♥ AK54	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 11	♦ K986	♦ Q7432	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 16	♣ AK743	♣ —	AP			
Contract: 6♦ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 348	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1064	♠ Q		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ Q108	♥ AK5	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ97	♦ 10653	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 11	♣ AK	♣ Q9432	Pass	6♦	AP	
Contract: 6♦ N			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 349	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: EW	♦ A73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K98732	

Board: 350	♠ AQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A86	
Vul: Both	♦ 8653	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K5	

Board: 351	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ10	
Vul: None	♦ J632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KJ753	

Board: 352	♠ AJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ7	
Vul: NS	♦ Q7	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K72	

Board: 353	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 103	
Vul: Both	♦ K8654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQ862	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 349

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 105

♥ Q8

♦ A73

♣ K98732

South:

♠ KQ63

♥ 9753

♦ KJ

♣ A54

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ AP

Board: 350

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ3

♥ A86

♦ 8653

♣ K5

South:

♠ K74

♥ J3

♦ KQ104

♣ Q1094

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 351

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ 9

♥ KJ10

♦ J632

♣ KJ753

South:

♠ AQ106

♥ A542

♦ AQ108

♣ 8

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♦ AP

Board: 352

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AJ102

♥ AKJ7

♦ Q7

♣ K72

South:

♠ K6

♥ 105

♦ K1085

♣ AQ1084

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 6NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 353

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ Q

♥ 103

♦ K8654

♣ KQ862

South:

♠ KJ5

♥ AQJ

♦ AQJ103

♣ J5

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 6♦ AP



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 349	♠ KQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9753	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A54	

Board: 350	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J3	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q1094	

Board: 351	♠ AQ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A542	
Vul: None	♦ AQ108	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 8	

Board: 352	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 105	
Vul: NS	♦ K1085	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ1084	

Board: 353	♠ KJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ103	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ J5	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 349

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 105

♥ Q8

♦ A73

♣ K98732

South:

♠ KQ63

♥ 9753

♦ KJ

♣ A54

West North East South

1♣

Pass 3♣ AP

Board: 350

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ3

♥ A86

♦ 8653

♣ K5

South:

♠ K74

♥ J3

♦ KQ104

♣ Q1094

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 351

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ 9

♥ KJ10

♦ J632

♣ KJ753

South:

♠ AQ106

♥ A542

♦ AQ108

♣ 8

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♦ AP

Board: 352

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AJ102

♥ AKJ7

♦ Q7

♣ K72

South:

♠ K6

♥ 105

♦ K1085

♣ AQ1084

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 6NT

AP

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 353

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ Q

♥ 103

♦ K8654

♣ KQ862

South:

♠ KJ5

♥ AQJ

♦ AQJ103

♣ J5

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 6♦ AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 354	♠ AQ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ42	
Vul: None	♦ Q42	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 75	

Board: 355	♠ 965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ83	

Board: 356	♠ KQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9	
Vul: None	♦ A863	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 987	

Board: 357	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A42	
Vul: NS	♦ J875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q9642	

Board: 358	♠ Q1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A52	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ76	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K5	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 354

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ AQ86

♥ KJ42

♦ Q42

♣ 75

South:

♠ 73

♥ A8

♦ A1053

♣ QJ842

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 355

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 965

♥ 4

♦ AQ743

♣ AQ83

South:

♠ A1087

♥ AK83

♦ K95

♣ 72

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 356

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ KQ32

♥ K9

♦ A863

♣ 987

South:

♠ J7

♥ A54

♦ 10542

♣ AK52

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 357

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ A

♥ A42

♦ J875

♣ Q9642

South:

♠ KJ3

♥ J87

♦ AK1064

♣ AK

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♦

AP

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 358

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q1042

♥ A52

♦ KJ76

♣ K5

South:

♠ A76

♥ 73

♦ AQ94

♣ J862

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 354	♠ 73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: None	♦ A1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ842	

Board: 355	♠ A1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK83	
Vul: NS	♦ K95	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 72	

Board: 356	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A54	
Vul: None	♦ 10542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK52	

Board: 357	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J87	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1064	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK	

Board: 358	♠ A76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 73	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J862	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 354

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ AQ86

♥ KJ42

♦ Q42

♣ 75

South:

♠ 73

♥ A8

♦ A1053

♣ QJ842

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 355

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 965

♥ 4

♦ AQ743

♣ AQ83

South:

♠ A1087

♥ AK83

♦ K95

♣ 72

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 356

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ KQ32

♥ K9

♦ A863

♣ 987

South:

♠ J7

♥ A54

♦ 10542

♣ AK52

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 357

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ A

♥ A42

♦ J875

♣ Q9642

South:

♠ KJ3

♥ J87

♦ AK1064

♣ AK

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 358

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q1042

♥ A52

♦ KJ76

♣ K5

South:

♠ A76

♥ 73

♦ AQ94

♣ J862

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 359	♠ Q94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ Q952	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ954	

Board: 360	♠ QJ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ87	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 3	

Board: 361	♠ 92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: Both	♦ A8543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ86	

Board: 362	♠ A52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK3	
Vul: EW	♦ K765	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 764	

Board: 363	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 107	
Vul: Both	♦ A10952	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ96	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 359	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q94	♠ A75				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ A954	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ Q952	♦ A7	Pass	3♣	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ954	♣ J1073	AP			
Contract: 5♣ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 360	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ63	♠ A42				
Vul: EW	♥ AJ87	♥ K		1♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQ7	♦ 10832	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 3	♣ KJ1076				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 361	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 92	♠ AK75				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q8	♥ AJ106				
North HCP: 11	♦ A8543	♦ Q96	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ86	♣ 93				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 362	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A52	♠ Q86		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AK3	♥ J	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ K765	♦ AQ108	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 764	♣ QJ982	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 363	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ	♠ AQ72				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 107	♥ Q843	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ A10952	♦ K87	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ96	♣ Q7	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 359	♠ A75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A954	
Vul: NS	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J1073	

Board: 360	♠ A42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ 10832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ1076	

Board: 361	♠ AK75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ106	
Vul: Both	♦ Q96	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 93	

Board: 362	♠ Q86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ982	

Board: 363	♠ AQ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q843	
Vul: Both	♦ K87	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q7	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 359	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q94	♠ A75				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ A954	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ Q952	♦ A7	Pass	3♣	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ954	♣ J1073	AP			
Contract: 5♣ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 360	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ63	♠ A42				
Vul: EW	♥ AJ87	♥ K		1♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQ7	♦ 10832	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 3	♣ KJ1076				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 361	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 92	♠ AK75				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q8	♥ AJ106				
North HCP: 11	♦ A8543	♦ Q96	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ86	♣ 93				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 362	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A52	♠ Q86		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♥ AK3	♥ J	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ K765	♦ AQ108	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 764	♣ QJ982	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 363	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ	♠ AQ72				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 107	♥ Q843	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ A10952	♦ K87	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ96	♣ Q7	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3N N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 364	♠ AQJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A94	
Vul: None	♦ KJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ QJ9	

Board: 365	♠ Q106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 653	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ10	

Board: 366	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J76	
Vul: Both	♦ J653	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ4	

Board: 367	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A108	
Vul: None	♦ K643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 743	

Board: 368	♠ AKQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ83	
Vul: NS	♦ K983	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 364	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ6	♠ K9		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A94	♥ K5	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ KJ8	♦ AQ64	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ9	♣ 107653				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 365	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q106	♠ AKJ8				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 653	♥ AK102	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ63	♦ 1098	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 19	♣ KQ10	♣ A7	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	AP	
Contract: 5♦ S						

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 366	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK7	♠ 65		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J76	♥ A54	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ J653	♦ K1098	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQ4	♣ A1096				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 367	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ4	♠ A62				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A108	♥ Q52	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ K643	♦ 10952	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 743	♣ AK5				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 368	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ3	♠ 986				
Vul: NS	♥ KJ83	♥ Q7		1♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17	♦ K983	♦ AQJ75	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ J	♣ Q103				
Contract: 3♦ N						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 364	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	
Vul: None	♦ AQ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 107653	

Board: 365	♠ AKJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK102	
Vul: NS	♦ 1098	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A7	

Board: 366	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A54	
Vul: Both	♦ K1098	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A1096	

Board: 367	♠ A62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q52	
Vul: None	♦ 10952	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK5	

Board: 368	♠ 986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q103	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 364	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ6	♠ K9		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ A94	♥ K5	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ KJ8	♦ AQ64	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ9	♣ 107653				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 365	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q106	♠ AKJ8				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 653	♥ AK102	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ63	♦ 1098	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 19	♣ KQ10	♣ A7	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	AP	
Contract: 5♦ S						

1. Inverted minors  
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦  
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 366	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK7	♠ 65		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ J76	♥ A54	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ J653	♦ K1098	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQ4	♣ A1096				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 367	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ4	♠ A62				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A108	♥ Q52	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ K643	♦ 10952	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 743	♣ AK5				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 368	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ3	♠ 986				
Vul: NS	♥ KJ83	♥ Q7		1♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17	♦ K983	♦ AQJ75	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ J	♣ Q103				
Contract: 3♦ N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 369	♠ 97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: EW	♦ J10976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AK1053	

Board: 370	♠ 106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1064	
Vul: None	♦ QJ104	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK5	

Board: 371	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 72	
Vul: NS	♦ 653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ43	

Board: 372	♠ K752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ J104	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ8	

Board: 373	♠ J83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A852	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 369

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ 97

♥ 5

♦ J10976

♣ AK1053

South:

♠ AK6

♥ 8732

♦ KQ54

♣ Q4

West North East South

Pass 3♦ AP 1♦

Board: 370

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ 106

♥ Q1064

♦ QJ104

♣ AK5

South:

♠ AK3

♥ 8

♦ K9852

♣ J932

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 371

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ A63

♥ 72

♦ 653

♣ AQJ43

South:

♠ 8754

♥ 1096

♦ AKQ

♣ K105

West North East South

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣ AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 372

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K752

♥ KJ5

♦ J104

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ 104

♥ A86

♦ A92

♣ K10932

West North East South

Pass 1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 373

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ J83

♥ A9

♦ QJ63

♣ A852

South:

♠ KQ

♥ K1054

♦ AK94

♣ K43

West North East South

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 3NT

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣ Pass 5♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 369	♠ AK6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8732	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ54	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q4	

Board: 370	♠ AK3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: None	♦ K9852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J932	

Board: 371	♠ 8754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1096	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K105	

Board: 372	♠ 104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A86	
Vul: EW	♦ A92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K10932	

Board: 373	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1054	
Vul: NS	♦ AK94	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K43	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 369

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ 97

♥ 5

♦ J10976

♣ AK1053

South:

♠ AK6

♥ 8732

♦ KQ54

♣ Q4

West North East South

Pass 3♦ AP 1♦

Board: 370

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ 106

♥ Q1064

♦ QJ104

♣ AK5

South:

♠ AK3

♥ 8

♦ K9852

♣ J932

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 371

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ A63

♥ 72

♦ 653

♣ AQJ43

South:

♠ 8754

♥ 1096

♦ AKQ

♣ K105

West North East South

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣ AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 372

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K752

♥ KJ5

♦ J104

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ 104

♥ A86

♦ A92

♣ K10932

West North East South

Pass 1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 373

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ J83

♥ A9

♦ QJ63

♣ A852

South:

♠ KQ

♥ K1054

♦ AK94

♣ K43

West North East South

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 3NT

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣ Pass 5♦

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 374	♠ Q103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ65	
Vul: EW	♦ AK97	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K4	

Board: 375	♠ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J7	
Vul: Both	♦ 9654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ73	

Board: 376	♠ AKQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 753	
Vul: None	♦ 94	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K954	

Board: 377	♠ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 107	
Vul: EW	♦ A8762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 1084	

Board: 378	♠ AKQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK76	
Vul: Both	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ 1052	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 374			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: EW	♠ Q103	♠ AK	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 18	♥ AQ65	♥ 1094	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 12	♦ AK97	♦ Q1086	Pass	5♦	Pass	5NT
Contract: 5N N	♣ K4	♣ QJ93	AP			
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			

Board: 375			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: Both	♠ AKJ	♠ 103	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♥ J7	♥ K106	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♦ 9654	♦ QJ32				
Contract: 3N N	♣ QJ73	♣ AK52	1. Inverted minors			

Board: 376			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♠ AKQJ	♠ 982	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♥ 753	♥ KJ	AP			
South HCP: 10	♦ 94	♦ K3	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ N	♣ K954	♣ QJ8632				

Board: 377			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: EW	♠ AK2	♠ Q864	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♥ 107	♥ A42	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 12	♦ A8762	♦ Q943	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♦ S	♣ 1084	♣ A7				

Board: 378			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♠ AKQ4	♠ 975	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 19	♥ AK76	♥ 32	1. Inverted minors			
South HCP: 11	♦ K2	♦ Q64				
Contract: 3N N	♣ 1052	♣ AKQ43				

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 374	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1094	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ93	

Board: 375	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K106	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ32	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK52	

Board: 376	♠ 982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: None	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ QJ8632	

Board: 377	♠ Q864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A42	
Vul: EW	♦ Q943	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A7	

Board: 378	♠ 975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 32	
Vul: Both	♦ Q64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AKQ43	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 374  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 5N N

North:  
♠ Q103  
♥ AQ65  
♦ AK97  
♣ K4

South:  
♠ AK  
♥ 1094  
♦ Q1086  
♣ QJ93

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	5♦	Pass	5NT
AP			

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 375  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AKJ  
♥ J7  
♦ 9654  
♣ QJ73

South:  
♠ 103  
♥ K106  
♦ QJ32  
♣ AK52

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 376  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 10  
Contract: 3♣ N

North:  
♠ AKQJ  
♥ 753  
♦ 94  
♣ K954

South:  
♠ 982  
♥ KJ  
♦ K3  
♣ QJ8632

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
AP			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 377  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3♦ S

North:  
♠ AK2  
♥ 107  
♦ A8762  
♣ 1084

South:  
♠ Q864  
♥ A42  
♦ Q943  
♣ A7

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 378  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 11  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AKQ4  
♥ AK76  
♦ K2  
♣ 1052

South:  
♠ 975  
♥ 32  
♦ Q64  
♣ AKQ43

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 379	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1076	
Vul: None	♦ K32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK863	

Board: 380	♠ AK105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ54	
Vul: NS	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q84	

Board: 381	♠ Q73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ A752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J9752	

Board: 382	♠ AQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ4	
Vul: None	♦ A104	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A108	

Board: 383	♠ KJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J3	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ953	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 972	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 379	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q10	♠ AK76				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 1076	♥ Q93	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ K32	♦ Q74	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AK863	♣ Q54				
Contract: 3♣ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 380	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK105	♠ 943		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ54	♥ K3	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ A9	♦ K106	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q84	♣ AJ953				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 381	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q73	♠ KJ62				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ KQJ9				
North HCP: 7	♦ A752	♦ 84	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ J9752	♣ K108				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 382	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ105	♠ J3		1♣	Pass	3♣
Vul: None	♥ AJ4	♥ 10				
North HCP: 19	♦ A104	♦ KJ72	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ A108	♣ QJ5432				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 383	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ10	♠ A852				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ J3	♥ AQ62	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ953	♦ KJ82	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 17	♣ 972	♣ K	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♦ S			Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♦
			AP			
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
			4. A=1/5 or 4/5			



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 379	♠ AK76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q93	
Vul: None	♦ Q74	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q54	

Board: 380	♠ 943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K3	
Vul: NS	♦ K106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ953	

Board: 381	♠ KJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ 84	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K108	

Board: 382	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: None	♦ KJ72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ QJ5432	

Board: 383	♠ A852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ62	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ82	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 379	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q10	♠ AK76				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 1076	♥ Q93	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ K32	♦ Q74	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AK863	♣ Q54				
Contract: 3♣ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 380	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK105	♠ 943		1♣	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: NS	♥ AJ54	♥ K3	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ A9	♦ K106	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q84	♣ AJ953				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 381	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q73	♠ KJ62				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ KQJ9				
North HCP: 7	♦ A752	♦ 84	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ J9752	♣ K108				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 382	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ105	♠ J3		1♣	Pass	3♣
Vul: None	♥ AJ4	♥ 10				
North HCP: 19	♦ A104	♦ KJ72	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ A108	♣ QJ5432				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 383	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ10	♠ A852				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ J3	♥ AQ62	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ953	♦ KJ82	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 17	♣ 972	♣ K	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Contract: 6♦ S			Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♦
			AP			
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
			4. A=1/5 or 4/5			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 384	♠ Q843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ10	
Vul: None	♦ 72	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K106	

Board: 385	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J9	
Vul: EW	♦ 106432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ75	

Board: 386	♠ Q62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A103	
Vul: Both	♦ AK764	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 94	

Board: 387	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J5	
Vul: NS	♦ K983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK1062	

Board: 388	♠ AKQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A107	
Vul: EW	♦ 53	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ84	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 384

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ Q843

♥ AKQ10

♦ 72

♣ K106

South:

♠ J

♥ J9

♦ AQJ3

♣ Q97532

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 385

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ A

♥ J9

♦ 106432

♣ AQJ75

South:

♠ KQJ5

♥ AQ106

♦ KJ75

♣ 4

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Splitter

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 386

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q62

♥ A103

♦ AK764

♣ 94

South:

♠ K43

♥ J

♦ QJ1032

♣ AJ65

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 387

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 52

♥ J5

♦ K983

♣ AK1062

South:

♠ AQ63

♥ KQ96

♦ Q1064

♣ Q

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 388

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ AKQ5

♥ A107

♦ 53

♣ AJ84

South:

♠ 74

♥ Q8

♦ AK74

♣ Q10972

West North East South

1♣ Pass 3♣

AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 384	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q97532	

Board: 385	♠ KQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ106	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ75	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 4	

Board: 386	♠ K43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ1032	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ65	

Board: 387	♠ AQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ96	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1064	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

Board: 388	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: EW	♦ AK74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q10972	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 384

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ Q843

♥ AKQ10

♦ 72

♣ K106

South:

♠ J

♥ J9

♦ AQJ3

♣ Q97532

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 385

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ A

♥ J9

♦ 106432

♣ AQJ75

South:

♠ KQJ5

♥ AQ106

♦ KJ75

♣ 4

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Splitter

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 386

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q62

♥ A103

♦ AK764

♣ 94

South:

♠ K43

♥ J

♦ QJ1032

♣ AJ65

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 387

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 52

♥ J5

♦ K983

♣ AK1062

South:

♠ AQ63

♥ KQ96

♦ Q1064

♣ Q

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 388

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ AKQ5

♥ A107

♦ 53

♣ AJ84

South:

♠ 74

♥ Q8

♦ AK74

♣ Q10972

West North East South

1♣ Pass 3♣

AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 389	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: Both	♦ K10742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ QJ10853	
Board: 390	♠ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q72	
Vul: None	♦ K104	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ5	
Board: 391	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A103	
Vul: Both	♦ 1094	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK876	
Board: 392	♠ A954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A108	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A73	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 389

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ —

♥ K5

♦ K10742

♣ QJ10853

South:

♠ KJ87

♥ A92

♦ AQJ83

♣ A

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 390

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQJ4

♥ Q72

♦ K104

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ 3

♥ AK10

♦ 9732

♣ K9632

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 391

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 105

♥ A103

♦ 1094

♣ AK876

South:

♠ KJ73

♥ K62

♦ KJ6

♣ Q54

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 392

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ A954

♥ A108

♦ KQJ

♣ A73

South:

♠ 106

♥ KJ9

♦ 87

♣ KQJ1095

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 389	♠ KJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A92	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ83	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A	

Board: 390	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: None	♦ 9732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K9632	

Board: 391	♠ KJ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K62	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q54	

Board: 392	♠ 106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ9	
Vul: None	♦ 87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQJ1095	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 389

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ —

♥ K5

♦ K10742

♣ QJ10853

South:

♠ KJ87

♥ A92

♦ AQJ83

♣ A

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 390

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQJ4

♥ Q72

♦ K104

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ 3

♥ AK10

♦ 9732

♣ K9632

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 391

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ 105

♥ A103

♦ 1094

♣ AK876

South:

♠ KJ73

♥ K62

♦ KJ6

♣ Q54

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 392

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ A954

♥ A108

♦ KQJ

♣ A73

South:

♠ 106

♥ KJ9

♦ 87

♣ KQJ1095

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♣

AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 393	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ K1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K9874	

Board: 394	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ A6542	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q64	

Board: 395	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: EW	♦ J1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ973	

Board: 396	♠ QJ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: None	♦ AJ108	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 743	

Board: 397	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: EW	♦ K95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQJ9853	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 393  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6♣ S

North:  
♠ J  
♥ KJ3  
♦ K1064  
♣ K9874

South:  
♠ AK3  
♥ A64  
♦ A92  
♣ A1062

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
3. A=1/5 or 4/5
4. no ♣ queen

Board: 394  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 11  
Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
♠ K8  
♥ QJ8  
♦ A6542  
♣ Q64

South:  
♠ A62  
♥ 75  
♦ Q987  
♣ AJ32

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 395  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 2N N

North:  
♠ K6  
♥ Q6  
♦ J1072  
♣ AJ973

South:  
♠ A875  
♥ 9872  
♦ A94  
♣ KQ

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
Pass	2NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 396  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 2N N

North:  
♠ QJ97  
♥ A3  
♦ AJ108  
♣ 743

South:  
♠ 1084  
♥ J10  
♦ KQ53  
♣ AQ92

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 397  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 5♣ S

North:  
♠ Q7  
♥ 6  
♦ K95  
♣ KQJ9853

South:  
♠ A93  
♥ KQ42  
♦ J10  
♣ A1072

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	5♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 393	♠ AK3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A64	
Vul: NS	♦ A92	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A1062	

Board: 394	♠ A62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 75	
Vul: NS	♦ Q987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ32	

Board: 395	♠ A875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9872	
Vul: EW	♦ A94	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ	

Board: 396	♠ 1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	
Vul: None	♦ KQ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ92	

Board: 397	♠ A93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ42	
Vul: EW	♦ J10	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A1072	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 393  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6♣ S

North:  
♠ J  
♥ KJ3  
♦ K1064  
♣ K9874

South:  
♠ AK3  
♥ A64  
♦ A92  
♣ A1062

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
3. A=1/5 or 4/5
4. no ♣ queen

Board: 394  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 11  
Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
♠ K8  
♥ QJ8  
♦ A6542  
♣ Q64

South:  
♠ A62  
♥ 75  
♦ Q987  
♣ AJ32

West	North	East	South
			1♦
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 395  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 2N N

North:  
♠ K6  
♥ Q6  
♦ J1072  
♣ AJ973

South:  
♠ A875  
♥ 9872  
♦ A94  
♣ KQ

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠
Pass	2NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 396  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 2N N

North:  
♠ QJ97  
♥ A3  
♦ AJ108  
♣ 743

South:  
♠ 1084  
♥ J10  
♦ KQ53  
♣ AQ92

West	North	East	South
			1♦
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	AP	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 397  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 11  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 5♣ S

North:  
♠ Q7  
♥ 6  
♦ K95  
♣ KQJ9853

South:  
♠ A93  
♥ KQ42  
♦ J10  
♣ A1072

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	5♣	AP	

1. Inverted minors

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 398	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1072	
Vul: Both	♦ AK73	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A9	

Board: 399	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A87	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 109632	

Board: 400	♠ KJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q765	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ43	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

Board: 401	♠ K94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ953	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K1085	

Board: 402	♠ AJ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ43	
Vul: None	♦ AQ102	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 398	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ9	♠ Q		1♦	Pass	3♦
Vul: Both	♥ K1072	♥ QJ6				
North HCP: 19	♦ AK73	♦ Q10542	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ A9	♣ QJ107				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 399	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K7	♠ QJ83				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A87	♥ J109	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ5	♦ Q104	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 109632	♣ AK5				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 400	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ93	♠ 5		1♦	Pass	3♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q765	♥ A32				
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ43	♦ KQ92	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ A	♣ 108752				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 401	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K94	♠ J1073				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J	♥ AKQ5	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ953	♦ KQ4	Pass	6♦	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ K1085	♣ QJ				
Contract: 6♦ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 402	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ94	♠ K86		1♦	Pass	3♦
Vul: None	♥ KJ43	♥ 6				
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ102	♦ J853	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ A	♣ KQ763				
Contract: 3N N						



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 398	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ6	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ QJ107	

Board: 399	♠ QJ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J109	
Vul: NS	♦ Q104	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK5	

Board: 400	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A32	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 108752	

Board: 401	♠ J1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ5	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ QJ	

Board: 402	♠ K86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: None	♦ J853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KQ763	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 398	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ9	♠ Q		1♦	Pass	3♦
Vul: Both	♥ K1072	♥ QJ6				
North HCP: 19	♦ AK73	♦ Q10542	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ A9	♣ QJ107				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 399	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K7	♠ QJ83				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A87	♥ J109	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ5	♦ Q104	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 109632	♣ AK5				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 400	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ93	♠ 5		1♦	Pass	3♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q765	♥ A32				
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ43	♦ KQ92	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ A	♣ 108752				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 401	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K94	♠ J1073				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J	♥ AKQ5	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ953	♦ KQ4	Pass	6♦	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ K1085	♣ QJ				
Contract: 6♦ S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 402	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ94	♠ K86		1♦	Pass	3♦
Vul: None	♥ KJ43	♥ 6				
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ102	♦ J853	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ A	♣ KQ763				
Contract: 3N N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 403	♠ 1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ A1082	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K83	

Board: 404	♠ J1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9653	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K	

Board: 405	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1074	
Vul: NS	♦ AK52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1097	

Board: 406	♠ KQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q64	
Vul: Both	♦ A10742	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 5	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 403	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1086	♠ KQ53				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AJ10	♥ KQ54	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ A1082	♦ QJ65	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K83	♣ 5				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 404	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1096	♠ 4		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 9653	♥ AKJ	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AKQ2	♦ J10853	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K	♣ QJ107				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 405	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J4	♠ A63				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 1074	♥ A53	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AK52	♦ 9763	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A1097	♣ KQ2				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 406	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ8	♠ 642		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ Q64	♥ K2	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ A10742	♦ 9863				
South HCP: 11	♣ 5	♣ AKJ7				
Contract: 3♦ N			1. Inverted minors			

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 403	♠ KQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ54	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ65	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 5	

Board: 404	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ	
Vul: None	♦ J10853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ107	

Board: 405	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A53	
Vul: NS	♦ 9763	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ2	

Board: 406	♠ 642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K2	
Vul: Both	♦ 9863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AKJ7	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 403	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1086	♠ KQ53				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AJ10	♥ KQ54	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ A1082	♦ QJ65	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K83	♣ 5				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 404	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1096	♠ 4		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: None	♥ 9653	♥ AKJ	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AKQ2	♦ J10853	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K	♣ QJ107				
Contract: 3N S			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 405	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J4	♠ A63				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 1074	♥ A53	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AK52	♦ 9763	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A1097	♣ KQ2				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 406	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ8	♠ 642		1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Vul: Both	♥ Q64	♥ K2	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ A10742	♦ 9863				
South HCP: 11	♣ 5	♣ AKJ7				
Contract: 3♦ N			1. Inverted minors			

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 407	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 72	
Vul: None	♦ KJ542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ32	

Board: 408	♠ AQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J4	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ87	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J64	

Board: 409	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ1096	

Board: 410	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK102	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ76	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ J9	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 407  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 7♣ S

North:  
♠ 5  
♥ 72  
♦ KJ542  
♣ AKJ32

South:  
♠ AQ106  
♥ AK9  
♦ A  
♣ 109654

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	7♣
	AP		

1. Inverted minors
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0
5. King ask by 5NT
6. K=1

Board: 408  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 11  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AQ105  
♥ J4  
♦ AJ87  
♣ J64

South:  
♠ 98  
♥ Q72  
♦ 10932  
♣ AKQ7

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

Board: 409  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 5♣ S

North:  
♠ AJ5  
♥ 6  
♦ QJ98  
♣ KJ1096

South:  
♠ KQ8  
♥ AK43  
♦ A42  
♣ Q74

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♣	AP	

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

Board: 410  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 9  
Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
♠ K9  
♥ AK102  
♦ AKJ76  
♣ J9

South:  
♠ Q72  
♥ 6  
♦ Q10842  
♣ KQ83

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♦
	AP		



## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 407	♠ AQ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK9	
Vul: None	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 109654	

Board: 408	♠ 98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q72	
Vul: NS	♦ 10932	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AKQ7	

Board: 409	♠ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK43	
Vul: EW	♦ A42	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q74	

Board: 410	♠ Q72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: None	♦ Q10842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KQ83	

# Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 407  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 7♣ S

North:  
♠ 5  
♥ 72  
♦ KJ542  
♣ AKJ32

South:  
♠ AQ106  
♥ AK9  
♦ A  
♣ 109654

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	7♣
	AP		

1. Inverted minors
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0
5. King ask by 5NT
6. K=1

Board: 408  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 11  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AQ105  
♥ J4  
♦ AJ87  
♣ J64

South:  
♠ 98  
♥ Q72  
♦ 10932  
♣ AKQ7

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors

Board: 409  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 5♣ S

North:  
♠ AJ5  
♥ 6  
♦ QJ98  
♣ KJ1096

South:  
♠ KQ8  
♥ AK43  
♦ A42  
♣ Q74

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♣	AP	

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

Board: 410  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 9  
Contract: 3♦ N

North:  
♠ K9  
♥ AK102  
♦ AKJ76  
♣ J9

South:  
♠ Q72  
♥ 6  
♦ Q10842  
♣ KQ83

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♦
	AP		

## North hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 411	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q9654	

Board: 412	♠ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A854	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K107	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 411	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 83	♠ K107				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ K7	♥ J932	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ KQJ9	♦ 1053	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q9654	♣ AKJ	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 412	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ3	♠ Q42				
Vul: Both	♥ A854	♥ J10		1♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 18	♦ KQJ	♦ 95	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ K107	♣ AJ8653				
Contract: 3N N						

## South hands (Practice Page)

### Inverted Minors

Board: 411	♠ K107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J932	
Vul: EW	♦ 1053	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ	

Board: 412	♠ Q42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	
Vul: Both	♦ 95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AJ8653	

## Inverted Minors Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 411	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 83	♠ K107				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ K7	♥ J932	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ KQJ9	♦ 1053	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q9654	♣ AKJ	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 412	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ3	♠ Q42				
Vul: Both	♥ A854	♥ J10		1♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 18	♦ KQJ	♦ 95	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ K107	♣ AJ8653				
Contract: 3N N						