

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 1	♠ 874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1085	
Vul: None	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q1093	

Board: 2	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8432	
Vul: NS	♦ K93	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K762	

Board: 3	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 86	
Vul: EW	♦ J105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AQJ9643	

Board: 4	♠ K764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK4	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ632	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 4	

Board: 5	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ643	
Vul: NS	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK94	

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Board: 1	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 874	♠ A632				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KQ1085	♥ AJ2	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 7	♦ 9	♦ KJ875	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q1093	♣ J				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 2	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ 108765		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 8432	♥ AJ5	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ K93	♦ A762	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K762	♣ A				
Contract: 2♥ N						

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 3	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ KJ987				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 86	♥ AKJ54	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ J105	♦ Q6	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQJ9643	♣ 2				
Contract: 3♣ N						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 4	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K764	♠ 952		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK4	♥ QJ1075	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ632	♦ 9	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ 4	♣ A876				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 5	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 75	♠ Q96				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ643	♥ Q	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ 10	♦ AQJ542	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AK94	♣ J85	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

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Dealer: S	♥ AJ2	
Vul: None	♦ KJ875	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J	

Board: 2	♠ 108765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ5	
Vul: NS	♦ A762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A	

Board: 3	♠ KJ987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ54	
Vul: EW	♦ Q6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 2	

Board: 4	♠ 952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ1075	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A876	

Board: 5	♠ Q96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ542	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J85	

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Board: 1	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 874	♠ A632				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KQ1085	♥ AJ2	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 7	♦ 9	♦ KJ875	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q1093	♣ J				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 2	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ 108765		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 8432	♥ AJ5	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ K93	♦ A762	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K762	♣ A				
Contract: 2♥ N						

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 3	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ KJ987				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 86	♥ AKJ54	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ J105	♦ Q6	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQJ9643	♣ 2				
Contract: 3♣ N						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 4	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K764	♠ 952		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK4	♥ QJ1075	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ632	♦ 9	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ 4	♣ A876				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 5	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 75	♠ Q96				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ643	♥ Q	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ 10	♦ AQJ542	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AK94	♣ J85	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

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Board: 6	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 985	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ32	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ53	

Board: 7	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ1043	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q8743	

Board: 8	♠ Q732	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K3	
Vul: None	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ10942	

Board: 9	♠ J862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ83	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 6	

Board: 10	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K86	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ1095	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 52	

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Board: 6	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ Q8762		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 985	♥ AKQ1063	Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ32	♦ Q	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ53	♣ 2				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 7	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ4	♠ 97	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ QJ1043	♥ 9875	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 11	♦ —	♦ AJ84	Pass	3♦ ³	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 12	♣ Q8743	♣ AK10	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N			1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			

Board: 8	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q732	♠ KJ4		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ K3	♥ QJ8642	3♦	4♣	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 14	♦ —	♦ AJ2	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AKQ10942	♣ 3				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 9	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J862	♠ 1054				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ KJ83	♥ Q95	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ KQJ9	♦ A65	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 6	♣ AK104				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 10	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J7	♠ AK63		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ K86	♥ AQJ7	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AKJ1095	♦ 6	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 52	♣ K764				
Contract: 3N S						

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Board: 6	♠ Q8762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ1063	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 2	

Board: 7	♠ 97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9875	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ84	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK10	

Board: 8	♠ KJ4	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8642	
Vul: None	♦ AJ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 3	

Board: 9	♠ 1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q95	
Vul: EW	♦ A65	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK104	

Board: 10	♠ AK63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K764	

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Board: 6
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ KJ
♥ 985
♦ KJ32
♣ KJ53

South:
♠ Q8762
♥ AKQ1063
♦ Q
♣ 2

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

Board: 7
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AQ4
♥ QJ1043
♦ —
♣ Q8743

South:
♠ 97
♥ 9875
♦ AJ84
♣ AK10

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

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

Board: 8
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ Q732
♥ K3
♦ —
♣ AKQ10942

South:
♠ KJ4
♥ QJ8642
♦ AJ2
♣ 3

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

Board: 9
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ J862
♥ KJ83
♦ KQJ9
♣ 6

South:
♠ 1054
♥ Q95
♦ A65
♣ AK104

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

Board: 10
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ J7
♥ K86
♦ AKJ1095
♣ 52

South:
♠ AK63
♥ AQJ7
♦ 6
♣ K764

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

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Board: 11	♠ A10973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ Q854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ QJ98	

Board: 12	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J52	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ987	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A3	

Board: 13	♠ AJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 864	

Board: 14	♠ AKJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: None	♦ J652	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K107	

Board: 15	♠ J752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q109832	

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Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A10973	♠ 8				1♥
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ KQJ109	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9	♦ Q854	♦ A1073	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ98	♣ A72				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ A82		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ J52	♥ AK1098	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AKJ987	♦ 10	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A3	♣ J1054				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ32	♠ 1086				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ AK1072	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ KQJ98	♦ A	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 864	♣ Q932				
Contract: 2♣ S						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ96	♠ 3		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ 5	♥ AKQ2	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ J652	♦ KQ10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ K107	♣ Q8432				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J752	♠ AQ84				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 4	♥ A10872	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 6	♦ K3	♦ A84	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ Q109832	♣ 7				
Contract: 3♠ N						

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Board: 11	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ109	
Vul: None	♦ A1073	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A72	

Board: 12	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1098	
Vul: NS	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J1054	

Board: 13	♠ 1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1072	
Vul: Both	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q932	

Board: 14	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ2	
Vul: None	♦ KQ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q8432	

Board: 15	♠ AQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10872	
Vul: NS	♦ A84	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 7	

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Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A10973	♠ 8				1♥
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ KQJ109	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9	♦ Q854	♦ A1073	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ98	♣ A72				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ A82		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ J52	♥ AK1098	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AKJ987	♦ 10	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A3	♣ J1054				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ32	♠ 1086				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ AK1072	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ KQJ98	♦ A	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 864	♣ Q932				
Contract: 2♣ S						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ96	♠ 3		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ 5	♥ AKQ2	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ J652	♦ KQ10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ K107	♣ Q8432				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J752	♠ AQ84				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 4	♥ A10872	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 6	♦ K3	♦ A84	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ Q109832	♣ 7				
Contract: 3♠ N						

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Board: 16	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K43	
Vul: EW	♦ 987	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK1074	

Board: 17	♠ AQJ1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q109743	

Board: 18	♠ KQ8632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ 104	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1072	

Board: 19	♠ K965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ Q95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 8	

Board: 20	♠ K765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q983	

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Board: 16
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 7
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ K10
♥ K43
♦ 987
♣ AK1074

South:
♠ 8432
♥ Q72
♦ AJ653
♣ 9

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

Board: 17
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AQJ1054
♥ K
♦ —
♣ Q109743

South:
♠ K32
♥ Q94
♦ AKQ8752
♣ —

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 18
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♦ S

North:
♠ KQ8632
♥ K
♦ 104
♣ A1072

South:
♠ A
♥ J932
♦ KQ9872
♣ J6

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	3♦ ¹
AP			

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 19
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ K965
♥ AKQJ8
♦ Q95
♣ 8

South:
♠ 4
♥ 96
♦ AK62
♣ AQ6532

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

Board: 20
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2♦ S

North:
♠ K765
♥ AKQJ
♦ 8
♣ Q983

South:
♠ J1094
♥ 76
♦ AKJ1062
♣ 5

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

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Board: 16	♠ 8432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q72	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 9	

Board: 17	♠ K32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q94	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ8752	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 18	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J932	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ9872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J6	

Board: 19	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: EW	♦ AK62	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ6532	

Board: 20	♠ J1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 76	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ1062	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 5	

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Board: 16
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 7
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ K10
♥ K43
♦ 987
♣ AK1074

South:
♠ 8432
♥ Q72
♦ AJ653
♣ 9

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

Board: 17
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AQJ1054
♥ K
♦ —
♣ Q109743

South:
♠ K32
♥ Q94
♦ AKQ8752
♣ —

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 18
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♦ S

North:
♠ KQ8632
♥ K
♦ 104
♣ A1072

South:
♠ A
♥ J932
♦ KQ9872
♣ J6

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	3♦ ¹
AP			

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 19
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ K965
♥ AKQJ8
♦ Q95
♣ 8

South:
♠ 4
♥ 96
♦ AK62
♣ AQ6532

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

Board: 20
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2♦ S

North:
♠ K765
♥ AKQJ
♦ 8
♣ Q983

South:
♠ J1094
♥ 76
♦ AKJ1062
♣ 5

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

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Board: 21	♠ A86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q63	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ6532	

Board: 22	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A86432	
Vul: EW	♦ 1075	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A2	

Board: 23	♠ 543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9754	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A	

Board: 24	♠ AQ873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ 83	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ9875	

Board: 25	♠ J9754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 4	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 21
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ A86
♥ Q63
♦ Q
♣ KJ6532

South:
♠ Q103
♥ AJ
♦ AK6542
♣ 109

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	AP	
1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 22
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ A86432
♦ 1075
♣ A2

South:
♠ 732
♥ J
♦ AK96
♣ J9543

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Pass	2♥	AP	
1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 23
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 13
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 543
♥ 9754
♦ QJ1064
♣ A

South:
♠ Q10
♥ QJ8
♦ K52
♣ KQ1097

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

Board: 24
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♠ N

North:
♠ AQ873
♥ —
♦ 83
♣ AQ9875

South:
♠ 1042
♥ A9732
♦ KJ76
♣ K

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

Board: 25
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ J9754
♥ AJ3
♦ KQJ2
♣ 4

South:
♠ A103
♥ 97
♦ 1063
♣ AKQJ3

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♠ ²
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. New Minor Forcing			
2. 3♠			

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 21	♠ Q103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: NS	♦ AK6542	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 109	

Board: 22	♠ 732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ AK96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J9543	

Board: 23	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ8	
Vul: Both	♦ K52	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ1097	

Board: 24	♠ 1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9732	
Vul: None	♦ KJ76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K	

Board: 25	♠ A103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 97	
Vul: EW	♦ 1063	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQJ3	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 21
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ A86
♥ Q63
♦ Q
♣ KJ6532

South:
♠ Q103
♥ AJ
♦ AK6542
♣ 109

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	AP	
1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 22
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ A86432
♦ 1075
♣ A2

South:
♠ 732
♥ J
♦ AK96
♣ J9543

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Pass	2♥	AP	
1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 23
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 13
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 543
♥ 9754
♦ QJ1064
♣ A

South:
♠ Q10
♥ QJ8
♦ K52
♣ KQ1097

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

Board: 24
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♠ N

North:
♠ AQ873
♥ —
♦ 83
♣ AQ9875

South:
♠ 1042
♥ A9732
♦ KJ76
♣ K

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

Board: 25
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ J9754
♥ AJ3
♦ KQJ2
♣ 4

South:
♠ A103
♥ 97
♦ 1063
♣ AKQJ3

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♠ ²
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. New Minor Forcing			
2. 3♠			

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 26	♠ KQJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 986	

Board: 27	♠ J8764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K10652	

Board: 28	♠ AQ532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	
Vul: Both	♦ J7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ3	

Board: 29	♠ A632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ AK1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ7	

Board: 30	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ1054	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 764	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ7	♠ A42		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ J5	♥ 98732	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQJ6	♦ 2	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 986	♣ KQJ4				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8764	♠ 5				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K	♥ AQJ64	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ	♦ A432	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ K10652	♣ QJ3	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ532	♠ 6		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ J10	♥ KQ754	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ J7	♦ K8543	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ3	♣ A2	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A632	♠ KJ7				1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ A8542	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AK1093	♦ Q	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ7	♣ KJ82	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥ ²
Contract: 5♠ N			Pass	5♠	AP	
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 30	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A	♠ QJ752				
Vul: NS	♥ KJ1054	♥ A		1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ9	♦ 7652	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ 764	♣ Q52				
Contract: 2♦ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 26	♠ A42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 98732	
Vul: Both	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQJ4	

Board: 27	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ64	
Vul: NS	♦ A432	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ3	

Board: 28	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ754	
Vul: Both	♦ K8543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A2	

Board: 29	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8542	
Vul: None	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ82	

Board: 30	♠ QJ752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ 7652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q52	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ7	♠ A42		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ J5	♥ 98732	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQJ6	♦ 2	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 986	♣ KQJ4				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8764	♠ 5				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K	♥ AQJ64	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ	♦ A432	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ K10652	♣ QJ3	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ532	♠ 6		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ J10	♥ KQ754	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ J7	♦ K8543	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ3	♣ A2	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A632	♠ KJ7				1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ A8542	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AK1093	♦ Q	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ7	♣ KJ82	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥ ²
Contract: 5♠ N			Pass	5♠	AP	
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 30	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A	♠ QJ752				
Vul: NS	♥ KJ1054	♥ A		1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ9	♦ 7652	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ 764	♣ Q52				
Contract: 2♦ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 31	♠ AQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ1063	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 1087	

Board: 32	♠ Q10942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ2	
Vul: None	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q94	

Board: 33	♠ AK3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A10642	

Board: 34	♠ A107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q3	
Vul: EW	♦ K52	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ864	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 31

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ AQ52

♥ J

♦ KJ1063

♣ 1087

South:

♠ 1074

♥ K8742

♦ Q8

♣ AK2

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 32

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ Q10942

♥ AQ2

♦ A6

♣ Q94

South:

♠ 7

♥ J8

♦ K109873

♣ AKJ7

West North East South

1♠ Pass 3♦¹

AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 33

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AK3

♥ 4

♦ AJ87

♣ A10642

South:

♠ 10654

♥ AKQ952

♦ KQ2

♣ —

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♠²

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 34

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ A107

♥ Q3

♦ K52

♣ KJ864

South:

♠ Q9852

♥ J94

♦ AQJ7

♣ A

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦¹

Pass 3♠² Pass 3NT³

Pass 4♣⁴ Pass 4♦⁵

Pass 4♠ AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 31	♠ 1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8742	
Vul: EW	♦ Q8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK2	

Board: 32	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J8	
Vul: None	♦ K109873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ7	

Board: 33	♠ 10654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ952	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 34	♠ Q9852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J94	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 31

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ AQ52

♥ J

♦ KJ1063

♣ 1087

South:

♠ 1074

♥ K8742

♦ Q8

♣ AK2

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 32

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ Q10942

♥ AQ2

♦ A6

♣ Q94

South:

♠ 7

♥ J8

♦ K109873

♣ AKJ7

West North East South

1♠ Pass 3♦¹

AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 33

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AK3

♥ 4

♦ AJ87

♣ A10642

South:

♠ 10654

♥ AKQ952

♦ KQ2

♣ —

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♠²

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 34

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ A107

♥ Q3

♦ K52

♣ KJ864

South:

♠ Q9852

♥ J94

♦ AQJ7

♣ A

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦¹

Pass 3♠² Pass 3NT³

Pass 4♣⁴ Pass 4♦⁵

Pass 4♠ AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 35	♠ AK103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10732	
Vul: Both	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 42	

Board: 36	♠ 1092	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ762	
Vul: NS	♦ AK4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 96	

Board: 37	♠ AKQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q4	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ K10852	

Board: 38	♠ AK10752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ4	
Vul: Both	♦ A953	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 39	♠ J1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ952	
Vul: None	♦ A9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 7	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 35
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 5♥ N

North:
♠ AK103
♥ AJ10732
♦ 7
♣ 42

South:
♠ —
♥ 654
♦ AKQ6532
♣ KQ3

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 36
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3♦ N

North:
♠ 1092
♥ AJ762
♦ AK4
♣ 96

South:
♠ KQ4
♥ 8
♦ J9652
♣ K853

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 37
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 13
Contract: 5♣ N

North:
♠ AKQJ9
♥ Q4
♦ A
♣ K10852

South:
♠ 10
♥ AKJ5
♦ Q953
♣ QJ96

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 38
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 8
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ AK10752
♥ QJ4
♦ A953
♣ —

South:
♠ —
♥ K9762
♦ J6
♣ A108763

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 39
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ J1096
♥ KQJ952
♦ A9
♣ 7

South:
♠ 2
♥ 864
♦ KQ43
♣ AKJ84

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. New	Minor Forcing		
2. 3	♥		

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 35	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 654	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ6532	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ3	

Board: 36	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ J9652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K853	

Board: 37	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ Q953	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ96	

Board: 38	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9762	
Vul: Both	♦ J6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A108763	

Board: 39	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 864	
Vul: None	♦ KQ43	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ84	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 35
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 5♥ N

North:
♠ AK103
♥ AJ10732
♦ 7
♣ 42

South:
♠ —
♥ 654
♦ AKQ6532
♣ KQ3

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 36
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3♦ N

North:
♠ 1092
♥ AJ762
♦ AK4
♣ 96

South:
♠ KQ4
♥ 8
♦ J9652
♣ K853

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 37
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 13
Contract: 5♣ N

North:
♠ AKQJ9
♥ Q4
♦ A
♣ K10852

South:
♠ 10
♥ AKJ5
♦ Q953
♣ QJ96

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 38
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 8
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ AK10752
♥ QJ4
♦ A953
♣ —

South:
♠ —
♥ K9762
♦ J6
♣ A108763

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 39
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ J1096
♥ KQJ952
♦ A9
♣ 7

South:
♠ 2
♥ 864
♦ KQ43
♣ AKJ84

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. New	Minor Forcing		
2. 3	♥		

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 40	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ1098	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ2	

Board: 41	♠ AQ1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ987	
Vul: Both	♦ K2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10	

Board: 42	♠ 32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ864	
Vul: None	♦ 1083	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A2	

Board: 43	♠ AJ1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ1094	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 40

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ J3

♥ QJ8

♦ AJ1098

♣ KJ2

South:

♠ Q7654

♥ 109754

♦ 6

♣ A8

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

Board: 41

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ1083

♥ KQ987

♦ K2

♣ 10

South:

♠ K92

♥ J32

♦ QJ6

♣ AQ92

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♠ ²
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Pass	3NT ³	Pass	4♣ ⁴
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Pass	4♦ ⁵	Pass	4♠
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AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 42

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 32

♥ AKJ864

♦ 1083

♣ A2

South:

♠ AKQ974

♥ —

♦ 94

♣ KQJ76

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

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♠ ²
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦ ⁴
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 43

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ1093

♥ AJ1094

♦ A

♣ KQ

South:

♠ Q64

♥ K5

♦ KQ75

♣ A1072

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 40	♠ Q7654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 109754	
Vul: EW	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ A8	

Board: 41	♠ K92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J32	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ92	

Board: 42	♠ AKQ974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ 94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ76	

Board: 43	♠ Q64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ75	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A1072	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 40

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ J3

♥ QJ8

♦ AJ1098

♣ KJ2

South:

♠ Q7654

♥ 109754

♦ 6

♣ A8

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

Board: 41

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ1083

♥ KQ987

♦ K2

♣ 10

South:

♠ K92

♥ J32

♦ QJ6

♣ AQ92

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♠ ²
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Pass	3NT ³	Pass	4♣ ⁴
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Pass	4♦ ⁵	Pass	4♠
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AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 42

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 32

♥ AKJ864

♦ 1083

♣ A2

South:

♠ AKQ974

♥ —

♦ 94

♣ KQJ76

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

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
------	----	------	-----

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♠ ²
------	-----------------	------	-----------------

Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦ ⁴
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 43

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ1093

♥ AJ1094

♦ A

♣ KQ

South:

♠ Q64

♥ K5

♦ KQ75

♣ A1072

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 44	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1084	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A9875	

Board: 45	♠ KJ1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK8	
Vul: None	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J742	

Board: 46	♠ QJ1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ109	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A62	

Board: 47	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ K1086532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 6	

Board: 48	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ10642	
Vul: None	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 106	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 44	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K6	♠ AQJ1073		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ K10	♥ 96542	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ Q1084	♦ 9	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 7	♣ A9875	♣ 4	AP			
Contract: 3♠ S						

Board: 45	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ1064	♠ 2				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AK8	♥ J102	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 4	♦ AJ875	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ J742	♣ AK83				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 46	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ1042	♠ —		1♠	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ AK863	Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ109	♦ KQ84	Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 15	♣ A62	♣ K1053	AP			
Contract: 6♦ N						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 47	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A6	♠ 83				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ QJ8	♥ K972	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 10	♦ K1086532	♦ A	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ 6	♣ AKJ972	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ AQ3		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ KQJ10642	♥ 3	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ	♦ 109865				
South HCP: 12	♣ 106	♣ AQ94				
Contract: 4♥ N						

1. forcing 1NT

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 44	♠ AQJ1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 96542	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 4	

Board: 45	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J102	
Vul: None	♦ AJ875	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK83	

Board: 46	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK863	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K1053	

Board: 47	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K972	
Vul: EW	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ972	

Board: 48	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ 109865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ94	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 44	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K6	♠ AQJ1073		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ K10	♥ 96542	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ Q1084	♦ 9	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 7	♣ A9875	♣ 4	AP			
Contract: 3♠ S						

Board: 45	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ1064	♠ 2				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AK8	♥ J102	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 4	♦ AJ875	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ J742	♣ AK83				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 46	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ1042	♠ —		1♠	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ AK863	Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ109	♦ KQ84	Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 15	♣ A62	♣ K1053	AP			
Contract: 6♦ N						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 47	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A6	♠ 83				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ QJ8	♥ K972	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 10	♦ K1086532	♦ A	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ 6	♣ AKJ972	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ AQ3		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ KQJ10642	♥ 3	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ	♦ 109865				
South HCP: 12	♣ 106	♣ AQ94				
Contract: 4♥ N						

1. forcing 1NT

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 49	♠ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 8543	

Board: 50	♠ AKQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8532	
Vul: EW	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ102	

Board: 51	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ10863	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 5	

Board: 52	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ75	
Vul: NS	♦ A8432	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J8	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 49

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♣ S

North:

♠ KQ9

♥ 6

♦ AJ963

♣ 8543

South:

♠ A853

♥ K10875

♦ K10

♣ A2

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♣

AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 50

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AKQ6

♥ 8532

♦ J

♣ QJ102

South:

♠ 95

♥ AKQ76

♦ AKQ842

♣ —

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♦³ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 51

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AQ10

♥ KJ10863

♦ AQ8

♣ 5

South:

♠ —

♥ AQ54

♦ 10752

♣ AKJ102

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♠²

Pass 5NT³ Pass 6♦⁴

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=1

Board: 52

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 9

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ K4

♥ AJ75

♦ A8432

♣ J8

South:

♠ A10753

♥ K86

♦ 6

♣ Q1095

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT AP

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 49	♠ A853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10875	
Vul: NS	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A2	

Board: 50	♠ 95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ76	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ —	

Board: 51	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ54	
Vul: Both	♦ 10752	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKJ102	

Board: 52	♠ A10753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K86	
Vul: NS	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q1095	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 49

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♣ S

North:

♠ KQ9

♥ 6

♦ AJ963

♣ 8543

South:

♠ A853

♥ K10875

♦ K10

♣ A2

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♣

AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 50

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AKQ6

♥ 8532

♦ J

♣ QJ102

South:

♠ 95

♥ AKQ76

♦ AKQ842

♣ —

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♦³ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 51

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AQ10

♥ KJ10863

♦ AQ8

♣ 5

South:

♠ —

♥ AQ54

♦ 10752

♣ AKJ102

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♠²

Pass 5NT³ Pass 6♦⁴

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=1

Board: 52

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 9

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ K4

♥ AJ75

♦ A8432

♣ J8

South:

♠ A10753

♥ K86

♦ 6

♣ Q1095

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT AP

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 53	♠ AQJ8653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q43	

Board: 54	♠ Q1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	
Vul: Both	♦ AK972	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J5	

Board: 55	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J105	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J852	

Board: 56	♠ KQ10853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q5	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q10	

Board: 57	♠ A96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A108	
Vul: Both	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K108762	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 53
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AQJ8653
♥ A4
♦ K
♣ Q43

South:
♠ 10972
♥ KQ98
♦ Q52
♣ AK

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

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

Board: 54
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ Q1062
♥ K5
♦ AK972
♣ J5

South:
♠ K3
♥ QJ86
♦ J
♣ KQ10984

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
	AP		

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 55
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ Q
♥ J105
♦ AKQ84
♣ J852

South:
♠ A10762
♥ K8732
♦ J9
♣ A

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

Board: 56
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ KQ10853
♥ Q5
♦ KJ3
♣ Q10

South:
♠ A
♥ K10876
♦ AQ1052
♣ K5

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

Board: 57
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ A96
♥ A108
♦ Q
♣ K108762

South:
♠ Q73
♥ J975
♦ AKJ102
♣ A

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 53	♠ 10972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ98	
Vul: EW	♦ Q52	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK	

Board: 54	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ86	
Vul: Both	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ10984	

Board: 55	♠ A10762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8732	
Vul: None	♦ J9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A	

Board: 56	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10876	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K5	

Board: 57	♠ Q73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J975	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ102	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 53

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AQJ8653

♥ A4

♦ K

♣ Q43

South:

♠ 10972

♥ KQ98

♦ Q52

♣ AK

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥²

Pass 4NT³ Pass 5♦⁴

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 54

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ Q1062

♥ K5

♦ AK972

♣ J5

South:

♠ K3

♥ QJ86

♦ J

♣ KQ10984

West North East South

1♦ Pass 3♣¹

AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 55

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q

♥ J105

♦ AKQ84

♣ J852

South:

♠ A10762

♥ K8732

♦ J9

♣ A

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 56

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQ10853

♥ Q5

♦ KJ3

♣ Q10

South:

♠ A

♥ K10876

♦ AQ1052

♣ K5

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

AP

Board: 57

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A96

♥ A108

♦ Q

♣ K108762

South:

♠ Q73

♥ J975

♦ AKJ102

♣ A

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

AP

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 58	♠ K962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ9432	
Vul: None	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

Board: 59	♠ K82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q9762	

Board: 60	♠ 1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1043	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ96	

Board: 61	♠ AK109862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: None	♦ KJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 43	

Board: 62	♠ K852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A963	
Vul: NS	♦ 7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ9	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 58			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♠ K962	♠ A1083	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT ¹
North HCP: 14	♥ KQ9432	♥ 8	Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♦ ³
South HCP: 11	♦ A5	♦ K64	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S	♣ Q	♣ KJ743				
						1. Cue bid, surplus
						2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
						3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 59			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: NS	♠ K82	♠ AJ76	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♥ K	♥ QJ875	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♦ QJ84	♦ 106	Pass			
Contract: 3♣ S	♣ Q9762	♣ AJ				
						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 60			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♥	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♠ 1063	♠ K9	Pass	2NT	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 12	♥ AK1043	♥ J	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 18	♦ 9	♦ AKQ854	Pass			
Contract: 6♦ S	♣ KQ96	♣ AJ84	AP			

Board: 61			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: None	♠ AK109862	♠ Q3	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♥ 6	♥ KJ743	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♦ KJ8	♦ AQ5	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N	♣ 43	♣ J75				
						1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 62			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♠ K852	♠ 1076	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♥ A963	♥ Q104	Pass			
South HCP: 9	♦ 7	♦ AQJ652	AP			
Contract: 2♦ S	♣ AKJ9	♣ 3				

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 58	♠ A1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: None	♦ K64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ743	

Board: 59	♠ AJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ875	
Vul: NS	♦ 106	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ	

Board: 60	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ84	

Board: 61	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ743	
Vul: None	♦ AQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J75	

Board: 62	♠ 1076	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q104	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 3	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 58			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♠ K962	♠ A1083	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT ¹
North HCP: 14	♥ KQ9432	♥ 8	Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♦ ³
South HCP: 11	♦ A5	♦ K64	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S	♣ Q	♣ KJ743				
						1. Cue bid, surplus
						2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
						3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 59			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: NS	♠ K82	♠ AJ76	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♥ K	♥ QJ875	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♦ QJ84	♦ 106	Pass			
Contract: 3♣ S	♣ Q9762	♣ AJ				
						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 60			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♥	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♠ 1063	♠ K9	Pass	2NT	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 12	♥ AK1043	♥ J	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 18	♦ 9	♦ AKQ854	Pass			
Contract: 6♦ S	♣ KQ96	♣ AJ84	AP			

Board: 61			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: None	♠ AK109862	♠ Q3	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♥ 6	♥ KJ743	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♦ KJ8	♦ AQ5	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N	♣ 43	♣ J75				
						1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 62			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♠ K852	♠ 1076	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♥ A963	♥ Q104	Pass			
South HCP: 9	♦ 7	♦ AQJ652	AP			
Contract: 2♦ S	♣ AKJ9	♣ 3				

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 63	♠ A653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A107	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 7	

Board: 64	♠ A109852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 105	
Vul: None	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ4	

Board: 65	♠ Q952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK107	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ93	

Board: 66	♠ AJ965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K32	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 76	

Board: 67	♠ Q54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10743	
Vul: Both	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ2	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 63	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A653	♠ KQ9				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ A107	♥ J832	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ985	♦ 102	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 7	♣ KQJ9				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 64	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A109852	♠ 3				
Vul: None	♥ 105	♥ A64		1♠	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ A3	♦ 109752				
South HCP: 6	♣ KJ4	♣ Q632				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 65	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q952	♠ KJ108				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK107	♥ J8	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♦ 2	♦ AQ974	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ93	♣ K2				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 66	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ965	♠ —		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ K32	♥ Q74	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ4	♦ K10982	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 76	♣ AKJ102				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 67	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q54	♠ J103				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J10743	♥ AK6	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12	♦ 5	♦ KQ72	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQ2	♣ J85	Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ N			AP			

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♥
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 63	♠ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J832	
Vul: EW	♦ 102	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ9	

Board: 64	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A64	
Vul: None	♦ 109752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q632	

Board: 65	♠ KJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ974	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K2	

Board: 66	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q74	
Vul: EW	♦ K10982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ102	

Board: 67	♠ J103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK6	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ72	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J85	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 63	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A653	♠ KQ9				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ A107	♥ J832	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ985	♦ 102	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 7	♣ KQJ9				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 64	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A109852	♠ 3				
Vul: None	♥ 105	♥ A64		1♠	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ A3	♦ 109752				
South HCP: 6	♣ KJ4	♣ Q632				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 65	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q952	♠ KJ108				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK107	♥ J8	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♦ 2	♦ AQ974	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ93	♣ K2				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 66	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ965	♠ —		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ K32	♥ Q74	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ4	♦ K10982	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 76	♣ AKJ102				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 67	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q54	♠ J103				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J10743	♥ AK6	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12	♦ 5	♦ KQ72	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQ2	♣ J85	Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ N			AP			

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♥
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 68	♠ AJ1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ74	
Vul: NS	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 97	

Board: 69	♠ A863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ8764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J104	

Board: 70	♠ AKQ10432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J3	
Vul: Both	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J52	

Board: 71	♠ AQ1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: None	♦ QJ82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K93	

Board: 72	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ	
Vul: EW	♦ 107	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ9842	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 68
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AJ1093
♥ KJ74
♦ A3
♣ 97

South:
♠ K
♥ A862
♦ KJ74
♣ KQJ3

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

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 69
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♥ S

North:
♠ A863
♥ —
♦ AJ8764
♣ J104

South:
♠ 75
♥ AK10943
♦ —
♣ AK952

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 70
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AKQ10432
♥ J3
♦ A
♣ J52

South:
♠ 6
♥ AKQ104
♦ Q10865
♣ KQ

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 71
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AQ1097
♥ 10
♦ QJ82
♣ K93

South:
♠ J6
♥ K9873
♦ K75
♣ AJ5

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 72

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 53

♥ AQJ

♦ 107

♣ AJ9842

South:

♠ K98642

♥ K8

♦ A542

♣ K

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 68	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A862	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ3	

Board: 69	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10943	
Vul: EW	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK952	

Board: 70	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ104	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ	

Board: 71	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K9873	
Vul: None	♦ K75	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ5	

Board: 72	♠ K98642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: EW	♦ A542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 68
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AJ1093
♥ KJ74
♦ A3
♣ 97

South:
♠ K
♥ A862
♦ KJ74
♣ KQJ3

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

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 69
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♥ S

North:
♠ A863
♥ —
♦ AJ8764
♣ J104

South:
♠ 75
♥ AK10943
♦ —
♣ AK952

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 70
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AKQ10432
♥ J3
♦ A
♣ J52

South:
♠ 6
♥ AKQ104
♦ Q10865
♣ KQ

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 71
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AQ1097
♥ 10
♦ QJ82
♣ K93

South:
♠ J6
♥ K9873
♦ K75
♣ AJ5

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 72

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 53

♥ AQJ

♦ 107

♣ AJ9842

South:

♠ K98642

♥ K8

♦ A542

♣ K

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 73	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J432	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK9	

Board: 74	♠ Q98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K96	
Vul: None	♦ A10865	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ	

Board: 75	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A753	
Vul: NS	♦ K8642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 1053	

Board: 76	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 84	
Vul: Both	♦ K1032	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ976	

Board: 77	♠ AQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AJ109532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 105	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 73	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ KJ8764				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J432	♥ A9	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ943	♦ KQ6	Pass	3♥	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 14	♣ AK9	♣ J5	AP			
Contract: 5♦ N						

Board: 74	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q98	♠ AJ64				
Vul: None	♥ K96	♥ Q1072		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A10865	♦ K	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ	♣ 7643				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 75	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ KQ7642				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A753	♥ 9	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 7	♦ K8642	♦ Q7	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 14	♣ 1053	♣ AQJ9	AP			
Contract: 3♠ S			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 76	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J	♠ AKQ108643		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 84	♥ J103	Pass	2♣	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12	♦ K1032	♦ 7	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AKJ976	♣ 3				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 77	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ3	♠ 854				1♥
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ KQJ54	Pass	3♦ ¹	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ109532	♦ 4	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 14	♣ 105	♣ AKJ6				
Contract: 3♦ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 73	♠ KJ8764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J5	

Board: 74	♠ AJ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1072	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 7643	

Board: 75	♠ KQ7642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: NS	♦ Q7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ9	

Board: 76	♠ AKQ108643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J103	
Vul: Both	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 3	

Board: 77	♠ 854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ54	
Vul: None	♦ 4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKJ6	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 73	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ KJ8764				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J432	♥ A9	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ943	♦ KQ6	Pass	3♥	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 14	♣ AK9	♣ J5	AP			
Contract: 5♦ N						

Board: 74	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q98	♠ AJ64				
Vul: None	♥ K96	♥ Q1072		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A10865	♦ K	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ	♣ 7643				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 75	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ KQ7642				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A753	♥ 9	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 7	♦ K8642	♦ Q7	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 14	♣ 1053	♣ AQJ9	AP			
Contract: 3♠ S			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 76	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J	♠ AKQ108643		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 84	♥ J103	Pass	2♣	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12	♦ K1032	♦ 7				
South HCP: 10	♣ AKJ976	♣ 3	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 77	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ3	♠ 854				1♥
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ KQJ54	Pass	3♦ ¹	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ109532	♦ 4	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 14	♣ 105	♣ AKJ6				
Contract: 3♦ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 78	♠ 643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ9543	
Vul: NS	♦ 10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK5	

Board: 79	♠ Q1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ95	
Vul: EW	♦ A95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 9	

Board: 80	♠ AJ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 92	
Vul: None	♦ A75	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A876	

Board: 81	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ102	
Vul: EW	♦ A76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A7432	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 78

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ N

North:

♠ 643

♥ AJ9543

♦ 10

♣ AK5

South:

♠ K98

♥ —

♦ AQ8765

♣ QJ84

West North East South

1♥ Pass 3♦¹

Pass 3♥ AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 79

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q1042

♥ AKQ95

♦ A95

♣ 9

South:

♠ 87

♥ J1072

♦ K4

♣ AKJ86

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♣²

Pass 3♦³ Pass 4♦⁴

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 80

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AJ52

♥ 92

♦ A75

♣ A876

South:

♠ K6

♥ AQ8754

♦ Q1083

♣ J

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 81

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 10

♥ KQ102

♦ A76

♣ A7432

South:

♠ AKJ986

♥ A43

♦ Q10

♣ J5

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT AP

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 78	♠ K98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ8765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ84	

Board: 79	♠ 87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1072	
Vul: EW	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ86	

Board: 80	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ8754	
Vul: None	♦ Q1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J	

Board: 81	♠ AKJ986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A43	
Vul: EW	♦ Q10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J5	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 78

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ N

North:

♠ 643

♥ AJ9543

♦ 10

♣ AK5

South:

♠ K98

♥ —

♦ AQ8765

♣ QJ84

West North East South

1♥ Pass 3♦¹

Pass 3♥ AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 79

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q1042

♥ AKQ95

♦ A95

♣ 9

South:

♠ 87

♥ J1072

♦ K4

♣ AKJ86

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♣²

Pass 3♦³ Pass 4♦⁴

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 80

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AJ52

♥ 92

♦ A75

♣ A876

South:

♠ K6

♥ AQ8754

♦ Q1083

♣ J

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 81

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 10

♥ KQ102

♦ A76

♣ A7432

South:

♠ AKJ986

♥ A43

♦ Q10

♣ J5

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT AP

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 82	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ10975	
Vul: Both	♦ K32	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 2	

Board: 83	♠ QJ975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: NS	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K10743	

Board: 84	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1082	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ532	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A102	

Board: 85	♠ AKJ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A987	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1064	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 82
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ A5
♥ AKJ10975
♦ K32
♣ 2

South:
♠ KQ762
♥ 3
♦ A1097
♣ AK7

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	5NT ³
Pass	6♥ ⁴	Pass	7♠
	AP		

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
3. King ask by 5NT
4. K=2

Board: 83
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ QJ975
♥ AK
♦ 5
♣ K10743

South:
♠ —
♥ Q109
♦ AKJ764
♣ AJ52

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

Board: 84
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ Q
♥ 1082
♦ AKQ532
♣ A102

South:
♠ K10874
♥ AKQ9
♦ —
♣ KQ97

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
Pass	7NT	AP	

Board: 85
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ AKJ73
♥ A987
♦ 9
♣ 1064

South:
♠ 62
♥ QJ
♦ AK7632
♣ Q75

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 82	♠ KQ762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ A1097	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK7	

Board: 83	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q109	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ764	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ52	

Board: 84	♠ K10874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ97	

Board: 85	♠ 62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AK7632	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q75	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 82
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ A5
♥ AKJ10975
♦ K32
♣ 2

South:
♠ KQ762
♥ 3
♦ A1097
♣ AK7

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	5NT ³
Pass	6♥ ⁴	Pass	7♠
	AP		

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
3. King ask by 5NT
4. K=2

Board: 83
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ QJ975
♥ AK
♦ 5
♣ K10743

South:
♠ —
♥ Q109
♦ AKJ764
♣ AJ52

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

Board: 84
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ Q
♥ 1082
♦ AKQ532
♣ A102

South:
♠ K10874
♥ AKQ9
♦ —
♣ KQ97

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
Pass	7NT	AP	

Board: 85
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ AKJ73
♥ A987
♦ 9
♣ 1064

South:
♠ 62
♥ QJ
♦ AK7632
♣ Q75

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 86	♠ A32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 83	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ542	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 74	

Board: 87	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ843	
Vul: EW	♦ AK64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ2	

Board: 88	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q94	
Vul: Both	♦ A76	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ8753	

Board: 89	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ82	
Vul: None	♦ K1092	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ64	

Board: 90	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ109873	
Vul: NS	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K96	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ A32
♥ 83
♦ AKQ542
♣ 74

South:
♠ J9876
♥ AKJ6
♦ 7
♣ AJ6

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

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

Board: 87
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ 3
♥ KJ843
♦ AK64
♣ AJ2

South:
♠ AKJ754
♥ 107
♦ QJ5
♣ K9

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

Board: 88
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 2♣ N

North:
♠ K
♥ Q94
♦ A76
♣ AJ8753

South:
♠ A964
♥ A10865
♦ 942
♣ Q

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

Board: 89
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2♠ S

North:
♠ 8
♥ KJ82
♦ K1092
♣ KJ64

South:
♠ QJ10542
♥ 3
♦ QJ6
♣ AQ8

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♠
AP			
1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 90
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ K3
♥ AKQ109873
♦ —
♣ K96

South:
♠ Q6
♥ —
♦ AQJ109642
♣ J73

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	3♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 86	♠ J9876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ6	
Vul: None	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ6	

Board: 87	♠ AKJ754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 107	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K9	

Board: 88	♠ A964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10865	
Vul: Both	♦ 942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q	

Board: 89	♠ QJ10542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ QJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ8	

Board: 90	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ109642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J73	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ A32
♥ 83
♦ AKQ542
♣ 74

South:
♠ J9876
♥ AKJ6
♦ 7
♣ AJ6

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

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

Board: 87
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ 3
♥ KJ843
♦ AK64
♣ AJ2

South:
♠ AKJ754
♥ 107
♦ QJ5
♣ K9

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

Board: 88
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 2♣ N

North:
♠ K
♥ Q94
♦ A76
♣ AJ8753

South:
♠ A964
♥ A10865
♦ 942
♣ Q

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

Board: 89
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2♠ S

North:
♠ 8
♥ KJ82
♦ K1092
♣ KJ64

South:
♠ QJ10542
♥ 3
♦ QJ6
♣ AQ8

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♠
AP			
1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 90
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ K3
♥ AKQ109873
♦ —
♣ K96

South:
♠ Q6
♥ —
♦ AQJ109642
♣ J73

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	3♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 91	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ K96542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ8	

Board: 92	♠ J93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: None	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK10854	

Board: 93	♠ K984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A743	
Vul: NS	♦ A642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J	

Board: 94	♠ KQJ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 876	

Board: 95	♠ AK10652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q103	
Vul: None	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ8	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 91	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A95	♠ KQ				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 5	♥ QJ1086				
North HCP: 11	♦ K96542	♦ J	Pass	3♦ ¹	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ8	♣ A10654				
Contract: 3♦ N						1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 92	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J93	♠ AK862		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A10	♥ QJ62	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 15	♦ K2	♦ AQ3	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 17	♣ AK10854	♣ J	Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
Contract: 6♠ S				AP		
						1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
						2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 93	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K984	♠ Q53				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A743	♥ KJ				
North HCP: 12	♦ A642	♦ 83	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
South HCP: 13	♣ J	♣ AK8654	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 94	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ105	♠ 2		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ A7	♥ 642				
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ4	♦ AK873	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 14	♣ 876	♣ AK103	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 95	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK10652	♠ 7				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q103	♥ KJ95	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ Q	♦ AJ76	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ8	♣ A1062				
Contract: 4♠ N						AP

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 91	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ1086	
Vul: Both	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A10654	

Board: 92	♠ AK862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ62	
Vul: None	♦ AQ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ J	

Board: 93	♠ Q53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: NS	♦ 83	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK8654	

Board: 94	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 642	
Vul: EW	♦ AK873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK103	

Board: 95	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ95	
Vul: None	♦ AJ76	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1062	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 91	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A95	♠ KQ				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 5	♥ QJ1086				
North HCP: 11	♦ K96542	♦ J	Pass	3♦ ¹	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ8	♣ A10654				
Contract: 3♦ N						1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 92	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J93	♠ AK862		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A10	♥ QJ62	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 15	♦ K2	♦ AQ3	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 17	♣ AK10854	♣ J	Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
Contract: 6♠ S				AP		
						1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
						2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 93	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K984	♠ Q53				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A743	♥ KJ				
North HCP: 12	♦ A642	♦ 83	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
South HCP: 13	♣ J	♣ AK8654	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 94	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ105	♠ 2		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ A7	♥ 642				
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ4	♦ AK873	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 14	♣ 876	♣ AK103	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 95	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK10652	♠ 7				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q103	♥ KJ95	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ Q	♦ AJ76	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ8	♣ A1062	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 96	♠ K86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ985	
Vul: NS	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K96	

Board: 97	♠ AQ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 98765	
Vul: EW	♦ Q98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 4	

Board: 98	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9872	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ53	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J7	

Board: 99	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ96532	

Board: 100	♠ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10985	
Vul: EW	♦ K76	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ7	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 96	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K86	♠ A972		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ KJ985	♥ A				
North HCP: 13	♦ K2	♦ J9653	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ K96	♣ 753				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 97	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ93	♠ K105				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 98765	♥ KJ				
North HCP: 8	♦ Q98	♦ 1075	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 12	♣ 4	♣ KQ982	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 98	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ 743		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 9872	♥ AJ1043				
North HCP: 12	♦ AKQ53	♦ 6	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 12	♣ J7	♣ AK104	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 99	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AK1097				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 4	♥ AKJ107	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ85	♦ 42	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ96532	♣ 8				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 100	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ8	♠ A43		1♣	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ 10985	♥ A76				
North HCP: 13	♦ K76	♦ AJ9543	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ7	♣ K	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 96	♠ A972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ J9653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 753	

Board: 97	♠ K105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: EW	♦ 1075	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ982	

Board: 98	♠ 743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1043	
Vul: Both	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK104	

Board: 99	♠ AK1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ107	
Vul: NS	♦ 42	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 8	

Board: 100	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A76	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ9543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 96	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K86	♠ A972		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ KJ985	♥ A				
North HCP: 13	♦ K2	♦ J9653	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ K96	♣ 753				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 97	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ93	♠ K105				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 98765	♥ KJ				
North HCP: 8	♦ Q98	♦ 1075	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 12	♣ 4	♣ KQ982	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 98	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ 743		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 9872	♥ AJ1043				
North HCP: 12	♦ AKQ53	♦ 6	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 12	♣ J7	♣ AK104	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 99	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AK1097				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 4	♥ AKJ107	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ85	♦ 42	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ96532	♣ 8				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 100	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ8	♠ A43		1♣	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ 10985	♥ A76				
North HCP: 13	♦ K76	♦ AJ9543	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ7	♣ K	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 101	♠ AQ652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J2	

Board: 102	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K65	
Vul: None	♦ AQ7432	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J52	

Board: 103	♠ KQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ84	

Board: 104	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ952	
Vul: Both	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 63	

Board: 105	♠ A10864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ 962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K762	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 101	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ652	♠ KJ				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q	♥ KJ1053	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ Q10842	♦ K	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ J2	♣ Q7654	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 102	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A	♠ K1052		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ K65	♥ AJ3	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ7432	♦ 10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ J52	♣ K10764				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 103	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ85	♠ 942				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ —	♥ KJ9543	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ1053	♦ A8	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ84	♣ A10				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 104	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9	♠ A106		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AKQJ952	♥ 7	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K8	♦ Q5432				
South HCP: 7	♣ 63	♣ J1075				
Contract: 4♥ N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 105	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A10864	♠ Q5				1♥
Vul: None	♥ A	♥ 987632	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ 962	♦ AK	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ K762	♣ A84				
Contract: 2♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 101	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ1053	
Vul: Both	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q7654	

Board: 102	♠ K1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ3	
Vul: None	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K10764	

Board: 103	♠ 942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ9543	
Vul: EW	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10	

Board: 104	♠ A106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: Both	♦ Q5432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J1075	

Board: 105	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 987632	
Vul: None	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A84	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 101	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ652	♠ KJ				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q	♥ KJ1053	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ Q10842	♦ K	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ J2	♣ Q7654	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 102	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A	♠ K1052		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ K65	♥ AJ3	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ7432	♦ 10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ J52	♣ K10764				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 103	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ85	♠ 942				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ —	♥ KJ9543	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ1053	♦ A8	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ84	♣ A10				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 104	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9	♠ A106		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AKQJ952	♥ 7	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K8	♦ Q5432				
South HCP: 7	♣ 63	♣ J1075				
Contract: 4♥ N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 105	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A10864	♠ Q5				1♥
Vul: None	♥ A	♥ 987632	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ 962	♦ AK	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ K762	♣ A84				
Contract: 2♥ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 106	♠ AK10654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ63	
Vul: NS	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 94	
Board: 107	♠ KQ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 108764	
Vul: Both	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A73	
Board: 108	♠ Q932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: None	♦ Q2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK432	
Board: 109	♠ K654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: NS	♦ Q83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ QJ973	
Board: 110	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ987	
Vul: EW	♦ A10965	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 106	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK10654	♠ J		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AQ63	♥ K874				
North HCP: 13	♦ 8	♦ A543	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 94	♣ K872	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 107	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ65	♠ J				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 108764	♥ KQJ2	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 2	♦ A8743	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A73	♣ KJ2				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 108	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q932	♠ A1065		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q7	♥ A9542	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13	♦ Q2	♦ K76	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AK432	♣ 8				
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 109	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K654	♠ QJ73				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 5	♥ KQ1098	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 8	♦ Q83	♦ AK106	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ973	♣ —				
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 110	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 6	♠ A9852		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ KQ987	♥ J	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ A10965	♦ KQJ7	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ	♣ K42	Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Contract: 5♦ N			Pass	5♦ ⁴	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 106	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K874	
Vul: NS	♦ A543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K872	

Board: 107	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ A8743	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ2	

Board: 108	♠ A1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9542	
Vul: None	♦ K76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 8	

Board: 109	♠ QJ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1098	
Vul: NS	♦ AK106	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 110	♠ A9852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K42	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 106	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK10654	♠ J		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AQ63	♥ K874				
North HCP: 13	♦ 8	♦ A543	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 94	♣ K872	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 107	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ65	♠ J				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 108764	♥ KQJ2	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 2	♦ A8743	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A73	♣ KJ2				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 108	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q932	♠ A1065		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q7	♥ A9542	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13	♦ Q2	♦ K76	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AK432	♣ 8				
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 109	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K654	♠ QJ73				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 5	♥ KQ1098	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 8	♦ Q83	♦ AK106	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ973	♣ —				
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 110	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 6	♠ A9852		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ KQ987	♥ J	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ A10965	♦ KQJ7	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ	♣ K42	Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Contract: 5♦ N			Pass	5♦ ⁴	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 111	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ8752	
Vul: None	♦ AJ72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A4	
Board: 112	♠ A976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ1075	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ	
Board: 113	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9653	
Vul: EW	♦ J6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KQJ85	
Board: 114	♠ KQJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 85	
Vul: Both	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ32	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 111
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 14
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AQJ8752
♦ AJ72
♣ A4

South:
♠ AKQ765
♥ K103
♦ Q
♣ 852

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
Pass	5NT ⁴	Pass	6♦ ⁵
Pass	7♥	AP	

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

Board: 112
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ A976
♥ J
♦ QJ1075
♣ AQJ

South:
♠ KQ105
♥ AQ1073
♦ 2
♣ 1098

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

Board: 113
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ 7
♥ Q9653
♦ J6
♣ KQJ85

South:
♠ AKJ9832
♥ A8
♦ K108
♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	4♠
AP			

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 114
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 20
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ KQJ98
♥ 85
♦ K3
♣ AJ32

South:
♠ A
♥ AQJ3
♦ A1095
♣ KQ106

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
2. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 111	♠ AKQ765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K103	
Vul: None	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 852	

Board: 112	♠ KQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ1073	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 1098	

Board: 113	♠ AKJ9832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: EW	♦ K108	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 7	

Board: 114	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ3	
Vul: Both	♦ A1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ KQ106	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 111
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 14
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AQJ8752
♦ AJ72
♣ A4

South:
♠ AKQ765
♥ K103
♦ Q
♣ 852

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
Pass	5NT ⁴	Pass	6♦ ⁵
Pass	7♥	AP	

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

Board: 112
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ A976
♥ J
♦ QJ1075
♣ AQJ

South:
♠ KQ105
♥ AQ1073
♦ 2
♣ 1098

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

Board: 113
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ 7
♥ Q9653
♦ J6
♣ KQJ85

South:
♠ AKJ9832
♥ A8
♦ K108
♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	4♠
AP			

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 114
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 20
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ KQJ98
♥ 85
♦ K3
♣ AJ32

South:
♠ A
♥ AQJ3
♦ A1095
♣ KQ106

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
2. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 115	♠ A876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10963	
Vul: NS	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ4	

Board: 116	♠ A1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A872	
Vul: EW	♦ 76	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ8	

Board: 117	♠ K643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q92	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 118	♠ 762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ10	
Vul: None	♦ A109	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 106	

Board: 119	♠ 109873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ954	
Vul: EW	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK	

**South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.
Both hands (Answers Page)**

Board: 115	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A876	♠ 9				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 10963	♥ KJ7	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ 3	♦ AKQ764	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 13	♣ AQJ4	♣ 932	AP			
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 116	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1052	♠ Q9643		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A872	♥ Q104	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12	♦ 76	♦ AK94	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KJ8	♣ 6				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 117			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: Both	♠ K643	♠ A	Pass	2♦	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 14	♥ Q92	♥ A8	Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 13	♦ AKQ1053	♦ J42	AP			
Contract: 6♦ N	♣ —	♣ KJ87542				
						1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
						2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

Board: 118	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 762	♠ QJ3		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ AKQJ10	♥ 5	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A109	♦ KQJ52	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 106	♣ Q432	1. forcing	1NT		
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 119	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♦
Vul: EW	♠ 109873	♠ K	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♥ AQ954	♥ K1063	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 13	♦ 2	♦ AQ876	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ AK	♣ J84	1. New Minor Forcing			

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 115	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ7	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ764	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 932	
Board: 116	♠ Q9643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q104	
Vul: EW	♦ AK94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 6	
Board: 117	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: Both	♦ J42	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ87542	
Board: 118	♠ QJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q432	
Board: 119	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1063	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ876	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J84	

**South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.
Both hands (Answers Page)**

Board: 115	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A876	♠ 9				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 10963	♥ KJ7	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ 3	♦ AKQ764	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 13	♣ AQJ4	♣ 932	AP			
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 116	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1052	♠ Q9643		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A872	♥ Q104	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12	♦ 76	♦ AK94	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KJ8	♣ 6				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 117			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: Both	♠ K643	♠ A	Pass	2♦	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 14	♥ Q92	♥ A8	Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 13	♦ AKQ1053	♦ J42	AP			
Contract: 6♦ N	♣ —	♣ KJ87542				

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

Board: 118	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 762	♠ QJ3		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ AKQJ10	♥ 5	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A109	♦ KQJ52	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 106	♣ Q432	1. forcing	1NT		
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 119	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♦
Vul: EW	♠ 109873	♠ K	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♥ AQ954	♥ K1063	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 13	♦ 2	♦ AQ876	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ AK	♣ J84	1. New Minor Forcing			

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 120	♠ KQ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ Q52	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q8532	

Board: 121	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ3	
Vul: None	♦ KJ108632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q106	

Board: 122	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ107	
Vul: NS	♦ AK763	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J93	

Board: 123	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK843	

Board: 124	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ543	
Vul: None	♦ J106	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K104	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 120

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ KQ86

♥ K

♦ Q52

♣ Q8532

South:

♠ A53

♥ 10432

♦ AJ973

♣ 10

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 121

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ —

♥ QJ3

♦ KJ108632

♣ Q106

South:

♠ KQ9764

♥ 7

♦ AQ

♣ K843

West North East South

1♠

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 122

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J

♥ KJ107

♦ AK763

♣ J93

South:

♠ KQ874

♥ A43

♦ Q

♣ AQ75

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 123

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q9

♥ J

♦ KQ854

♣ AK843

South:

♠ K62

♥ A98652

♦ AJ7

♣ 5

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 124

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ A

♥ KQJ543

♦ J106

♣ K104

South:

♠ KJ10764

♥ —

♦ A92

♣ A963

West North East South

1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ AP

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 120	♠ A53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10432	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 10	

Board: 121	♠ KQ9764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: None	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K843	

Board: 122	♠ KQ874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A43	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ75	

Board: 123	♠ K62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A98652	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 5	

Board: 124	♠ KJ10764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ A92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A963	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 120

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ KQ86

♥ K

♦ Q52

♣ Q8532

South:

♠ A53

♥ 10432

♦ AJ973

♣ 10

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 121

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ —

♥ QJ3

♦ KJ108632

♣ Q106

South:

♠ KQ9764

♥ 7

♦ AQ

♣ K843

West North East South

1♠

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 122

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J

♥ KJ107

♦ AK763

♣ J93

South:

♠ KQ874

♥ A43

♦ Q

♣ AQ75

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 123

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q9

♥ J

♦ KQ854

♣ AK843

South:

♠ K62

♥ A98652

♦ AJ7

♣ 5

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 124

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ A

♥ KQJ543

♦ J106

♣ K104

South:

♠ KJ10764

♥ —

♦ A92

♣ A963

West North East South

1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ AP

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 125	♠ K863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A862	

Board: 126	♠ AKJ1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1042	
Vul: EW	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K5	

Board: 127	♠ KQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK97643	
Vul: None	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 4	

Board: 128	♠ KJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q4	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ632	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 98	

Board: 129	♠ J973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q86	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 3	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 125	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K863	♠ A5				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ A8742	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ95	♦ 72	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A862	♣ KJ53				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 126	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ1052	♠ 3		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ 1042	♥ KQJ8	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ Q3	♦ K82	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K5	♣ A10643				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 127	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ9	♠ 5				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AK97643	♥ J2	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ 7	♦ AKQJ843	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 4	♣ A83				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 128	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ2	♠ A84		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q4	♥ AKJ8	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KQJ632	♦ —	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 98	♣ AQ10632	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 129	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J973	♠ A2				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ Q86	♥ K743	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 7	♦ KJ632	♦ 105	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 3	♣ KQ972				
Contract: 1N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 125	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8742	
Vul: NS	♦ 72	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ53	

Board: 126	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ K82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A10643	

Board: 127	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J2	
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ843	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A83	

Board: 128	♠ A84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ10632	

Board: 129	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K743	
Vul: EW	♦ 105	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ972	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 125	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K863	♠ A5				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ A8742	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ95	♦ 72	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A862	♣ KJ53				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 126	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ1052	♠ 3		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ 1042	♥ KQJ8	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ Q3	♦ K82	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K5	♣ A10643				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 127	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ9	♠ 5				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AK97643	♥ J2	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ 7	♦ AKQJ843	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 4	♣ A83				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 128	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ2	♠ A84		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q4	♥ AKJ8	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KQJ632	♦ —	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 98	♣ AQ10632	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 129	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J973	♠ A2				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ Q86	♥ K743	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 7	♦ KJ632	♦ 105	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 3	♣ KQ972				
Contract: 1N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 130	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J954	
Vul: Both	♦ A9654	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ	

Board: 131	♠ K1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 62	
Vul: NS	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ9742	

Board: 132	♠ J105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: EW	♦ 632	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK865	

Board: 133	♠ AJ8654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ97	
Vul: Both	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 3	

Board: 134	♠ AQJ876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q108754	
Vul: None	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ —	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 130
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 7
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ J4
♥ J954
♦ A9654
♣ AQ

South:
♠ A10752
♥ K103
♦ 3
♣ 7542

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

Board: 131
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ K1064
♥ 62
♦ K
♣ AJ9742

South:
♠ Q952
♥ Q97
♦ AJ75
♣ K5

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	AP	

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 132
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ J105
♥ KQ
♦ 632
♣ AK865

South:
♠ KQ72
♥ A109854
♦ AK9
♣ —

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

Board: 133
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 13
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AJ8654
♥ AKQ97
♦ Q
♣ 3

South:
♠ K72
♥ 10
♦ AK32
♣ QJ1082

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 134
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AQJ876
♥ Q108754
♦ A
♣ —

South:
♠ —
♥ 32
♦ KQ10942
♣ KQJ98

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 130	♠ A10752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K103	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 7542	

Board: 131	♠ Q952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q97	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ75	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K5	

Board: 132	♠ KQ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A109854	
Vul: EW	♦ AK9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Board: 133	♠ K72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: Both	♦ AK32	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ1082	

Board: 134	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 32	
Vul: None	♦ KQ10942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQJ98	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 130
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 7
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ J4
♥ J954
♦ A9654
♣ AQ

South:
♠ A10752
♥ K103
♦ 3
♣ 7542

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

Board: 131
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ K1064
♥ 62
♦ K
♣ AJ9742

South:
♠ Q952
♥ Q97
♦ AJ75
♣ K5

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	AP	

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 132
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ J105
♥ KQ
♦ 632
♣ AK865

South:
♠ KQ72
♥ A109854
♦ AK9
♣ —

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

Board: 133
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 13
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AJ8654
♥ AKQ97
♦ Q
♣ 3

South:
♠ K72
♥ 10
♦ AK32
♣ QJ1082

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 134
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AQJ876
♥ Q108754
♦ A
♣ —

South:
♠ —
♥ 32
♦ KQ10942
♣ KQJ98

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 135	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J6	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K109765	

Board: 136	♠ J854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9632	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10	

Board: 137	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK102	
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q764	

Board: 138	♠ K76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A108632	
Vul: NS	♦ K53	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q	

Board: 139	♠ Q86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ9872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ9	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 135	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ K108753				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ J6	♥ K8	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ85	♦ A7	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ K109765	♣ A83	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 136	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J854	♠ KQ2		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ AK9632	♥ J	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ 9	♦ AK52	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ A10	♣ K8752	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 137	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7	♠ AKQ1096				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AK102	♥ J74	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 19	♦ AKQJ	♦ 92	Pass	2NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 14	♣ Q764	♣ A5	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
Contract: 7♠ S			Pass	5♦	Pass	5NT ³
			Pass	7♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=0/5 or 3/5
3. ♠ queen no ♥ king no ♣ king no ♦ king

Board: 138	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K76	♠ A94		1♥	Pass	3♠ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ A108632	♥ 7	Pass	3♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ K53	♦ 872	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q	♣ AK8754				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 139	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q86	♠ K7				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 4	♥ AQ1083	Pass	3♦ ¹	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ9872	♦ 53	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ9	♣ A872				
Contract: 3♦ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 135	♠ K108753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A83	

Board: 136	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ AK52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K8752	

Board: 137	♠ AKQ1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J74	
Vul: None	♦ 92	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A5	

Board: 138	♠ A94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: NS	♦ 872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK8754	

Board: 139	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1083	
Vul: Both	♦ 53	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A872	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 135	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ K108753				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ J6	♥ K8	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ85	♦ A7	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ K109765	♣ A83	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 136	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J854	♠ KQ2		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ AK9632	♥ J	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ 9	♦ AK52	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ A10	♣ K8752	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 137	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7	♠ AKQ1096				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AK102	♥ J74	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 19	♦ AKQJ	♦ 92	Pass	2NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 14	♣ Q764	♣ A5	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
Contract: 7♠ S			Pass	5♦	Pass	5NT ³
			Pass	7♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=0/5 or 3/5
3. ♠ queen no ♥ king no ♣ king no ♦ king

Board: 138	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K76	♠ A94		1♥	Pass	3♠ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ A108632	♥ 7	Pass	3♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ K53	♦ 872	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q	♣ AK8754				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 139	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q86	♠ K7				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 4	♥ AQ1083	Pass	3♦ ¹	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ9872	♦ 53	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ9	♣ A872				
Contract: 3♦ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 140	♠ KQJ9654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ2	
Vul: None	♦ Q2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 141	♠ AJ10963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ 52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J532	

Board: 142	♠ J73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9864	
Vul: EW	♦ 876	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A	

Board: 143	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J964	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K103	

Board: 144	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1083	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J75	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 140

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ KQJ9654

♥ AQJ2

♦ Q2

♣ —

South:

♠ 10

♥ 3

♦ AKJ10974

♣ QJ76

West North East South

1♠ Pass 3♦¹

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 141

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♠ N

North:

♠ AJ10963

♥ A

♦ 52

♣ J532

South:

♠ K7

♥ J8652

♦ KJ4

♣ A106

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♠ AP

Board: 142

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 2♥ N

North:

♠ J73

♥ AK9864

♦ 876

♣ A

South:

♠ Q10965

♥ Q

♦ A94

♣ J732

West North East South

1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ AP

Board: 143

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ 3

♥ J964

♦ AQJ86

♣ K103

South:

♠ KQ854

♥ K105

♦ 103

♣ A76

West North East South

1♠

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♣

Pass 2NT AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 144

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ J5

♥ K1083

♦ AKQ5

♣ J75

South:

♠ AQ76

♥ AQJ964

♦ 2

♣ Q4

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 140	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ10974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ76	

Board: 141	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8652	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A106	

Board: 142	♠ Q10965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ A94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J732	

Board: 143	♠ KQ854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K105	
Vul: None	♦ 103	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A76	

Board: 144	♠ AQ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ964	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q4	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 140

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ KQJ9654

♥ AQJ2

♦ Q2

♣ —

South:

♠ 10

♥ 3

♦ AKJ10974

♣ QJ76

West North East South

1♠ Pass 3♦¹

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 141

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♠ N

North:

♠ AJ10963

♥ A

♦ 52

♣ J532

South:

♠ K7

♥ J8652

♦ KJ4

♣ A106

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♠ AP

Board: 142

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 2♥ N

North:

♠ J73

♥ AK9864

♦ 876

♣ A

South:

♠ Q10965

♥ Q

♦ A94

♣ J732

West North East South

1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ AP

Board: 143

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ 3

♥ J964

♦ AQJ86

♣ K103

South:

♠ KQ854

♥ K105

♦ 103

♣ A76

West North East South

1♠

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♣

Pass 2NT AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 144

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ J5

♥ K1083

♦ AKQ5

♣ J75

South:

♠ AQ76

♥ AQJ964

♦ 2

♣ Q4

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 145	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ72	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ107653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 2	

Board: 146	♠ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ9873	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ9	

Board: 147	♠ KJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ 87432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 6	

Board: 148	♠ AQ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: EW	♦ J10432	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q10	

Board: 149	♠ AKQ10985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A105	
Vul: Both	♦ J5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 2	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 145	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8	♠ AJ1092				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AJ72	♥ K543	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ107653	♦ —	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 2	♣ KQ53				
Contract: 3♥ S				1. forcing 1NT		

Board: 146	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ8	♠ K6532				
Vul: Both	♥ 4	♥ AJ932		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ9873	♦ A	Pass	2♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ9	♣ Q10	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 147	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ96	♠ AQ3				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AJ3	♥ Q654	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 87432	♦ Q6	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 6	♣ Q973				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 148	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ92	♠ K106				
Vul: EW	♥ KQ	♥ J1073		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 14	♦ J10432	♦ K	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 11	♣ Q10	♣ KJ642	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 149	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ10985	♠ 6				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ A105	♥ 643	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ J5	♦ AQ107	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ 2	♣ AK954	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N						
				1. New Minor Forcing		

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 145	♠ AJ1092	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K543	
Vul: EW	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ53	

Board: 146	♠ K6532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ932	
Vul: Both	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q10	

Board: 147	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q654	
Vul: NS	♦ Q6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q973	

Board: 148	♠ K106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1073	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ642	

Board: 149	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 643	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ107	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK954	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 145	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8	♠ AJ1092				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AJ72	♥ K543	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ107653	♦ —	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 2	♣ KQ53				
Contract: 3♥ S				1. forcing 1NT		

Board: 146	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ8	♠ K6532				
Vul: Both	♥ 4	♥ AJ932		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ9873	♦ A	Pass	2♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ9	♣ Q10	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 147	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ96	♠ AQ3				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AJ3	♥ Q654	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 87432	♦ Q6	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 6	♣ Q973				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 148	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ92	♠ K106				
Vul: EW	♥ KQ	♥ J1073		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 14	♦ J10432	♦ K	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 11	♣ Q10	♣ KJ642	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 149	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ10985	♠ 6				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ A105	♥ 643	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ J5	♦ AQ107	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ 2	♣ AK954	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N						
				1. New Minor Forcing		

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 150	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK64	
Vul: None	♦ Q9752	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 7	

Board: 151	♠ KQ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: EW	♦ A8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ9752	

Board: 152	♠ A109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ K10943	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K9	

Board: 153	♠ AK8653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: None	♦ J542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 10	

Board: 154	♠ AJ942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K43	
Vul: NS	♦ 104	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A82	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 150
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ KQ10
♥ AK64
♦ Q9752
♣ 7

South:
♠ 8764
♥ QJ8
♦ K
♣ AQJ53

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

Board: 151
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ KQ102
♥ 4
♦ A8
♣ AQ9752

South:
♠ 86
♥ AKQ876
♦ Q
♣ KJ64

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

Board: 152
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ A109
♥ KJ2
♦ K10943
♣ K9

South:
♠ Q4
♥ AQ76
♦ 5
♣ A85432

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
AP			

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 153
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AK8653
♥ A10
♦ J542
♣ 10

South:
♠ Q
♥ Q54
♦ K863
♣ AJ963

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 154
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AJ942
♥ K43
♦ 104
♣ A82

South:
♠ Q
♥ Q1062
♦ KQJ73
♣ KQ5

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 150	♠ 8764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ53	

Board: 151	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ876	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ64	

Board: 152	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ76	
Vul: Both	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A85432	

Board: 153	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q54	
Vul: None	♦ K863	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ963	

Board: 154	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1062	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ5	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 150
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ KQ10
♥ AK64
♦ Q9752
♣ 7

South:
♠ 8764
♥ QJ8
♦ K
♣ AQJ53

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

Board: 151
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ KQ102
♥ 4
♦ A8
♣ AQ9752

South:
♠ 86
♥ AKQ876
♦ Q
♣ KJ64

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

Board: 152
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ A109
♥ KJ2
♦ K10943
♣ K9

South:
♠ Q4
♥ AQ76
♦ 5
♣ A85432

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
AP			

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 153
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AK8653
♥ A10
♦ J542
♣ 10

South:
♠ Q
♥ Q54
♦ K863
♣ AJ963

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 154
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AJ942
♥ K43
♦ 104
♣ A82

South:
♠ Q
♥ Q1062
♦ KQJ73
♣ KQ5

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 155	♠ AKQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK873	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 22	♣ —	

Board: 156	♠ AK763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: None	♦ KQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ72	

Board: 157	♠ Q9654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ54	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 2	

Board: 158	♠ AKJ9842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ654	
Vul: EW	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ —	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 155
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 22
South HCP: 12
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ AKQ108
♥ AK873
♦ AQ9
♣ —

South:
♠ J63
♥ Q10
♦ K7
♣ KQJ862

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♥ ⁴
Pass	7♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=0/5 or 3/5
3. King ask by 5NT
4. K=2

Board: 156
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AK763
♥ 9
♦ KQ10
♣ QJ72

South:
♠ —
♥ AKQJ873
♦ A952
♣ A5

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	7♥
AP			

Board: 157
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ Q9654
♥ KJ54
♦ AKJ
♣ 2

South:
♠ KJ2
♥ AQ10
♦ 74
♣ K9874

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

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♠
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 158
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AKJ9842
♥ KJ654
♦ 8
♣ —

South:
♠ Q
♥ Q
♦ J97642
♣ AK952

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 155	♠ J63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: Both	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ862	

Board: 156	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ873	
Vul: None	♦ A952	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A5	

Board: 157	♠ KJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10	
Vul: NS	♦ 74	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K9874	

Board: 158	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ J97642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK952	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 155
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 22
South HCP: 12
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ AKQ108
♥ AK873
♦ AQ9
♣ —

South:
♠ J63
♥ Q10
♦ K7
♣ KQJ862

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♥ ⁴
Pass	7♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=0/5 or 3/5
3. King ask by 5NT
4. K=2

Board: 156
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AK763
♥ 9
♦ KQ10
♣ QJ72

South:
♠ —
♥ AKQJ873
♦ A952
♣ A5

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	7♥
AP			

Board: 157
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ Q9654
♥ KJ54
♦ AKJ
♣ 2

South:
♠ KJ2
♥ AQ10
♦ 74
♣ K9874

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

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♠
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 158
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AKJ9842
♥ KJ654
♦ 8
♣ —

South:
♠ Q
♥ Q
♦ J97642
♣ AK952

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 159	♠ A942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A107543	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K63	

Board: 160	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 107	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K10752	

Board: 161	♠ 832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ A1074	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ864	

Board: 162	♠ J42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: Both	♦ J94	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK1072	

Board: 163	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A108542	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 159	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A942	♠ KJ3				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A107543	♥ 6	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ —	♦ A97654	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ K63	♣ AJ5	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 160	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ —	♠ QJ862		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 107	♥ AKQ93	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ AKQJ94	♦ 6	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ K10752	♣ A6	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 161	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 832	♠ AJ65				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ KQ9732	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ A1074	♦ Q2	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ864	♣ 10				
Contract: 2♥ S						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 162	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J42	♠ A83		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A2	♥ QJ1073	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ J94	♦ KQ87	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AK1072	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 163	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ KQ7642				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ KJ5	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AJ943	♦ K2	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ A108542	♣ J3				
Contract: 3♠ S						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 159	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: None	♦ A97654	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ5	

Board: 160	♠ QJ862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ93	
Vul: NS	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A6	

Board: 161	♠ AJ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ9732	
Vul: EW	♦ Q2	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 10	

Board: 162	♠ A83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ1073	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

Board: 163	♠ KQ7642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ5	
Vul: NS	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J3	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 159	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A942	♠ KJ3				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A107543	♥ 6	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ —	♦ A97654	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ K63	♣ AJ5	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 160	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ —	♠ QJ862		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 107	♥ AKQ93	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ AKQJ94	♦ 6	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ K10752	♣ A6	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 161	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 832	♠ AJ65				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ KQ9732	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ A1074	♦ Q2	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ864	♣ 10				
Contract: 2♥ S						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 162	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J42	♠ A83		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A2	♥ QJ1073	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ J94	♦ KQ87	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AK1072	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 163	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ KQ7642				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ KJ5	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AJ943	♦ K2	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ A108542	♣ J3				
Contract: 3♠ S						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 164	♠ 1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: EW	♦ J6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ875	

Board: 165	♠ AQ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1072	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 108752	

Board: 166	♠ 1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ10	
Vul: None	♦ AJ942	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q10	

Board: 167	♠ KQ642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 743	
Vul: EW	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ63	

Board: 168	♠ AJ1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J3	
Vul: Both	♦ AK43	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 42	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 164

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 1085

♥ KJ

♦ J6

♣ AKQ875

South:

♠ KJ3

♥ A9642

♦ A1043

♣ 6

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 165

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ72

♥ A1072

♦ —

♣ 108752

South:

♠ KJ105

♥ KJ

♦ KJ765

♣ Q4

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 166

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 1053

♥ KQ10

♦ AJ942

♣ Q10

South:

♠ KQ642

♥ A97

♦ 8

♣ K542

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♠² Pass 4♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 167

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♠ N

North:

♠ KQ642

♥ 743

♦ 4

♣ AQ63

South:

♠ A109

♥ Q98

♦ AQ963

♣ 107

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♠²

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 168

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AJ1074

♥ J3

♦ AK43

♣ 42

South:

♠ K

♥ Q109865

♦ QJ

♣ AQ76

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ AP

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 164	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9642	
Vul: EW	♦ A1043	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 6	

Board: 165	♠ KJ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ765	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q4	

Board: 166	♠ KQ642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A97	
Vul: None	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K542	

Board: 167	♠ A109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q98	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ963	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 107	

Board: 168	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q109865	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ76	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 164

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 1085

♥ KJ

♦ J6

♣ AKQ875

South:

♠ KJ3

♥ A9642

♦ A1043

♣ 6

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 165

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ72

♥ A1072

♦ —

♣ 108752

South:

♠ KJ105

♥ KJ

♦ KJ765

♣ Q4

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 166

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 1053

♥ KQ10

♦ AJ942

♣ Q10

South:

♠ KQ642

♥ A97

♦ 8

♣ K542

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♠² Pass 4♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 167

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♠ N

North:

♠ KQ642

♥ 743

♦ 4

♣ AQ63

South:

♠ A109

♥ Q98

♦ AQ963

♣ 107

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♠²

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 168

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AJ1074

♥ J3

♦ AK43

♣ 42

South:

♠ K

♥ Q109865

♦ QJ

♣ AQ76

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ AP

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 169	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ KJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ7642	

Board: 170	♠ A53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K102	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10742	

Board: 171	♠ 9843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1092	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQJ9	

Board: 172	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 102	
Vul: None	♦ AQ543	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A964	

Board: 173	♠ AKJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J43	
Vul: NS	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQ4	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 169

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♣ N

North:

♠ Q2

♥ A

♦ KJ7

♣ KQJ7642

South:

♠ AJ85

♥ Q10943

♦ AQ86

♣ —

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

Board: 170

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A53

♥ K102

♦ KQJ

♣ 10742

South:

♠ K9

♥ AJ965

♦ A9843

♣ J

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

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 171

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ 9843

♥ J1092

♦ K

♣ KQJ9

South:

♠ A2

♥ 87

♦ AJ10876

♣ A102

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

Board: 172

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A10

♥ 102

♦ AQ543

♣ A964

South:

♠ J743

♥ AKQ

♦ 6

♣ KJ852

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

Board: 173

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ87

♥ J43

♦ J

♣ AKQ4

South:

♠ Q1092

♥ AK108

♦ K107

♣ 52

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 169	♠ AJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10943	
Vul: None	♦ AQ86	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ —	

Board: 170	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ965	
Vul: NS	♦ A9843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J	

Board: 171	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 87	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ10876	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A102	

Board: 172	♠ J743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ852	

Board: 173	♠ Q1092	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK108	
Vul: NS	♦ K107	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 52	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 169

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♣ N

North:

♠ Q2

♥ A

♦ KJ7

♣ KQJ7642

South:

♠ AJ85

♥ Q10943

♦ AQ86

♣ —

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♣	AP	
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Board: 170

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A53

♥ K102

♦ KQJ

♣ 10742

South:

♠ K9

♥ AJ965

♦ A9843

♣ J

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

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 171

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ 9843

♥ J1092

♦ K

♣ KQJ9

South:

♠ A2

♥ 87

♦ AJ10876

♣ A102

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
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AP

Board: 172

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A10

♥ 102

♦ AQ543

♣ A964

South:

♠ J743

♥ AKQ

♦ 6

♣ KJ852

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

Board: 173

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ87

♥ J43

♦ J

♣ AKQ4

South:

♠ Q1092

♥ AK108

♦ K107

♣ 52

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 174	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A98765	
Vul: EW	♦ Q8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ2	

Board: 175	♠ A10942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ7	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ103	

Board: 176	♠ K5432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q5	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A82	

Board: 177	♠ 976432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: EW	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K1052	

Board: 178	♠ Q10864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A6	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 6	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 174

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2♥ N

North:

♠ K10

♥ A98765

♦ Q8

♣ AJ2

South:

♠ J9873

♥ Q

♦ K65

♣ KQ83

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♥	AP	
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Board: 175

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A10942

♥ KJ7

♦ K

♣ AJ103

South:

♠ J

♥ Q32

♦ AQ875

♣ K972

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 176

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ K5432

♥ Q5

♦ KJ9

♣ A82

South:

♠ A

♥ A10764

♦ Q43

♣ Q953

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 177

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ 976432

♥ AQ

♦ 10

♣ K1052

South:

♠ AJ

♥ 9853

♦ AJ63

♣ A98

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
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AP

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥ ²
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Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♥ ⁴
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Pass	7♦	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

Board: 178

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♦ N

North:

♠ Q10864

♥ A6

♦ KQJ94

♣ 6

South:

♠ —

♥ KQ52

♦ A1062

♣ AKJ52

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 174	♠ J9873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ K65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ83	

Board: 175	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q32	
Vul: None	♦ AQ875	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K972	

Board: 176	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10764	
Vul: NS	♦ Q43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q953	

Board: 177	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9853	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ63	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A98	

Board: 178	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ52	
Vul: Both	♦ A1062	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ52	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 174

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2♥ N

North:

♠ K10

♥ A98765

♦ Q8

♣ AJ2

South:

♠ J9873

♥ Q

♦ K65

♣ KQ83

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♥	AP	
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Board: 175

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A10942

♥ KJ7

♦ K

♣ AJ103

South:

♠ J

♥ Q32

♦ AQ875

♣ K972

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 176

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ K5432

♥ Q5

♦ KJ9

♣ A82

South:

♠ A

♥ A10764

♦ Q43

♣ Q953

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 177

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ 976432

♥ AQ

♦ 10

♣ K1052

South:

♠ AJ

♥ 9853

♦ AJ63

♣ A98

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

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥ ²
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Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♥ ⁴
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Pass	7♦	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

Board: 178

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♦ N

North:

♠ Q10864

♥ A6

♦ KQJ94

♣ 6

South:

♠ —

♥ KQ52

♦ A1062

♣ AKJ52

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 179	♠ K765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10	
Vul: NS	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q9854	

Board: 180	♠ 982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ104	
Vul: EW	♦ A84	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 82	

Board: 181	♠ AQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK5	
Vul: Both	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K9764	

Board: 182	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ842	
Vul: None	♦ 83	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 108	

Board: 183	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ954	
Vul: EW	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ876	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 179

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ K765

♥ AQ10

♦ 4

♣ Q9854

South:

♠ A943

♥ J43

♦ AJ85

♣ K6

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♠	AP	
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Board: 180

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ 982

♥ AKJ104

♦ A84

♣ 82

South:

♠ AQ63

♥ 7

♦ KQ962

♣ 954

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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Board: 181

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ AQ63

♥ AK5

♦ J

♣ K9764

South:

♠ 987

♥ QJ

♦ AQ107

♣ A1082

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥ ²
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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

Board: 182

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQ10

♥ AKJ842

♦ 83

♣ 108

South:

♠ K542

♥ —

♦ AKJ10

♣ KJ652

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 183

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q5

♥ KQ954

♦ 6

♣ KQ876

South:

♠ AKJ9

♥ J

♦ J974

♣ A932

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 179	♠ A943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J43	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ85	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K6	

Board: 180	♠ AQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 954	

Board: 181	♠ 987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ107	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1082	

Board: 182	♠ K542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ652	

Board: 183	♠ AKJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ J974	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A932	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 179	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K765	♠ A943				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ10	♥ J43	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ 4	♦ AJ85	Pass	3♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q9854	♣ K6				
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 180	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 982	♠ AQ63				
Vul: EW	♥ AKJ104	♥ 7		1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♦ A84	♦ KQ962	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 82	♣ 954				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 181	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ63	♠ 987				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AK5	♥ QJ	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 17	♦ J	♦ AQ107	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥ ²
South HCP: 13	♣ K9764	♣ A1082	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ N						

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

Board: 182	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ10	♠ K542				
Vul: None	♥ AKJ842	♥ —		1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 83	♦ AKJ10	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 15	♣ 108	♣ KJ652	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Contract: 3N N			Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 183	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q5	♠ AKJ9				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KQ954	♥ J	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♦ 6	♦ J974	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ KQ876	♣ A932	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 184	♠ K953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: Both	♦ 4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ864	

Board: 185	♠ AJ1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ102	
Vul: None	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q82	

Board: 186	♠ A87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 852	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ32	

Board: 187	♠ KJ1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A953	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 10832	

Board: 188	♠ A85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ109763	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q6	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 184

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ K953

♥ AJ

♦ 4

♣ AQJ864

South:

♠ AQ76

♥ 765

♦ AKJ765

♣ —

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

Board: 185

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ AJ1096

♥ AJ102

♦ 10

♣ Q82

South:

♠ 4

♥ —

♦ AJ9532

♣ AKJ1097

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 186

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A87

♥ 852

♦ AJ3

♣ KJ32

South:

♠ Q93

♥ K104

♦ KQ10942

♣ A

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

Board: 187

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ KJ1097

♥ A953

♦ —

♣ 10832

South:

♠ —

♥ Q72

♦ AJ10753

♣ AJ76

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

Board: 188

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♦ N

North:

♠ A85

♥ J

♦ KQ109763

♣ Q6

South:

♠ 943

♥ K107542

♦ A

♣ AJ9

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 184	♠ AQ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 765	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 185	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AJ9532	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ1097	

Board: 186	♠ Q93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K104	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ10942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	

Board: 187	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q72	
Vul: None	♦ AJ10753	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ76	

Board: 188	♠ 943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K107542	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ9	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 184

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ K953

♥ AJ

♦ 4

♣ AQJ864

South:

♠ AQ76

♥ 765

♦ AKJ765

♣ —

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

Board: 185

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ AJ1096

♥ AJ102

♦ 10

♣ Q82

South:

♠ 4

♥ —

♦ AJ9532

♣ AKJ1097

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 186

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A87

♥ 852

♦ AJ3

♣ KJ32

South:

♠ Q93

♥ K104

♦ KQ10942

♣ A

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 187

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ KJ1097

♥ A953

♦ —

♣ 10832

South:

♠ —

♥ Q72

♦ AJ10753

♣ AJ76

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3♣	AP	
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Board: 188

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♦ N

North:

♠ A85

♥ J

♦ KQ109763

♣ Q6

South:

♠ 943

♥ K107542

♦ A

♣ AJ9

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♦	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 189	♠ 98762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A98	

Board: 190	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A54	
Vul: None	♦ QJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ643	

Board: 191	♠ 964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1098	
Vul: NS	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 10863	

Board: 192	♠ Q106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A96	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ9	

Board: 193	♠ KQ876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A102	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 189	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 98762	♠ AQJ				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ —	♥ KQ98762	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 7	♦ QJ643	♦ —	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ A98	♣ QJ2				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 190	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J2	♠ 109543		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A54	♥ KJ86	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ6	♦ A75	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ643	♣ Q				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 191	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 964	♠ A83				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK1098	♥ —	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 7	♦ 8	♦ AKQJ542	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 10863	♣ 742				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 192	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q106	♠ AK83		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A96	♥ Q85	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ73	♦ 9	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ9	♣ K10852				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ876	♠ A52				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q	♥ KJ752	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 17	♦ AQ65	♦ K4	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
South HCP: 14	♣ A102	♣ K86	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 189	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ98762	
Vul: EW	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ2	

Board: 190	♠ 109543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ86	
Vul: None	♦ A75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q	

Board: 191	♠ A83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQJ542	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 742	

Board: 192	♠ AK83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q85	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K10852	

Board: 193	♠ A52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ752	
Vul: Both	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K86	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 189	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 98762	♠ AQJ				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ —	♥ KQ98762	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 7	♦ QJ643	♦ —	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ A98	♣ QJ2				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 190	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J2	♠ 109543		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A54	♥ KJ86	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ6	♦ A75	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ643	♣ Q				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 191	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 964	♠ A83				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK1098	♥ —	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 7	♦ 8	♦ AKQJ542	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 10863	♣ 742				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 192	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q106	♠ AK83		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A96	♥ Q85	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ73	♦ 9	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ9	♣ K10852				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ876	♠ A52				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q	♥ KJ752	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 17	♦ AQ65	♦ K4	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
South HCP: 14	♣ A102	♣ K86	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 194	♠ 976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ87654	
Vul: NS	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K	

Board: 195	♠ K107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ82	

Board: 196	♠ J102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: None	♦ QJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ932	

Board: 197	♠ 874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K874	
Vul: EW	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AK643	

Board: 198	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A92	
Vul: Both	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ986432	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 976	♠ AK842		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AJ87654	♥ Q	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ A5	♦ QJ942	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ K	♣ 83				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 195	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K107	♠ J982				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 6	♥ KQ542	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ QJ976	♦ AK10	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ82	♣ 6	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 196	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J102	♠ K843		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ Q10876	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ QJ3	♦ K97				
South HCP: 8	♣ AQ932	♣ 4				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 197	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 874	♠ AQ5				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K874	♥ QJ6	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10	♦ 8	♦ KJ1092	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AK643	♣ 82				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 198	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K	♠ AQJ109		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ A92	♥ QJ65	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13	♦ J	♦ Q742	Pass	5♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ986432	♣ —				
Contract: 5♣ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 194	♠ AK842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 83	

Board: 195	♠ J982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ542	
Vul: Both	♦ AK10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

Board: 196	♠ K843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10876	
Vul: None	♦ K97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 4	

Board: 197	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ6	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ1092	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 82	

Board: 198	♠ AQJ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ65	
Vul: Both	♦ Q742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ —	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 976	♠ AK842		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AJ87654	♥ Q	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ A5	♦ QJ942	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ K	♣ 83				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 195	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K107	♠ J982				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 6	♥ KQ542	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ QJ976	♦ AK10	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ82	♣ 6	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 196	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J102	♠ K843		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ Q10876	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ QJ3	♦ K97				
South HCP: 8	♣ AQ932	♣ 4				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 197	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 874	♠ AQ5				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K874	♥ QJ6	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10	♦ 8	♦ KJ1092	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AK643	♣ 82				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 198	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K	♠ AQJ109		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ A92	♥ QJ65	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13	♦ J	♦ Q742	Pass	5♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ986432	♣ —				
Contract: 5♣ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 199	♠ AK652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ6	
Vul: None	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ10	

Board: 200	♠ AKQ9865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1064	

Board: 201	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1084	
Vul: Both	♦ AK103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ84	

Board: 202	♠ 98764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ K42	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ7	

Board: 203	♠ K109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1097	
Vul: NS	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AQ8542	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 199

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AK652

♥ KQJ6

♦ 10

♣ KQ10

South:

♠ QJ43

♥ 1095

♦ AKQ8

♣ 43

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♦²

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT³ Pass 5♦⁴

Pass 5♠ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 200

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKQ9865

♥ 8

♦ KJ

♣ 1064

South:

♠ J

♥ J10

♦ A106432

♣ AQJ9

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 201

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 2

♥ Q1084

♦ AK103

♣ AJ84

South:

♠ KQ974

♥ A53

♦ QJ4

♣ 65

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 202

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 6

Contract: 1♠ N

North:

♠ 98764

♥ A

♦ K42

♣ AKJ7

South:

♠ 5

♥ KJ843

♦ Q1093

♣ 853

West North East South

1♠ AP

Board: 203

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ K109

♥ 1097

♦ 7

♣ AQ8542

South:

♠ Q5

♥ AJ4

♦ KQJ10

♣ 9763

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1NT AP



South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 199	♠ QJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1095	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 43	

Board: 200	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	
Vul: NS	♦ A106432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ9	

Board: 201	♠ KQ974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A53	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 65	

Board: 202	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ843	
Vul: None	♦ Q1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 853	

Board: 203	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9763	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 199

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AK652

♥ KQJ6

♦ 10

♣ KQ10

South:

♠ QJ43

♥ 1095

♦ AKQ8

♣ 43

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♦²

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT³ Pass 5♦⁴

Pass 5♠ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 200

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKQ9865

♥ 8

♦ KJ

♣ 1064

South:

♠ J

♥ J10

♦ A106432

♣ AQJ9

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 201

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 2

♥ Q1084

♦ AK103

♣ AJ84

South:

♠ KQ974

♥ A53

♦ QJ4

♣ 65

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 202

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 6

Contract: 1♠ N

North:

♠ 98764

♥ A

♦ K42

♣ AKJ7

South:

♠ 5

♥ KJ843

♦ Q1093

♣ 853

West North East South

1♠ AP

Board: 203

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ K109

♥ 1097

♦ 7

♣ AQ8542

South:

♠ Q5

♥ AJ4

♦ KQJ10

♣ 9763

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1NT AP



North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 204	♠ 642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ84	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 97	

Board: 205	♠ AK974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 72	
Vul: EW	♦ K8652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K	

Board: 206	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ1076	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ763	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ6	

Board: 207	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK4	
Vul: NS	♦ K10765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K8765	

Board: 208	♠ K10954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ65	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 4	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 204	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 642	♠ A753		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ QJ84	♥ K75	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ AKQ7	♦ 9	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 97	♣ AK1052				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 205	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK974	♠ J8				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 72	♥ K10	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ K8652	♦ QJ7	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K	♣ AQ8762				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 206	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ —	♠ AQ852		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ KJ1076	♥ 4	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ763	♦ Q942	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ6	♣ A103				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 207	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ A7653				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AK4	♥ 986	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K10765	♦ AQ8	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ K8765	♣ Q9				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 208	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10954	♠ —		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ KJ65	♥ 1083	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ8	♦ J974	1. forcing 1NT			
South HCP: 8	♣ 4	♣ AK10753				
Contract: 2♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 204	♠ A753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K75	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK1052	

Board: 205	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ8762	

Board: 206	♠ AQ852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: Both	♦ Q942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A103	

Board: 207	♠ A7653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 986	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q9	

Board: 208	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1083	
Vul: EW	♦ J974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AK10753	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 204	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 642	♠ A753		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ QJ84	♥ K75	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ AKQ7	♦ 9	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 97	♣ AK1052				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 205	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK974	♠ J8				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 72	♥ K10	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ K8652	♦ QJ7	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K	♣ AQ8762				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 206	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ —	♠ AQ852		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ KJ1076	♥ 4	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ763	♦ Q942	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ6	♣ A103				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 207	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ A7653				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AK4	♥ 986	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K10765	♦ AQ8	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ K8765	♣ Q9				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 208	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10954	♠ —		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ KJ65	♥ 1083	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ8	♦ J974	1. forcing 1NT			
South HCP: 8	♣ 4	♣ AK10753				
Contract: 2♥ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 209	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 43	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ942	

Board: 210	♠ AQ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1083	
Vul: None	♦ AJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J7	

Board: 211	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ73	
Vul: EW	♦ A65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQJ7	

Board: 212	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ106	
Vul: Both	♦ Q2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J10865	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 209
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ 6
♥ 43
♦ AKQ53
♣ KQ942

South:
♠ K9843
♥ AK5
♦ 4
♣ AJ106

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♣ ²	Pass	6♣
			AP
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

Board: 210
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 17
Contract: 5♥ S

North:
♠ AQ92
♥ J1083
♦ AJ8
♣ J7

South:
♠ K8
♥ AQ976
♦ K
♣ KQ642

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ¹
Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♥ ⁴	AP	
			1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
			2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
			4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 211
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ 3
♥ AJ73
♦ A65
♣ AKQJ7

South:
♠ AKQ74
♥ K852
♦ K
♣ 953

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥ ²
Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♥ ⁴
			AP
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
			3. King ask by 5NT
			4. K=2

Board: 212
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♦ S

North:
♠ K
♥ AKJ106
♦ Q2
♣ J10865

South:
♠ AQJ5
♥ 3
♦ J98653
♣ K4

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	3♦ ¹
			AP
			1. Inviting Jump Shifts

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 209	♠ K9843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK5	
Vul: Both	♦ 4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ106	

Board: 210	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ976	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ642	

Board: 211	♠ AKQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K852	
Vul: EW	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 953	

Board: 212	♠ AQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ J98653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K4	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 209
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ 6
♥ 43
♦ AKQ53
♣ KQ942

South:
♠ K9843
♥ AK5
♦ 4
♣ AJ106

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♣ ²	Pass	6♣
			AP
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

Board: 210
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 17
Contract: 5♥ S

North:
♠ AQ92
♥ J1083
♦ AJ8
♣ J7

South:
♠ K8
♥ AQ976
♦ K
♣ KQ642

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ¹
Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♥ ⁴	AP	
			1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
			2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
			4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 211
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ 3
♥ AJ73
♦ A65
♣ AKQJ7

South:
♠ AKQ74
♥ K852
♦ K
♣ 953

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥ ²
Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♥ ⁴
			AP
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
			3. King ask by 5NT
			4. K=2

Board: 212
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♦ S

North:
♠ K
♥ AKJ106
♦ Q2
♣ J10865

South:
♠ AQJ5
♥ 3
♦ J98653
♣ K4

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	3♦ ¹
			AP
			1. Inviting Jump Shifts

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 213	♠ KQ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ9654	
Vul: None	♦ K8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

Board: 214	♠ A932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J106	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ42	

Board: 215	♠ 764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ A10963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK63	

Board: 216	♠ AJ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ A65	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ962	

Board: 217	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 109	
Vul: NS	♦ A843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J86543	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 213
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ KQ95
♥ AJ9654
♦ K8
♣ Q

South:
♠ A
♥ KQ7
♦ Q75
♣ KJ9742

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

Board: 214
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 11
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ A932
♥ J106
♦ AQ
♣ QJ42

South:
♠ K108764
♥ A2
♦ KJ753
♣ —

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 215
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 764
♥ 5
♦ A10963
♣ AK63

South:
♠ AQ52
♥ AJ1093
♦ K
♣ 754

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 216
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AJ103
♥ 3
♦ A65
♣ AJ962

South:
♠ 965
♥ KQ876
♦ KJ93
♣ K

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

Board: 217
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ K
♥ 109
♦ A843
♣ J86543

South:
♠ A9852
♥ AQ753
♦ K62
♣ —

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

1. forcing 1NT

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 213	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ7	
Vul: None	♦ Q75	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ9742	

Board: 214	♠ K108764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ —	

Board: 215	♠ AQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ1093	
Vul: Both	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 754	

Board: 216	♠ 965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ876	
Vul: None	♦ KJ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K	

Board: 217	♠ A9852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ753	
Vul: NS	♦ K62	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ —	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 213
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ KQ95
♥ AJ9654
♦ K8
♣ Q

South:
♠ A
♥ KQ7
♦ Q75
♣ KJ9742

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

Board: 214
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 11
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ A932
♥ J106
♦ AQ
♣ QJ42

South:
♠ K108764
♥ A2
♦ KJ753
♣ —

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 215
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 764
♥ 5
♦ A10963
♣ AK63

South:
♠ AQ52
♥ AJ1093
♦ K
♣ 754

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 216
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AJ103
♥ 3
♦ A65
♣ AJ962

South:
♠ 965
♥ KQ876
♦ KJ93
♣ K

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

Board: 217
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ K
♥ 109
♦ A843
♣ J86543

South:
♠ A9852
♥ AQ753
♦ K62
♣ —

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

1. forcing 1NT

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 218	♠ AK85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K10632	

Board: 219	♠ 96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q92	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQJ642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K	

Board: 220	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1075	
Vul: EW	♦ Q64	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ52	

Board: 221	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ 97632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 6	

Board: 222	♠ J103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ9543	
Vul: NS	♦ A32	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 218	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK85	♠ Q10		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ AJ5	♥ Q9843	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 8	♦ K9642	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ K10632	♣ 5				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 219	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 96	♠ QJ84				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q92	♥ A	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AKQJ642	♦ 5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ K	♣ AQJ9832				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 220	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J6	♠ AK84		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 1075	♥ 9643	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ Q64	♦ A975				
South HCP: 11	♣ AKQ52	♣ 3				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 221	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A5	♠ 10974				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AKQJ9	♥ 75	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 97632	♦ AQ5	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 13	♣ 6	♣ AK53	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 222	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J103	♠ A742				
Vul: NS	♥ KQ9543	♥ —		1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14	♦ A32	♦ J764	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ A	♣ KQ1083				
Contract: 2♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 218	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9843	
Vul: EW	♦ K9642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 5	

Board: 219	♠ QJ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ 5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ9832	

Board: 220	♠ AK84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9643	
Vul: EW	♦ A975	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 3	

Board: 221	♠ 10974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 75	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK53	

Board: 222	♠ A742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ J764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQ1083	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 218

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ AK85

♥ AJ5

♦ 8

♣ K10632

South:

♠ Q10

♥ Q9843

♦ K9642

♣ 5

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

Board: 219

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 96

♥ Q92

♦ AKQJ642

♣ K

South:

♠ QJ84

♥ A

♦ 5

♣ AQJ9832

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

Board: 220

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ J6

♥ 1075

♦ Q64

♣ AKQ52

South:

♠ AK84

♥ 9643

♦ A975

♣ 3

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

Board: 221

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A5

♥ AKQJ9

♦ 97632

♣ 6

South:

♠ 10974

♥ 75

♦ AQ5

♣ AK53

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 222

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 10

Contract: 2♥ N

North:

♠ J103

♥ KQ9543

♦ A32

♣ A

South:

♠ A742

♥ —

♦ J764

♣ KQ1083

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 223	♠ KQJ109764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ	
Vul: EW	♦ 106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ —	

Board: 224	♠ AK84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8732	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ84	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 225	♠ J963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ842	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A432	

Board: 226	♠ A108765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ105	
Vul: EW	♦ K9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 2	

Board: 227	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ4	
Vul: Both	♦ 98743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ62	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 223

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQJ109764

♥ KQJ

♦ 106

♣ —

South:

♠ A5

♥ A5

♦ J873

♣ AJ965

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

Board: 224

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AK84

♥ 8732

♦ AQJ84

♣ —

South:

♠ J973

♥ AKQ6

♦ 9

♣ J974

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

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

Board: 225

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ J963

♥ KQ842

♦ —

♣ A432

South:

♠ A75

♥ 965

♦ AKQ753

♣ 9

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

Board: 226

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ A108765

♥ AJ105

♦ K9

♣ 2

South:

♠ —

♥ KQ8

♦ 7642

♣ AQ8765

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 227

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 8

♥ KQ4

♦ 98743

♣ AQ62

South:

♠ AQJ42

♥ 7

♦ K105

♣ KJ108

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

1. forcing 1NT

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 223	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: EW	♦ J873	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ965	

Board: 224	♠ J973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ6	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J974	

Board: 225	♠ A75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 965	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ753	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9	

Board: 226	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ8	
Vul: EW	♦ 7642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ8765	

Board: 227	♠ AQJ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: Both	♦ K105	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ108	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 223

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQJ109764

♥ KQJ

♦ 106

♣ —

South:

♠ A5

♥ A5

♦ J873

♣ AJ965

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

Board: 224

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AK84

♥ 8732

♦ AQJ84

♣ —

South:

♠ J973

♥ AKQ6

♦ 9

♣ J974

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

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

Board: 225

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ J963

♥ KQ842

♦ —

♣ A432

South:

♠ A75

♥ 965

♦ AKQ753

♣ 9

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

Board: 226

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ A108765

♥ AJ105

♦ K9

♣ 2

South:

♠ —

♥ KQ8

♦ 7642

♣ AQ8765

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 227

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 8

♥ KQ4

♦ 98743

♣ AQ62

South:

♠ AQJ42

♥ 7

♦ K105

♣ KJ108

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

1. forcing 1NT

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 228	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K105	
Vul: None	♦ J532	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ6	

Board: 229	♠ Q106543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: NS	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J1094	

Board: 230	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A103	
Vul: Both	♦ J2	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K98642	

Board: 231	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A653	
Vul: None	♦ 109653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K104	

Board: 232	♠ AJ1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK6	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 9763	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 105	♠ AK8		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ K105	♥ A984	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ J532	♦ 9	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AKJ6	♣ Q8532				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 229	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q106543	♠ 9				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 3	♥ AKQJ87	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ A7	♦ J62	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J1094	♣ K53				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 230	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ KJ		1♣	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ A103	♥ KQ7654	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ J2	♦ AK86				
South HCP: 16	♣ K98642	♣ 10				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 231	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ 1097643				1♠
Vul: None	♥ A653	♥ K	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ 109653	♦ A4	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 13	♣ K104	♣ AQ62	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 232	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ1053	♠ 7		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AK6	♥ J1092	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14	♦ Q	♦ 109854	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 9763	♣ AKQ				
Contract: 2♠ N						

1. forcing 1NT

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 228	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A984	
Vul: None	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q8532	

Board: 229	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ87	
Vul: NS	♦ J62	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K53	

Board: 230	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ7654	
Vul: Both	♦ AK86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10	

Board: 231	♠ 1097643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ62	

Board: 232	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1092	
Vul: NS	♦ 109854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AKQ	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 105	♠ AK8		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ K105	♥ A984				
North HCP: 12	♦ J532	♦ 9	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ AKJ6	♣ Q8532	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 229	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q106543	♠ 9				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 3	♥ AKQJ87				
North HCP: 7	♦ A7	♦ J62	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 14	♣ J1094	♣ K53	Pass	2♠	AP	
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 230	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ KJ				
Vul: Both	♥ A103	♥ KQ7654		1♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ J2	♦ AK86				
South HCP: 16	♣ K98642	♣ 10	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 231	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ 1097643				1♠
Vul: None	♥ A653	♥ K	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ 109653	♦ A4	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 13	♣ K104	♣ AQ62	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 232	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ1053	♠ 7		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AK6	♥ J1092				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q	♦ 109854	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 10	♣ 9763	♣ AKQ	AP			
Contract: 2♠ N						

1. forcing 1NT

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 233	♠ AK972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ7	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q	

Board: 234	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ95	
Vul: None	♦ KQ84	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1054	

Board: 235	♠ AJ9754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK4	
Vul: NS	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 943	

Board: 236	♠ A874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: EW	♦ 763	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ43	

Board: 237	♠ 852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ84	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 6	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 233

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AK972

♥ AJ7

♦ KJ74

♣ Q

South:

♠ J53

♥ KQ105

♦ A10

♣ A742

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♠

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♥²

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 234

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ 6

♥ QJ95

♦ KQ84

♣ A1054

South:

♠ J10985

♥ A4

♦ J

♣ KQ963

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 5♣

AP

Board: 235

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AJ9754

♥ AK4

♦ 6

♣ 943

South:

♠ K106

♥ 93

♦ AKJ987

♣ A10

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♦

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

AP

Board: 236

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ A874

♥ AJ

♦ 763

♣ QJ43

South:

♠ KJ3

♥ KQ10863

♦ 1042

♣ 9

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

AP

Board: 237

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ 852

♥ AKJ84

♦ QJ102

♣ 6

South:

♠ AJ109

♥ 1065

♦ K3

♣ AQ75

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT AP

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 233	♠ J53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ105	
Vul: EW	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A742	

Board: 234	♠ J10985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: None	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ963	

Board: 235	♠ K106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 93	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ987	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A10	

Board: 236	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ10863	
Vul: EW	♦ 1042	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 9	

Board: 237	♠ AJ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1065	
Vul: Both	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ75	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 233			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: EW	♠ AK972	♠ J53	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 18	♥ AJ7	♥ KQ105	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥ ²
South HCP: 14	♦ KJ74	♦ A10	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N	♣ Q	♣ A742	1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 234			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: None	♠ 6	♠ J10985		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♥ QJ95	♥ A4	Pass	2♣	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 11	♦ KQ84	♦ J	AP			
Contract: 5♣ N	♣ A1054	♣ KQ963				

Board: 235			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: NS	♠ AJ9754	♠ K106	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♥ AK4	♥ 93	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♦ 6	♦ AKJ987	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N	♣ 943	♣ A10				

Board: 236			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: EW	♠ A874	♠ KJ3		1♣	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 12	♥ AJ	♥ KQ10863	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 9	♦ 763	♦ 1042	AP			
Contract: 2♥ S	♣ QJ43	♣ 9				

Board: 237			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: Both	♠ 852	♠ AJ109	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11	♥ AKJ84	♥ 1065	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♦ QJ102	♦ K3				
Contract: 1N N	♣ 6	♣ AQ75				

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 238	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ108	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A109542	

Board: 239	♠ QJ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ K87642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ2	

Board: 240	♠ AKQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: Both	♦ K83	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J632	

Board: 241	♠ Q9532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ A75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q975	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 238

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ Q6

♥ AJ108

♦ Q

♣ A109542

South:

♠ A7532

♥ K42

♦ AKJ83

♣ —

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♦

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 239

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ S

North:

♠ QJ63

♥ —

♦ K87642

♣ KQ2

South:

♠ 1054

♥ AKJ982

♦ 93

♣ A7

West North East South

1♥

Pass 3♦¹ Pass 3♥

AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 240

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7♣ S

North:

♠ AKQ85

♥ 6

♦ K83

♣ J632

South:

♠ 2

♥ AK10

♦ AQ97

♣ AK874

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♣ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♦² Pass 5♥

Pass 6♣³ Pass 6♦⁴

Pass 6NT⁵ Pass 7♣

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. no ♣ queen

4. King ask by available bid

5. K=2

Board: 241

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q9532

♥ A

♦ A75

♣ Q975

South:

♠ A

♥ KQ963

♦ 842

♣ AJ84

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 3NT AP

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 238	♠ A7532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K42	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 239	♠ 1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ982	
Vul: EW	♦ 93	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A7	

Board: 240	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ AK874	

Board: 241	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ963	
Vul: None	♦ 842	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ84	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 238

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ Q6

♥ AJ108

♦ Q

♣ A109542

South:

♠ A7532

♥ K42

♦ AKJ83

♣ —

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

Board: 239

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ S

North:

♠ QJ63

♥ —

♦ K87642

♣ KQ2

South:

♠ 1054

♥ AKJ982

♦ 93

♣ A7

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 240

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7♣ S

North:

♠ AKQ85

♥ 6

♦ K83

♣ J632

South:

♠ 2

♥ AK10

♦ AQ97

♣ AK874

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♣	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♣ ³	Pass	6♦ ⁴
Pass	6NT ⁵	Pass	7♣
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
 2. A=1/5 or 4/5
 3. no ♣ queen
 4. King ask by available bid
 5. K=2

Board: 241

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q9532

♥ A

♦ A75

♣ Q975

South:

♠ A

♥ KQ963

♦ 842

♣ AJ84

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 242	♠ AKJ98653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ A43	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10	

Board: 243	♠ AK10962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: Both	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ3	

Board: 244	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J863	
Vul: None	♦ KJ876	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A6	

Board: 245	♠ KJ8753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1075	
Vul: NS	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK6	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 242

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ98653

♥ Q

♦ A43

♣ 10

South:

♠ —

♥ K75432

♦ J9

♣ AJ753

West North East South

1♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 4♠ AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 243

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AK10962

♥ Q8

♦ 6

♣ AKJ3

South:

♠ Q4

♥ K743

♦ AQJ32

♣ 85

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

AP

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4♦⁴

Pass 4NT⁵ Pass 5♣⁶

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♣⁷

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
6. A=0/5 or 3/5
7. ♥ queen and ♣ king

Board: 244

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A10

♥ J863

♦ KJ876

♣ A6

South:

♠ J874

♥ AKQ9

♦ A

♣ KJ97

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♠ AP

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3 ♠

Board: 245

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KJ8753

♥ 1075

♦ 6

♣ AK6

South:

♠ AQ10

♥ Q92

♦ A872

♣ Q98

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 242	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K75432	
Vul: EW	♦ J9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ753	

Board: 243	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K743	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ32	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 85	

Board: 244	♠ J874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ97	

Board: 245	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q92	
Vul: NS	♦ A872	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q98	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 242

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ98653

♥ Q

♦ A43

♣ 10

South:

♠ —

♥ K75432

♦ J9

♣ AJ753

West North East South

1♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 4♠ AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 243

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AK10962

♥ Q8

♦ 6

♣ AKJ3

South:

♠ Q4

♥ K743

♦ AQJ32

♣ 85

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

AP

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4♦⁴

Pass 4NT⁵ Pass 5♣⁶

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♣⁷

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

6. A=0/5 or 3/5

7. ♥ queen and ♣ king

Board: 244

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A10

♥ J863

♦ KJ876

♣ A6

South:

♠ J874

♥ AKQ9

♦ A

♣ KJ97

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♠ AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

Board: 245

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KJ8753

♥ 1075

♦ 6

♣ AK6

South:

♠ AQ10

♥ Q92

♦ A872

♣ Q98

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 246	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K108632	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ42	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 9	

Board: 247	♠ KJ9876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1086	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ53	

Board: 248	♠ K742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ652	
Vul: NS	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ6	

Board: 249	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K873	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK97654	

Board: 250	♠ AJ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: None	♦ AQ9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J10432	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 246

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ A7

♥ K108632

♦ AJ42

♣ 9

South:

♠ Q10954

♥ A

♦ KQ

♣ 108743

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

Board: 247

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♠ N

North:

♠ KJ9876

♥ 1086

♦ —

♣ AJ53

South:

♠ 10

♥ AJ7

♦ KJ8754

♣ K106

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

Board: 248

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K742

♥ AQJ652

♦ —

♣ KJ6

South:

♠ QJ

♥ 4

♦ KQJ752

♣ Q1097

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 249

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♣ N

North:

♠ Q6

♥ K873

♦ —

♣ AK97654

South:

♠ K984

♥ QJ9

♦ AK52

♣ J10

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 250

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AJ83

♥ 2

♦ AQ9

♣ J10432

South:

♠ Q10952

♥ AQJ4

♦ K87

♣ Q

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 246	♠ Q10954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 108743	

Board: 247	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ7	
Vul: None	♦ KJ8754	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K106	

Board: 248	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q1097	

Board: 249	♠ K984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ9	
Vul: EW	♦ AK52	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J10	

Board: 250	♠ Q10952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: None	♦ K87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 246

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ A7

♥ K108632

♦ AJ42

♣ 9

South:

♠ Q10954

♥ A

♦ KQ

♣ 108743

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

Board: 247

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♠ N

North:

♠ KJ9876

♥ 1086

♦ —

♣ AJ53

South:

♠ 10

♥ AJ7

♦ KJ8754

♣ K106

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

Board: 248

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K742

♥ AQJ652

♦ —

♣ KJ6

South:

♠ QJ

♥ 4

♦ KQJ752

♣ Q1097

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 249

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♣ N

North:

♠ Q6

♥ K873

♦ —

♣ AK97654

South:

♠ K984

♥ QJ9

♦ AK52

♣ J10

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 250

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AJ83

♥ 2

♦ AQ9

♣ J10432

South:

♠ Q10952

♥ AQJ4

♦ K87

♣ Q

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 251	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 21	♣ K8753	

Board: 252	♠ AKJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7632	
Vul: EW	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 52	

Board: 253	♠ K65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ762	
Vul: Both	♦ A9632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ —	

Board: 254	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ976	
Vul: NS	♦ Q106	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 84	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ	♠ 2				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A	♥ KQJ8654	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 21	♦ AJ108	♦ K32	Pass	5♦	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 15	♣ K8753	♣ AQ	AP			
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ32	♠ 6		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A7632	♥ 1084	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J	♦ A5432	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 52	♣ AK74	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 253	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K65	♠ AQ				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ762	♥ J95	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A9632	♦ KQ5	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥ ²
South HCP: 12	♣ —	♣ 98542	Pass	2♠ ³	Pass	3♦ ⁴
Contract: 4♥ N			Pass	4♥	AP	
			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3♥			
			3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			

Board: 254	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K9	♠ Q865				
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ976	♥ 10		1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14	♦ Q106	♦ J54	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ 84	♣ AQ532				
Contract: 2♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 251	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ8654	
Vul: NS	♦ K32	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ	

Board: 252	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1084	
Vul: EW	♦ A5432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK74	

Board: 253	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J95	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 98542	

Board: 254	♠ Q865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: NS	♦ J54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AQ532	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ	♠ 2				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A	♥ KQJ8654	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 21	♦ AJ108	♦ K32	Pass	5♦	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 15	♣ K8753	♣ AQ	AP			
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ32	♠ 6		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A7632	♥ 1084	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J	♦ A5432	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 52	♣ AK74	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 253	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K65	♠ AQ				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ762	♥ J95	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A9632	♦ KQ5	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥ ²
South HCP: 12	♣ —	♣ 98542	Pass	2♠ ³	Pass	3♦ ⁴
Contract: 4♥ N			Pass	4♥	AP	
			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3♥			
			3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			

Board: 254	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K9	♠ Q865				
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ976	♥ 10		1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14	♦ Q106	♦ J54	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ 84	♣ AQ532				
Contract: 2♥ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 255	♠ QJ32	East Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ86	
Vul: EW	♦ K54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J	

Board: 256	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ1083	
Vul: Both	♦ A92	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 74	

Board: 257	♠ 872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ107	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 8	

Board: 258	♠ A103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J32	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ96	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 62	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 255

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ QJ32

♥ AKQ86

♦ K54

♣ J

South:

♠ A987

♥ 3

♦ J72

♣ AKQ83

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♦ ¹	X	3♣
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♦ ³	Pass	5♠
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AP

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 256

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ K5

♥ KQJ1083

♦ A92

♣ 74

South:

♠ AJ96

♥ —

♦ KQ1087

♣ AKQ9

West	North	East	South
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1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5NT ³
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Pass	6♥ ⁴	Pass	7♦
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

Board: 257

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 872

♥ KJ107

♦ AKJ86

♣ 8

South:

♠ AQ104

♥ Q93

♦ 3

♣ AQ543

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 258

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ A103

♥ J32

♦ AKQ96

♣ 62

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ AQ5

♦ 3

♣ KQJ753

West	North	East	South
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1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 255	♠ A987	East Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: EW	♦ J72	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ83	

Board: 256	♠ AJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ1087	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQ9	

Board: 257	♠ AQ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q93	
Vul: None	♦ 3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ543	

Board: 258	♠ QJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ5	
Vul: EW	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ753	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 255

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ QJ32

♥ AKQ86

♦ K54

♣ J

South:

♠ A987

♥ 3

♦ J72

♣ AKQ83

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♦ ¹	X	3♣
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♦ ³	Pass	5♠
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AP

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 256

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ K5

♥ KQJ1083

♦ A92

♣ 74

South:

♠ AJ96

♥ —

♦ KQ1087

♣ AKQ9

West	North	East	South
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1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5NT ³
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Pass	6♥ ⁴	Pass	7♦
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

Board: 257

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 872

♥ KJ107

♦ AKJ86

♣ 8

South:

♠ AQ104

♥ Q93

♦ 3

♣ AQ543

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 258

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ A103

♥ J32

♦ AKQ96

♣ 62

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ AQ5

♦ 3

♣ KQJ753

West	North	East	South
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1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 259	♠ AKJ972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: Both	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ104	

Board: 260	♠ AKQ8542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: None	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q65	

Board: 261	♠ 76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ52	

Board: 262	♠ QJ10942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 8	

Board: 263	♠ K974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J108	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ1082	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 259
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 5♠ N

North:
♠ AKJ972
♥ Q8
♦ 5
♣ KJ104

South:
♠ 54
♥ K6
♦ AKQJ73
♣ 976

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 260
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AKQ8542
♥ A5
♦ 8
♣ Q65

South:
♠ 10
♥ 109763
♦ J92
♣ AKJ2

West	North	East	South
			1NT ¹
	1♠	Pass	
Pass	4♠	AP	

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 261
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♦ N

North:
♠ 76
♥ 2
♦ AQJ943
♣ KQ52

South:
♠ QJ10
♥ AKQJ10
♦ 852
♣ J7

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	3♦ ¹	AP	

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 262
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 11
Contract: 2♠ N

North:
♠ QJ10942
♥ AK10
♦ AJ9
♣ 8

South:
♠ 8
♥ Q75
♦ KQ643
♣ KJ102

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 263
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ K974
♥ J108
♦ A
♣ AJ1082

South:
♠ AJ2
♥ KQ4
♦ K843
♣ 765

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 259	♠ 54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 976	

Board: 260	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 109763	
Vul: None	♦ J92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AKJ2	

Board: 261	♠ QJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ 852	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J7	

Board: 262	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q75	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ102	

Board: 263	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ4	
Vul: None	♦ K843	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 765	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 259

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ972

♥ Q8

♦ 5

♣ KJ104

South:

♠ 54

♥ K6

♦ AKQJ73

♣ 976

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♦

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♥² Pass 5♠

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 260

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKQ8542

♥ A5

♦ 8

♣ Q65

South:

♠ 10

♥ 109763

♦ J92

♣ AKJ2

West North East South

1♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 4♠ AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 261

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♦ N

North:

♠ 76

♥ 2

♦ AQJ943

♣ KQ52

South:

♠ QJ10

♥ AKQJ10

♦ 852

♣ J7

West North East South

1♥

Pass 3♦¹ AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 262

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2♠ N

North:

♠ QJ10942

♥ AK10

♦ AJ9

♣ 8

South:

♠ 8

♥ Q75

♦ KQ643

♣ KJ102

West North East South

1♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2♠ AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 263

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K974

♥ J108

♦ A

♣ AJ1082

South:

♠ AJ2

♥ KQ4

♦ K843

♣ 765

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 264	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1064	
Vul: NS	♦ AK10543	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 7	

Board: 265	♠ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ52	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q107532	

Board: 266	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ954	
Vul: None	♦ K9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 982	

Board: 267	♠ Q107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ9762	
Vul: NS	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J107	

Board: 268	♠ K10864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ86	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1084	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 264

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ Q9

♥ A1064

♦ AK10543

♣ 7

South:

♠ AKJ84

♥ Q5

♦ 7

♣ AQJ42

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

Board: 265

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQ6

♥ AJ52

♦ —

♣ Q107532

South:

♠ 83

♥ K3

♦ AKJ10963

♣ J4

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

Board: 266

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ KQ2

♥ KQ954

♦ K9

♣ 982

South:

♠ 74

♥ J

♦ AQ74

♣ AK7543

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

1. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 267

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ Q107

♥ AJ9762

♦ K

♣ J107

South:

♠ A863

♥ 8

♦ AQ10973

♣ K9

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

Board: 268

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K10864

♥ —

♦ AQ86

♣ A1084

South:

♠ J

♥ AKJ632

♦ KJ3

♣ QJ5

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 264	♠ AKJ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q5	
Vul: NS	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ42	

Board: 265	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ10963	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J4	

Board: 266	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ AQ74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK7543	

Board: 267	♠ A863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ10973	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K9	

Board: 268	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ632	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ5	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 264

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ Q9

♥ A1064

♦ AK10543

♣ 7

South:

♠ AKJ84

♥ Q5

♦ 7

♣ AQJ42

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♣

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 265

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQ6

♥ AJ52

♦ —

♣ Q107532

South:

♠ 83

♥ K3

♦ AKJ10963

♣ J4

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 266

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ KQ2

♥ KQ954

♦ K9

♣ 982

South:

♠ 74

♥ J

♦ AQ74

♣ AK7543

West North East South

1♥ Pass 2♣

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥² Pass 5♣

AP

1. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 267

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ Q107

♥ AJ9762

♦ K

♣ J107

South:

♠ A863

♥ 8

♦ AQ10973

♣ K9

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 268

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K10864

♥ —

♦ AQ86

♣ A1084

South:

♠ J

♥ AKJ632

♦ KJ3

♣ QJ5

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT AP

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 269	♠ KQJ9864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ8	
Vul: Both	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K4	

Board: 270	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K32	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ10532	

Board: 271	♠ AK542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J74	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q1065	

Board: 272	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J943	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK1074	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 269			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: Both	♠ KQJ9864	♠ A53	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♥ KQ8	♥ AJ4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠ ²
South HCP: 12	♦ 5	♦ Q1098	Pass	2NT ³	Pass	3♠
Contract: 4♠ N	♣ K4	♣ J103	Pass	4♠	AP	
			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3 ♠			
			3. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 270			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: NS	♠ 10	♠ A643		1♣	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♥ K32	♥ A974	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♦ KQ7	♦ AJ63	AP			
Contract: 3N S	♣ KQ10532	♣ 6				

Board: 271			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: EW	♠ AK542	♠ J107	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10	♥ J74	♥ K3	AP			
South HCP: 14	♦ 9	♦ AQ107				
Contract: 1N S	♣ Q1065	♣ A942				

Board: 272			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: Both	♠ 6	♠ AJ109	Pass	2♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 13	♥ J943	♥ AKQ72	Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5NT ³
South HCP: 20	♦ KQ10	♦ A83	Pass	6♥ ⁴	Pass	7♥
Contract: 7♥ S	♣ AK1074	♣ Q	AP			
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			
			3. King ask by 5NT			
			4. K=2			

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 269	♠ A53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ4	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1098	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J103	

Board: 270	♠ A643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A974	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

Board: 271	♠ J107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ107	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A942	

Board: 272	♠ AJ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ72	
Vul: Both	♦ A83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ Q	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 269			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: Both	♠ KQJ9864	♠ A53	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♥ KQ8	♥ AJ4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠ ²
South HCP: 12	♦ 5	♦ Q1098	Pass	2NT ³	Pass	3♠
Contract: 4♠ N	♣ K4	♣ J103	Pass	4♠	AP	
			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3 ♠			
			3. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 270			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: NS	♠ 10	♠ A643		1♣	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♥ K32	♥ A974	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♦ KQ7	♦ AJ63	AP			
Contract: 3N S	♣ KQ10532	♣ 6				

Board: 271			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: EW	♠ AK542	♠ J107	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10	♥ J74	♥ K3	AP			
South HCP: 14	♦ 9	♦ AQ107				
Contract: 1N S	♣ Q1065	♣ A942				

Board: 272			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: Both	♠ 6	♠ AJ109	Pass	2♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 13	♥ J943	♥ AKQ72	Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5NT ³
South HCP: 20	♦ KQ10	♦ A83	Pass	6♥ ⁴	Pass	7♥
Contract: 7♥ S	♣ AK1074	♣ Q	AP			
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			
			3. King ask by 5NT			
			4. K=2			

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 273	♠ A865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: None	♦ A1075	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 10984	

Board: 274	♠ 874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ97	
Vul: EW	♦ AK75	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 84	

Board: 275	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ Q543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ74	

Board: 276	♠ Q987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	
Vul: None	♦ A108	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ92	

Board: 277	♠ KJ964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J3	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 273	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A865	♠ K42				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 6	♥ A9854	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 8	♦ A1075	♦ 4	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 10984	♣ AQ52				
Contract: 2♣ S						

Board: 274	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 874	♠ KQ95		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ97	♥ KJ2	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ AK75	♦ 9	Pass	2NT	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 84	♣ AKQ97	AP			
Contract: 6N N						

Board: 275	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ AQJ832				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AJ5	♥ Q964	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ Q543	♦ K7	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 13	♣ AKQ74	♣ J	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 276	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q987	♠ A10632		1♣	Pass	2♠
Vul: None	♥ 109	♥ AQJ	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ A108	♦ KJ76				
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ92	♣ 5				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 277	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ964	♠ —				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J3	♥ AK954	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 18	♦ AKQ83	♦ J6	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ A	♣ KQ8643	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 273	♠ K42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9854	
Vul: None	♦ 4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ52	

Board: 274	♠ KQ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ2	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ97	

Board: 275	♠ AQJ832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q964	
Vul: Both	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J	

Board: 276	♠ A10632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ	
Vul: None	♦ KJ76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 5	

Board: 277	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK954	
Vul: NS	♦ J6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ8643	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 273	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A865	♠ K42				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 6	♥ A9854	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 8	♦ A1075	♦ 4	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 10984	♣ AQ52				
Contract: 2♣ S						

Board: 274	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 874	♠ KQ95		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ97	♥ KJ2	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ AK75	♦ 9	Pass	2NT	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 84	♣ AKQ97	AP			
Contract: 6N N						

Board: 275	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ AQJ832				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AJ5	♥ Q964	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ Q543	♦ K7	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 13	♣ AKQ74	♣ J	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 276	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q987	♠ A10632		1♣	Pass	2♠
Vul: None	♥ 109	♥ AQJ	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ A108	♦ KJ76				
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ92	♣ 5				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 277	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ964	♠ —				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J3	♥ AK954	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 18	♦ AKQ83	♦ J6	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ A	♣ KQ8643	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 278	♠ AJ963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A65	
Vul: Both	♦ A984	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 2	

Board: 279	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ2	
Vul: None	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J1076542	

Board: 280	♠ KJ1072	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1073	
Vul: NS	♦ 106	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ	

Board: 281	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK74	
Vul: EW	♦ J98653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A75	

Board: 282	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8432	
Vul: None	♦ Q72	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A95	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 278			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♠ AJ963	♠ 7				
North HCP: 13	♥ A65	♥ KQJ9	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 12	♦ A984	♦ QJ10	AP			
Contract: 2N S	♣ 2	♣ K10963	1. forcing	1NT		

Board: 279	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AKQJ9762				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AQ2	♥ —	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 11	♦ A4	♦ 1076	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J1076542	♣ Q9	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 280	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ1072	♠ A		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ A1073	♥ 96542	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 13	♦ 106	♦ A743	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ KQ	♣ J105	1. forcing	1NT		
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 281						
Dealer: S	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♠ —	♠ A98532				1 ♠
North HCP: 12	♥ AK74	♥ 63	Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 13	♦ J98653	♦ AQ	AP			
Contract: 3♠ S	♣ A75	♣ K109	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 282	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ Q94		1♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ A8432	♥ —				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q72	♦ AJ54	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A95	♣ KQ10876	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
Contract: 3♣ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 278	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K10963	

Board: 279	♠ AKQJ9762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ 1076	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q9	

Board: 280	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 96542	
Vul: NS	♦ A743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J105	

Board: 281	♠ A98532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 63	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K109	

Board: 282	♠ Q94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AJ54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ10876	

**South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.
Both hands (Answers Page)**

Board: 278			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♠ AJ963	♠ 7				
North HCP: 13	♥ A65	♥ KQJ9	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 12	♦ A984	♦ QJ10	AP			
Contract: 2N S	♣ 2	♣ K10963	1. forcing	1NT		

Board: 279	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AKQJ9762				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AQ2	♥ —	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 11	♦ A4	♦ 1076	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ J1076542	♣ Q9				
Contract: 4♠ S			1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 280	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ1072	♠ A		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ A1073	♥ 96542	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 13	♦ 106	♦ A743	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ KQ	♣ J105	1. forcing	1NT		
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 281						
Dealer: S	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♠ —	♠ A98532				1 ♠
North HCP: 12	♥ AK74	♥ 63	Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 13	♦ J98653	♦ AQ	AP			
Contract: 3♠ S	♣ A75	♣ K109	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 282	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ Q94		1♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ A8432	♥ —				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q72	♦ AJ54	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A95	♣ KQ10876	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
Contract: 3♣ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 283	♠ KJ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ9	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK986	

Board: 284	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: EW	♦ K8753	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK1042	

Board: 285	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ975	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q10842	

Board: 286	♠ KQ765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	
Vul: NS	♦ K102	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ7	

Board: 287	♠ Q74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ9752	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J62	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 283	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ65	♠ AQ84				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQJ9	♥ K6	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 18	♦ —	♦ K5432	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AK986	♣ 32	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 284	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 4	♠ KJ10		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ AJ	♥ KQ962	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ K8753	♦ 4	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AK1042	♣ QJ95				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 285	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AJ643				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AJ975	♥ 1042	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ4	♦ KQ5	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ Q10842	♣ A5	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 286	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ765	♠ J		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ J5	♥ Q8743	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ K102	♦ AQ963	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ KQ7	♣ 82				
Contract: 2♦ S						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 287	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q74	♠ 82				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KJ9752	♥ Q	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 10	♦ K	♦ A9853	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ J62	♣ AKQ109				
Contract: 2♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 283	♠ AQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: NS	♦ K5432	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 32	

Board: 284	♠ KJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ962	
Vul: EW	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ95	

Board: 285	♠ AJ643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1042	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A5	

Board: 286	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8743	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 82	

Board: 287	♠ 82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ A9853	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ109	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 283	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ65	♠ AQ84				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQJ9	♥ K6	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 18	♦ —	♦ K5432	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AK986	♣ 32	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 284	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 4	♠ KJ10		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ AJ	♥ KQ962	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ K8753	♦ 4	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AK1042	♣ QJ95				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 285	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AJ643				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AJ975	♥ 1042	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ4	♦ KQ5	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ Q10842	♣ A5	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 286	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ765	♠ J		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ J5	♥ Q8743	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ K102	♦ AQ963	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ KQ7	♣ 82				
Contract: 2♦ S						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 287	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q74	♠ 82				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KJ9752	♥ Q	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 10	♦ K	♦ A9853	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ J62	♣ AKQ109				
Contract: 2♥ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 288	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 76	
Vul: Both	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ108543	

Board: 289	♠ Q98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AJ842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ1054	

Board: 290	♠ 94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9732	
Vul: EW	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K52	

Board: 291	♠ 8754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ862	
Vul: Both	♦ A84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A	

Board: 292	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q632	
Vul: None	♦ AK10754	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A9	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 288	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ 10874		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 76	♥ KQJ9	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ K7	♦ AJ986	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ AJ108543	♣ —				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 289	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q98	♠ AK4				1♥
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ AQJ874	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ AJ842	♦ 6	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ KJ1054	♣ 932	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 290	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 94	♠ J8765		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AQ9732	♥ —	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 13	♦ A4	♦ KQ107				
South HCP: 10	♣ K52	♣ A1097				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 291	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8754	♠ KQ102				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AJ862	♥ K3	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 13	♦ A84	♦ Q76	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A	♣ QJ95				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 292	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J	♠ AK108		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ Q632	♥ K54	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AK10754	♦ 6	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A9	♣ Q10842				
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 288	♠ 10874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ —	

Board: 289	♠ AK4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ874	
Vul: None	♦ 6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 932	

Board: 290	♠ J8765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A1097	

Board: 291	♠ KQ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: Both	♦ Q76	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ95	

Board: 292	♠ AK108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K54	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q10842	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 288	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ 10874		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 76	♥ KQJ9	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ K7	♦ AJ986	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ AJ108543	♣ —				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 289	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q98	♠ AK4				1♥
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ AQJ874	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ AJ842	♦ 6	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ KJ1054	♣ 932	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 290	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 94	♠ J8765		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AQ9732	♥ —	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 13	♦ A4	♦ KQ107				
South HCP: 10	♣ K52	♣ A1097				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 291	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8754	♠ KQ102				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AJ862	♥ K3	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 13	♦ A84	♦ Q76	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A	♣ QJ95				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 292	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J	♠ AK108		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ Q632	♥ K54	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AK10754	♦ 6	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A9	♣ Q10842				
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 293	♠ K32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J954	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ953	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J	

Board: 294	♠ AQ1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A982	
Vul: Both	♦ J42	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

Board: 295	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK975	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 22	♣ AKQ75	

Board: 296	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K85	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ95	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 98763	

Board: 297	♠ J54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K875	
Vul: EW	♦ AK963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 293

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♥ S

North:

♠ K32

♥ J954

♦ KQ953

♣ J

South:

♠ A4

♥ Q732

♦ A84

♣ A983

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 3♥ AP

Board: 294

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ AQ1084

♥ A982

♦ J42

♣ A

South:

♠ J

♥ 10

♦ A10

♣ KQJ975432

West North East South

1♠ Pass 3♣¹

Pass 3♥ Pass 6♣

AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 295

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 22

South HCP: 14

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ AQ2

♥ AK975

♦ —

♣ AKQ75

South:

♠ K7

♥ J102

♦ AKQ9754

♣ J

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♦²

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 296

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♠ S

North:

♠ —

♥ K85

♦ AKQ95

♣ 98763

South:

♠ AJ10985

♥ AJ4

♦ 6

♣ J102

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♠

AP

Board: 297

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ J54

♥ K875

♦ AK963

♣ J

South:

♠ K32

♥ AJ43

♦ 74

♣ KQ94

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 4♥ AP

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 293	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q732	
Vul: NS	♦ A84	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A983	

Board: 294	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: Both	♦ A10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQJ975432	

Board: 295	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J102	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ9754	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J	

Board: 296	♠ AJ10985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J102	

Board: 297	♠ K32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ43	
Vul: EW	♦ 74	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ94	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 293

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♥ S

North:

♠ K32

♥ J954

♦ KQ953

♣ J

South:

♠ A4

♥ Q732

♦ A84

♣ A983

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	3♥	AP	
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Board: 294

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ AQ1084

♥ A982

♦ J42

♣ A

South:

♠ J

♥ 10

♦ A10

♣ KQJ975432

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass 3♣¹

Pass	3♥	Pass	6♣
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AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 295

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 22

South HCP: 14

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ AQ2

♥ AK975

♦ —

♣ AKQ75

South:

♠ K7

♥ J102

♦ AKQ9754

♣ J

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
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Pass	7♥	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 296

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♠ S

North:

♠ —

♥ K85

♦ AKQ95

♣ 98763

South:

♠ AJ10985

♥ AJ4

♦ 6

♣ J102

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass 1♠

Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
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AP

Board: 297

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ J54

♥ K875

♦ AK963

♣ J

South:

♠ K32

♥ AJ43

♦ 74

♣ KQ94

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 298	♠ A1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ976	
Vul: None	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 74	

Board: 299	♠ K1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AK10843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK2	

Board: 300	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ97	
Vul: EW	♦ J74	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ94	

Board: 301	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J7	
Vul: Both	♦ AK875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ952	

Board: 302	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K92	
Vul: NS	♦ 1043	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ97	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 298

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ A1065

♥ KQ976

♦ K8

♣ 74

South:

♠ QJ93

♥ 3

♦ A43

♣ AQ1052

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 299

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K1087

♥ —

♦ AK10843

♣ AK2

South:

♠ A52

♥ AQ8653

♦ 7

♣ Q98

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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Board: 300

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J6

♥ KQ97

♦ J74

♣ KQ94

South:

♠ K8743

♥ A43

♦ AK853

♣ —

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 301

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 6

♥ J7

♦ AK875

♣ AQ952

South:

♠ KJ975

♥ AKQ102

♦ 4

♣ J4

West	North	East	South
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			1♠
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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Board: 302

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ A6

♥ K92

♦ 1043

♣ AQJ97

South:

♠ 10943

♥ AJ8

♦ AQJ82

♣ 8

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

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 298	♠ QJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ A43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ1052	

Board: 299	♠ A52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ8653	
Vul: NS	♦ 7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q98	

Board: 300	♠ K8743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A43	
Vul: EW	♦ AK853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 301	♠ KJ975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ102	
Vul: Both	♦ 4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J4	

Board: 302	♠ 10943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 8	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 298

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ A1065

♥ KQ976

♦ K8

♣ 74

South:

♠ QJ93

♥ 3

♦ A43

♣ AQ1052

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 299

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K1087

♥ —

♦ AK10843

♣ AK2

South:

♠ A52

♥ AQ8653

♦ 7

♣ Q98

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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Board: 300

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J6

♥ KQ97

♦ J74

♣ KQ94

South:

♠ K8743

♥ A43

♦ AK853

♣ —

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 301

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 6

♥ J7

♦ AK875

♣ AQ952

South:

♠ KJ975

♥ AKQ102

♦ 4

♣ J4

West	North	East	South
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			1♠
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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Board: 302

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ A6

♥ K92

♦ 1043

♣ AQJ97

South:

♠ 10943

♥ AJ8

♦ AQJ82

♣ 8

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

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 303	♠ 852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ9	
Vul: EW	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQ9854	

Board: 304	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1073	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK10972	

Board: 305	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ103	
Vul: None	♦ AK8543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ5	

Board: 306	♠ KJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ7	
Vul: EW	♦ A654	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 43	

Board: 307	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ K9652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ32	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 303

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ 852

♥ KQ9

♦ 5

♣ KQ9854

South:

♠ AQ94

♥ 532

♦ AQ1064

♣ J

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♣¹ AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 304

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ A5

♥ Q1073

♦ 10

♣ AK10972

South:

♠ KQJ82

♥ 2

♦ 986532

♣ 8

West North East South

1♣

Pass

1♦

Pass 1♥

Pass

2♦

AP

Board: 305

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ —

♥ KQ103

♦ AK8543

♣ KJ5

South:

♠ AKQ9865

♥ A

♦ 10

♣ 9862

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦

Pass

4♠

AP

Board: 306

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KJ96

♥ AQ7

♦ A654

♣ 43

South:

♠ Q32

♥ KJ65

♦ J

♣ KQJ82

West North East South

1♦

Pass

2♣

Pass 2♦

Pass

2♥

Pass 3♠

Pass

3NT

AP

Board: 307

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AK8

♥ 2

♦ K9652

♣ KQ32

South:

♠ 7543

♥ AKJ97

♦ A3

♣ 97

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♦

Pass

2NT

Pass 3♣

Pass

3NT

AP

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 303	♠ AQ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 532	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1064	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J	

Board: 304	♠ KQJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ 986532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 8	

Board: 305	♠ AKQ9865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ 10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9862	

Board: 306	♠ Q32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ65	
Vul: EW	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ82	

Board: 307	♠ 7543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ97	
Vul: Both	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 97	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 303

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ 852

♥ KQ9

♦ 5

♣ KQ9854

South:

♠ AQ94

♥ 532

♦ AQ1064

♣ J

West North East South

1♦

Pass 3♣¹ AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 304

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ A5

♥ Q1073

♦ 10

♣ AK10972

South:

♠ KQJ82

♥ 2

♦ 986532

♣ 8

West North East South

1♣

Pass

1♦

Pass 1♥

Pass

2♦

AP

Board: 305

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ —

♥ KQ103

♦ AK8543

♣ KJ5

South:

♠ AKQ9865

♥ A

♦ 10

♣ 9862

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦

Pass

4♠

AP

Board: 306

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KJ96

♥ AQ7

♦ A654

♣ 43

South:

♠ Q32

♥ KJ65

♦ J

♣ KQJ82

West North East South

1♦

Pass

2♣

Pass 2♦

Pass

2♥

Pass 3♠

Pass

3NT

AP

Board: 307

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AK8

♥ 2

♦ K9652

♣ KQ32

South:

♠ 7543

♥ AKJ97

♦ A3

♣ 97

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♦

Pass

2NT

Pass 3♣

Pass

3NT

AP

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 308	♠ A1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A872	
Vul: None	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ54	

Board: 309	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A854	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ54	

Board: 310	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK8742	
Vul: Both	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A104	

Board: 311	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q85	
Vul: None	♦ K96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ10965	

Board: 312	♠ Q109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J2	
Vul: NS	♦ K105	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ52	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 308

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ A1098

♥ A872

♦ 8

♣ KJ54

South:

♠ K

♥ Q1093

♦ AQJ10976

♣ 7

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 309

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ A

♥ A854

♦ AJ83

♣ AJ54

South:

♠ KQJ106

♥ K103

♦ 10

♣ K972

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♦²

Pass 5♥ Pass 6♣³

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. no ♣ queen

Board: 310

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ 65

♥ AK8742

♦ A7

♣ A104

South:

♠ AK432

♥ 9

♦ KJ103

♣ QJ2

West North East South

1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♦² Pass 6♥

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 311

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♥ S

North:

♠ 6

♥ Q85

♦ K96

♣ AJ10965

South:

♠ AKQ975

♥ KJ92

♦ 73

♣ 2

West North East South

1♠

Pass 3♣¹ Pass 3♥

AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 312

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q109

♥ J2

♦ K105

♣ AQJ52

South:

♠ KJ87

♥ 1073

♦ AQ6432

♣ —

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 308	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1093	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ10976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 7	

Board: 309	♠ KQJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K103	
Vul: NS	♦ 10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K972	

Board: 310	♠ AK432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ2	

Board: 311	♠ AKQ975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ92	
Vul: None	♦ 73	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 2	

Board: 312	♠ KJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1073	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ6432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ —	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 308

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ A1098

♥ A872

♦ 8

♣ KJ54

South:

♠ K

♥ Q1093

♦ AQJ10976

♣ 7

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 309

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ A

♥ A854

♦ AJ83

♣ AJ54

South:

♠ KQJ106

♥ K103

♦ 10

♣ K972

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♦²

Pass 5♥ Pass 6♣³

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. no ♣ queen

Board: 310

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ 65

♥ AK8742

♦ A7

♣ A104

South:

♠ AK432

♥ 9

♦ KJ103

♣ QJ2

West North East South

1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♦² Pass 6♥

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 311

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♥ S

North:

♠ 6

♥ Q85

♦ K96

♣ AJ10965

South:

♠ AKQ975

♥ KJ92

♦ 73

♣ 2

West North East South

1♠

Pass 3♣¹ Pass 3♥

AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 312

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q109

♥ J2

♦ K105

♣ AQJ52

South:

♠ KJ87

♥ 1073

♦ AQ6432

♣ —

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 313	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ Q6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ97654	

Board: 314	♠ AQ862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ107	
Vul: None	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 943	

Board: 315	♠ K1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 943	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 9	

Board: 316	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K74	
Vul: EW	♦ K82	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ532	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 313	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 108	♠ AQ5				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ Q	♥ A10632	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 11	♦ Q6	♦ A83	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AQJ97654	♣ 102				
Contract: 4♣ N						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 314	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ862	♠ 3				
Vul: None	♥ KJ107	♥ A53		1♠	Pass	3♦ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ Q	♦ A1098763	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 943	♣ Q8				
Contract: 3♦ S						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 315	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1082	♠ A964				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 943	♥ Q5	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 10	♦ AQJ73	♦ 85	Pass	3♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 9	♣ AQJ73				
Contract: 3♠ S						

Board: 316	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A5	♠ KQ732		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ K74	♥ Q1093	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 14	♦ K82	♦ QJ4	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ532	♣ 7				
Contract: 2♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 313	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10632	
Vul: EW	♦ A83	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 102	

Board: 314	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A53	
Vul: None	♦ A1098763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q8	

Board: 315	♠ A964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: NS	♦ 85	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ73	

Board: 316	♠ KQ732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1093	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 7	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 313	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 108	♠ AQ5				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ Q	♥ A10632	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 11	♦ Q6	♦ A83	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AQJ97654	♣ 102				
Contract: 4♣ N						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 314	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ862	♠ 3		1♠	Pass	3♦ ¹
Vul: None	♥ KJ107	♥ A53				
North HCP: 12	♦ Q	♦ A1098763	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 943	♣ Q8				
Contract: 3♦ S						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 315	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1082	♠ A964				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 943	♥ Q5	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 10	♦ AQJ73	♦ 85	Pass	3♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 9	♣ AQJ73				
Contract: 3♠ S						

Board: 316	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A5	♠ KQ732		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ K74	♥ Q1093	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 14	♦ K82	♦ QJ4	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ532	♣ 7				
Contract: 2♥ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 317	♠ AQ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ85	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK102	

Board: 318	♠ 1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: NS	♦ AK8654	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ6	

Board: 319	♠ KJ743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: EW	♦ AK	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q6542	

Board: 320	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K102	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ975	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 317
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 13
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AQ72
♥ AQ85
♦ 3
♣ AK102

South:
♠ 53
♥ K6
♦ AKQ54
♣ J973

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
4. King ask by 5NT
5. K=1

Board: 318
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ 1042
♥ 5
♦ AK8654
♣ AJ6

South:
♠ AJ873
♥ A8764
♦ —
♣ Q54

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

Board: 319
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ KJ743
♥ 3
♦ AK
♣ Q6542

South:
♠ Q6
♥ AK1087
♦ Q1086
♣ K8

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

Board: 320
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♥ S

North:
♠ 83
♥ K102
♦ KQ8
♣ AJ975

South:
♠ AK106
♥ J964
♦ J1042
♣ Q

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 317	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ54	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J973	

Board: 318	♠ AJ873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8764	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q54	

Board: 319	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1087	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1086	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K8	

Board: 320	♠ AK106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J964	
Vul: Both	♦ J1042	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 317
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 13
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AQ72
♥ AQ85
♦ 3
♣ AK102

South:
♠ 53
♥ K6
♦ AKQ54
♣ J973

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
4. King ask by 5NT
5. K=1

Board: 318
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ 1042
♥ 5
♦ AK8654
♣ AJ6

South:
♠ AJ873
♥ A8764
♦ —
♣ Q54

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

Board: 319
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ KJ743
♥ 3
♦ AK
♣ Q6542

South:
♠ Q6
♥ AK1087
♦ Q1086
♣ K8

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

Board: 320
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♥ S

North:
♠ 83
♥ K102
♦ KQ8
♣ AJ975

South:
♠ AK106
♥ J964
♦ J1042
♣ Q

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 321	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ 10972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ1076	

Board: 322	♠ AKQ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9873	
Vul: EW	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A92	

Board: 323	♠ 954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ J1054	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ AJ973	

Board: 324	♠ K865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ98	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 93	

Board: 325	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K96	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ10876	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 321

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ AQ2

♥ K

♦ 10972

♣ QJ1076

South:

♠ 65

♥ QJ764

♦ AK8

♣ A32

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♣ AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 322

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AKQ43

♥ J9873

♦ —

♣ A92

South:

♠ 2

♥ A

♦ AK9764

♣ KQ764

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 323

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 15

Contract: 1♥ S

North:

♠ 954

♥ 2

♦ J1054

♣ AJ973

South:

♠ A1032

♥ Q10753

♦ AK

♣ Q5

West North East South

1♥

AP

Board: 324

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ K865

♥ A8

♦ AQJ98

♣ 93

South:

♠ QJ9

♥ QJ107643

♦ 10

♣ AQ

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♥

AP

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 4♣ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♣² Pass 5♦

Pass 5♥³ Pass 6NT

Pass 7♣ Pass 7NT

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. ♣ queen and ♥ king

Board: 325

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 7N S

North:

♠ 75

♥ K96

♦ A

♣ AKQ10876

South:

♠ A102

♥ AQ

♦ K98764

♣ J5

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 321	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ764	
Vul: None	♦ AK8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A32	

Board: 322	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ AK9764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ764	

Board: 323	♠ A1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10753	
Vul: Both	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q5	

Board: 324	♠ QJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ107643	
Vul: None	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ	

Board: 325	♠ A102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ K98764	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J5	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 321	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ2	♠ 65				1♥
Vul: None	♥ K	♥ QJ764	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 10972	♦ AK8	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ1076	♣ A32				
Contract: 3♣ S						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 322	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ43	♠ 2		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ J9873	♥ A	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ —	♦ AK9764	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ A92	♣ KQ764				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 323	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 954	♠ A1032				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 2	♥ Q10753				
North HCP: 6	♦ J1054	♦ AK	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ973	♣ Q5				
Contract: 1♥ S						

Board: 324	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K865	♠ QJ9		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A8	♥ QJ107643	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 14	♦ AQJ98	♦ 10				
South HCP: 12	♣ 93	♣ AQ	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 325	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 75	♠ A102				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ K96	♥ AQ	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ A	♦ K98764	Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQ10876	♣ J5	Pass	5♣ ²	Pass	5♦
Contract: 7N S			Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6NT
			Pass	7♣	Pass	7NT
			AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
2. A=0/5 or 3/5
3. ♣ queen and ♥ king

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 326	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ842	
Vul: Both	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 108753	

Board: 327	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ107	
Vul: None	♦ Q53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1082	

Board: 328	♠ 652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A10876	

Board: 329	♠ AKQJ8754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A98	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 9	

Board: 330	♠ Q9874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ87	
Vul: None	♦ A2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K7	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 326	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A4	♠ J8532		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQ842	♥ 3	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K	♦ AQ974	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 108753	♣ A9				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 327	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AJ742				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AJ107	♥ 96	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 16	♦ Q53	♦ AJ1092	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AK1082	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 328	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 652	♠ AJ10		1♣	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ K	♥ AQ763	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 13	♦ KQJ10	♦ A763	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 17	♣ A10876	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 6♦ N						

Board: 329	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQJ8754	♠ 102				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ A98	♥ KQ75	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 18	♦ A	♦ J2	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ 9	♣ AQJ52	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
Contract: 7♠ N			Pass	7♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 330	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9874	♠ A		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ KJ87	♥ Q103	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ A2	♦ KJ96	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ K7	♣ AQ542	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 326	♠ J8532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A9	

Board: 327	♠ AJ742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: None	♦ AJ1092	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q	

Board: 328	♠ AJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ763	
Vul: NS	♦ A763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q	

Board: 329	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ75	
Vul: EW	♦ J2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ52	

Board: 330	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q103	
Vul: None	♦ KJ96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ542	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 326	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A4	♠ J8532		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQ842	♥ 3	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K	♦ AQ974	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 108753	♣ A9				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 327	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AJ742				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AJ107	♥ 96	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 16	♦ Q53	♦ AJ1092	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AK1082	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 328	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 652	♠ AJ10		1♣	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ K	♥ AQ763	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 13	♦ KQJ10	♦ A763	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 17	♣ A10876	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 6♦ N						

Board: 329	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQJ8754	♠ 102				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ A98	♥ KQ75	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 18	♦ A	♦ J2	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ 9	♣ AQJ52	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
Contract: 7♠ N			Pass	7♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 330	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9874	♠ A		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ KJ87	♥ Q103	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ A2	♦ KJ96	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ K7	♣ AQ542	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 331	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ96	
Vul: NS	♦ K109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 10932	

Board: 332	♠ K1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 32	
Vul: EW	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ987	

Board: 333	♠ 762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10853	
Vul: Both	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K1076	

Board: 334	♠ AKJ1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 952	
Vul: NS	♦ Q6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K10	

Board: 335	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K862	
Vul: EW	♦ A1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ87	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 331	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ KQ732				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ96	♥ 842	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 15	♦ K109	♦ A82	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 10932	♣ K4				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 332	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1064	♠ 983		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 32	♥ KJ76	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ K	♦ AQJ72	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 11	♣ AKQ987	♣ 6	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 333	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 762	♠ K1094				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A10853	♥ Q	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 7	♦ 4	♦ A8752	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K1076	♣ A82				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 334	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ1096	♠ 8		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: NS	♥ 952	♥ AKJ	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ Q6	♦ J1083	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♣ K10	♣ AQ942	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 335	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ Q10862				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ K862	♥ A54	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ A1064	♦ K	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ87	♣ A1063	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 331	♠ KQ732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 842	
Vul: NS	♦ A82	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K4	

Board: 332	♠ 983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ76	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 6	

Board: 333	♠ K1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ A8752	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A82	

Board: 334	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ	
Vul: NS	♦ J1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ942	

Board: 335	♠ Q10862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A54	
Vul: EW	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1063	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 331	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ KQ732				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ96	♥ 842	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 15	♦ K109	♦ A82	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 10932	♣ K4				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 332	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1064	♠ 983		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 32	♥ KJ76	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ K	♦ AQJ72	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 11	♣ AKQ987	♣ 6	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 333	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 762	♠ K1094				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A10853	♥ Q	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 7	♦ 4	♦ A8752	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K1076	♣ A82				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 334	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ1096	♠ 8		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: NS	♥ 952	♥ AKJ	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ Q6	♦ J1083	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♣ K10	♣ AQ942	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 335	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ Q10862				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ K862	♥ A54	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ A1064	♦ K	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ87	♣ A1063	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 336	♠ 43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q82	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ76	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ6	

Board: 337	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10432	
Vul: None	♦ A63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ10	

Board: 338	♠ 1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: EW	♦ AK832	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A73	

Board: 339	♠ K986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ94	
Vul: Both	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ65	

Board: 340	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1096	
Vul: None	♦ A83	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ97	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 336
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 43
♥ Q82
♦ AKQ76
♣ QJ6

South:
♠ QJ1076
♥ A97
♦ —
♣ A9742

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 337
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ —
♥ AK10432
♦ A63
♣ KQJ10

South:
♠ AQ10762
♥ Q7
♦ K95
♣ A2

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

Board: 338
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ 1063
♥ K8
♦ AK832
♣ A73

South:
♠ AK97
♥ 10952
♦ 10
♣ K952

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

Board: 339
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ K986
♥ KQ94
♦ J
♣ KJ65

South:
♠ Q42
♥ 106
♦ AKQ742
♣ A10

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

Board: 340
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 10
♥ KQ1096
♦ A83
♣ AQ97

South:
♠ AKQ7
♥ J
♦ J10542
♣ J105

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 336	♠ QJ1076	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A97	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A9742	

Board: 337	♠ AQ10762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q7	
Vul: None	♦ K95	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A2	

Board: 338	♠ AK97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10952	
Vul: EW	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K952	

Board: 339	♠ Q42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 106	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ742	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A10	

Board: 340	♠ AKQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ J10542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J105	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 336
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 43
♥ Q82
♦ AKQ76
♣ QJ6

South:
♠ QJ1076
♥ A97
♦ —
♣ A9742

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 337
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ —
♥ AK10432
♦ A63
♣ KQJ10

South:
♠ AQ10762
♥ Q7
♦ K95
♣ A2

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

Board: 338
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ 1063
♥ K8
♦ AK832
♣ A73

South:
♠ AK97
♥ 10952
♦ 10
♣ K952

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

Board: 339
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ K986
♥ KQ94
♦ J
♣ KJ65

South:
♠ Q42
♥ 106
♦ AKQ742
♣ A10

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

Board: 340
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 10
♥ KQ1096
♦ A83
♣ AQ97

South:
♠ AKQ7
♥ J
♦ J10542
♣ J105

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 341	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ83	
Vul: NS	♦ J106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q10432	

Board: 342	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A73	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ85	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ952	

Board: 343	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ983	
Vul: NS	♦ Q82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ742	

Board: 344	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J3	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ654	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A1097	

Board: 345	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9532	
Vul: None	♦ Q5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK742	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 341	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ A9853				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ KQJ83	♥ 10	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9	♦ J106	♦ AK32	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q10432	♣ K97				
Contract: 2♥ N						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 342	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ —	♠ AKJ108		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ A73	♥ QJ62	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ AKJ85	♦ 9	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ952	♣ A87				AP
Contract: 3N N						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 343	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AKJ10983				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AJ983	♥ K102	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12	♦ Q82	♦ A				AP
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ742	♣ 83				1. forcing 1NT
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 344	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A9	♠ KQ763		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ J3	♥ AK1094	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ654	♦ K	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ A1097	♣ Q8	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 345	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ A9632				1♠
Vul: None	♥ Q9532	♥ A8	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14	♦ Q5	♦ K1087	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AK742	♣ Q8				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 341	♠ A9853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: NS	♦ AK32	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K97	

Board: 342	♠ AKJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ62	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A87	

Board: 343	♠ AKJ10983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K102	
Vul: NS	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 83	

Board: 344	♠ KQ763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1094	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q8	

Board: 345	♠ A9632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: None	♦ K1087	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q8	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 341	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ A9853				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ KQJ83	♥ 10	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9	♦ J106	♦ AK32	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q10432	♣ K97				
Contract: 2♥ N						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 342	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ —	♠ AKJ108		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ A73	♥ QJ62	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ AKJ85	♦ 9	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ952	♣ A87				AP
Contract: 3N N						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 343	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AKJ10983				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AJ983	♥ K102	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12	♦ Q82	♦ A				AP
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ742	♣ 83				1. forcing 1NT
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 344	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A9	♠ KQ763		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ J3	♥ AK1094	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ654	♦ K	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ A1097	♣ Q8	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 345	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ A9632				1♠
Vul: None	♥ Q9532	♥ A8	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14	♦ Q5	♦ K1087	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AK742	♣ Q8				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 346	♠ AQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: NS	♦ A54	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10972	

Board: 347	♠ KJ963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q65	

Board: 348	♠ KQJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK93	
Vul: Both	♦ 76	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J9	

Board: 349	♠ AK93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ 73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ8753	

Board: 350	♠ AQJ632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: EW	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J72	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 346	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ105	♠ J		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K6	♥ QJ9874	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A54	♦ KJ987	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 10	♣ 10972	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 347	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ963	♠ Q				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 5	♥ KQ1096	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ32	♦ AJ64	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q65	♣ J42				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 348	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ108	♠ 5		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ AK93	♥ Q75	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 76	♦ AK1054	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J9	♣ KQ53				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 349	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK93	♠ Q2				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ —	♥ AQJ1086	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ 73	♦ KJ1062	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ AKJ8753	♣ —	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 350	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ632	♠ 8		1♠	Pass	3♦ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A4	♥ K85	Pass	3♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K6	♦ AQ10532	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 11	♣ J72	♣ Q104				
Contract: 3♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 346	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ9874	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q	

Board: 347	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1096	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ64	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J42	

Board: 348	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q75	
Vul: Both	♦ AK1054	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ53	

Board: 349	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ1086	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ1062	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ —	

Board: 350	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K85	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ10532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q104	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 346	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ105	♠ J		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K6	♥ QJ9874	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A54	♦ KJ987	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 10	♣ 10972	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 347	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ963	♠ Q				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 5	♥ KQ1096	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ32	♦ AJ64	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q65	♣ J42				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 348	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ108	♠ 5		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ AK93	♥ Q75	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 76	♦ AK1054	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J9	♣ KQ53				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 349	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK93	♠ Q2				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ —	♥ AQJ1086	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ 73	♦ KJ1062	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ AKJ8753	♣ —	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 350	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ632	♠ 8		1♠	Pass	3♦ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A4	♥ K85	Pass	3♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K6	♦ AQ10532	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 11	♣ J72	♣ Q104				
Contract: 3♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 351	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q973	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K109	

Board: 352	♠ A853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 105	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ93	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A42	

Board: 353	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q109763	
Vul: Both	♦ Q653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K	

Board: 354	♠ AJ1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J83	
Vul: None	♦ 97	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK2	

Board: 355	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK105	
Vul: NS	♦ 876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 75432	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 351	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AJ10842				1♠
Vul: None	♥ Q973	♥ J4	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AKQ95	♦ J2	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ K109	♣ AQ2	AP			

Board: 352	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A853	♠ J				
Vul: EW	♥ 105	♥ A8743		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ93	♦ A	Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ A42	♣ KJ9875	AP			

Board: 353	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ	♠ K754				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ Q109763	♥ AK2	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♦ Q653	♦ 8	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 14	♣ K	♣ A8642	Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5♥
Contract: 5♥ N			AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 354	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ1073	♠ 4				
Vul: None	♥ J83	♥ KQ92		1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ 97	♦ AQJ2	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AK2	♣ Q1094	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 355	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ AJ107643				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AK105	♥ 97	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 10	♦ 876	♦ AQJ	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 75432	♣ 8	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 351	♠ AJ10842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J4	
Vul: None	♦ J2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ2	

Board: 352	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8743	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ9875	

Board: 353	♠ K754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK2	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A8642	

Board: 354	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ92	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q1094	

Board: 355	♠ AJ107643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 97	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 8	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 351	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AJ10842				1♠
Vul: None	♥ Q973	♥ J4	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AKQ95	♦ J2	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ K109	♣ AQ2	AP			

Board: 352	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A853	♠ J		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 105	♥ A8743	Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ93	♦ A	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ A42	♣ KJ9875				

Board: 353	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ	♠ K754		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ Q109763	♥ AK2	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ Q653	♦ 8	Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5♥
South HCP: 14	♣ K	♣ A8642	AP			
Contract: 5♥ N			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 354	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ1073	♠ 4		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ J83	♥ KQ92	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 97	♦ AQJ2	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AK2	♣ Q1094				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 355	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ AJ107643				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AK105	♥ 97	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 10	♦ 876	♦ AQJ	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 75432	♣ 8	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 356	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K75	
Vul: Both	♦ K52	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A7652	

Board: 357	♠ AQJ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: None	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ1052	

Board: 358	♠ AK1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK3	
Vul: NS	♦ 106	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1083	

Board: 359	♠ KQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ874	
Vul: EW	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q2	

Board: 360	♠ A108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1065	
Vul: None	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ82	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 356

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ K7

♥ K75

♦ K52

♣ A7652

South:

♠ A10863

♥ A3

♦ Q9743

♣ 9

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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Board: 357

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AQJ42

♥ A5

♦ 9

♣ AQ1052

South:

♠ 10853

♥ KQ94

♦ AK103

♣ 3

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♠	Pass	4♣ ¹
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 358

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AK1064

♥ AK3

♦ 106

♣ 1083

South:

♠ J

♥ QJ108

♦ AJ72

♣ A542

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

Board: 359

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ KQ53

♥ KQJ874

♦ 4

♣ Q2

South:

♠ A109

♥ 65

♦ AQ52

♣ A1097

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
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AP

Board: 360

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A108

♥ J1065

♦ K7

♣ AQ82

South:

♠ 7652

♥ AKQ3

♦ A653

♣ 5

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

1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 356	♠ A10863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 9	

Board: 357	♠ 10853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ94	
Vul: None	♦ AK103	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 3	

Board: 358	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ108	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A542	

Board: 359	♠ A109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ52	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A1097	

Board: 360	♠ 7652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ3	
Vul: None	♦ A653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 5	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 356

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ K7

♥ K75

♦ K52

♣ A7652

South:

♠ A10863

♥ A3

♦ Q9743

♣ 9

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

Board: 357

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AQJ42

♥ A5

♦ 9

♣ AQ1052

South:

♠ 10853

♥ KQ94

♦ AK103

♣ 3

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

1. Splinter
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 358

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AK1064

♥ AK3

♦ 106

♣ 1083

South:

♠ J

♥ QJ108

♦ AJ72

♣ A542

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

Board: 359

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ KQ53

♥ KQJ874

♦ 4

♣ Q2

South:

♠ A109

♥ 65

♦ AQ52

♣ A1097

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

Board: 360

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A108

♥ J1065

♦ K7

♣ AQ82

South:

♠ 7652

♥ AKQ3

♦ A653

♣ 5

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 361	♠ Q9742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ2	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ —	

Board: 362	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1082	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K7432	

Board: 363	♠ 96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q53	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ9853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 4	

Board: 364	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 53	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ974	

Board: 365	♠ AKQ952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K74	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A54	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 361

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ Q9742

♥ AJ2

♦ KJ965

♣ —

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ 108

♦ AQ3

♣ A10632

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♠ AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 362

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ

♥ J1082

♦ Q

♣ K7432

South:

♠ K972

♥ K75

♦ AKJ1092

♣ —

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 363

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 96

♥ Q53

♦ AKQ9853

♣ 4

South:

♠ AKQ5

♥ A4

♦ 102

♣ 98632

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 364

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ A6

♥ 53

♦ QJ9

♣ KQJ974

South:

♠ Q54

♥ J876

♦ AK872

♣ 6

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ AP

Board: 365

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ AKQ952

♥ K74

♦ Q

♣ A54

South:

♠ 8

♥ A2

♦ AK9863

♣ KJ107

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♦

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♣²

Pass 7NT AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 361	♠ KJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 108	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A10632	

Board: 362	♠ K972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K75	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ1092	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 363	♠ AKQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: Both	♦ 102	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 98632	

Board: 364	♠ Q54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J876	
Vul: NS	♦ AK872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 6	

Board: 365	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: EW	♦ AK9863	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ107	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 361	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q9742	♠ KJ6				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AJ2	♥ 108	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ965	♦ AQ3	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♠ ²
South HCP: 14	♣ —	♣ A10632	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3 ♠			

Board: 362	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ	♠ K972		1♣	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ J1082	♥ K75	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q	♦ AKJ1092	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ K7432	♣ —				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 363	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 96	♠ AKQ5				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ Q53	♥ A4	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AKQ9853	♦ 102	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 4	♣ 98632				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 364	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ Q54		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 53	♥ J876	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ9	♦ AK872	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ KQJ974	♣ 6				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 365	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ952	♠ 8				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K74	♥ A2	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 18	♦ Q	♦ AK9863	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
South HCP: 15	♣ A54	♣ KJ107	Pass	7NT	AP	
Contract: 7N N			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
			2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 366	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q6	
Vul: Both	♦ K97654	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K85	

Board: 367	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ108532	
Vul: None	♦ A10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ72	

Board: 368	♠ AQ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 43	
Vul: EW	♦ K74	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K862	

Board: 369	♠ QJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: Both	♦ A875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q843	

Board: 370	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ9	
Vul: None	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ9876	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 366

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A2

♥ Q6

♦ K97654

♣ K85

South:

♠ KQJ94

♥ AK

♦ 8

♣ QJ1074

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 367

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ —

♥ KJ108532

♦ A10

♣ AQ72

South:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ 96

♦ J632

♣ J4

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 368

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AQ107

♥ 43

♦ K74

♣ K862

South:

♠ J6

♥ A109872

♦ AQ82

♣ 5

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 369

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ QJ98

♥ 6

♦ A875

♣ Q843

South:

♠ K4

♥ AKJ982

♦ 632

♣ J6

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

AP

Board: 370

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 20

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ 108

♥ KQ9

♦ 2

♣ AKJ9876

South:

♠ AK9765

♥ AJ7

♦ AKJ4

♣ —

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♦² Pass 6♠

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 366	♠ KQJ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ1074	

Board: 367	♠ AKQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: None	♦ J632	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J4	

Board: 368	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A109872	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 5	

Board: 369	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ982	
Vul: Both	♦ 632	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J6	

Board: 370	♠ AK9765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ7	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ —	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 366

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A2

♥ Q6

♦ K97654

♣ K85

South:

♠ KQJ94

♥ AK

♦ 8

♣ QJ1074

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 367

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ —

♥ KJ108532

♦ A10

♣ AQ72

South:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ 96

♦ J632

♣ J4

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 368

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AQ107

♥ 43

♦ K74

♣ K862

South:

♠ J6

♥ A109872

♦ AQ82

♣ 5

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 369

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ QJ98

♥ 6

♦ A875

♣ Q843

South:

♠ K4

♥ AKJ982

♦ 632

♣ J6

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

AP

Board: 370

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 20

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ 108

♥ KQ9

♦ 2

♣ AKJ9876

South:

♠ AK9765

♥ AJ7

♦ AKJ4

♣ —

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♦² Pass 6♠

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 371	♠ QJ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ87	
Vul: NS	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 10763	

Board: 372	♠ QJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A96	
Vul: Both	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K8765	

Board: 373	♠ 10985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ62	
Vul: None	♦ A75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 6	

Board: 374	♠ AKQ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: NS	♦ K42	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q1085	

Board: 375	♠ A6543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1063	
Vul: EW	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ10	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 371	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ74	♠ AK109				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ87	♥ J10	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 9	♦ 9	♦ KQ8542	Pass	3♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 10763	♣ 2				
Contract: 3♠ S						

Board: 372	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ2	♠ K84		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A96	♥ QJ752	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ A3	♦ KQ64	Pass	3♥ ²	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 11	♣ K8765	♣ 3	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3♥			

Board: 373	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10985	♠ K				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AQJ62	♥ K854	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 11	♦ A75	♦ 96	Pass	3NT ¹	Pass	4♣ ²
South HCP: 14	♣ 6	♣ AKJ942	Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ N			AP			
			1. Cue bid, surplus			
			2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			

Board: 374	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ72	♠ 4		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ 10	♥ KQJ74	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ K42	♦ 105	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ Q1085	♣ KJ632				
Contract: 3♣ N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 375	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A6543	♠ Q				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K1063	♥ Q874	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 12	♦ 2	♦ AK10865	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ10	♣ K7	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 371	♠ AK109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ8542	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 2	

Board: 372	♠ K84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ752	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 3	

Board: 373	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K854	
Vul: None	♦ 96	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKJ942	

Board: 374	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ74	
Vul: NS	♦ 105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KJ632	

Board: 375	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q874	
Vul: EW	♦ AK10865	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K7	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 371

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♠ S

North:

♠ QJ74

♥ AQ87

♦ 9

♣ 10763

South:

♠ AK109

♥ J10

♦ KQ8542

♣ 2

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 3♠ AP

Board: 372

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ QJ2

♥ A96

♦ A3

♣ K8765

South:

♠ K84

♥ QJ752

♦ KQ64

♣ 3

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦¹

Pass 3♥² Pass 4♥

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

Board: 373

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 10985

♥ AQJ62

♦ A75

♣ 6

South:

♠ K

♥ K854

♦ 96

♣ AKJ942

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT¹ Pass 4♣²

Pass 4♦³ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 374

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♣ N

North:

♠ AKQ72

♥ 10

♦ K42

♣ Q1085

South:

♠ 4

♥ KQJ74

♦ 105

♣ KJ632

West North East South

1♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 375

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ A6543

♥ K1063

♦ 2

♣ AJ10

South:

♠ Q

♥ Q874

♦ AK10865

♣ K7

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

AP

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 376	♠ AQJ1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 83	
Vul: None	♦ KJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A3	

Board: 377	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ932	
Vul: NS	♦ J8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K964	

Board: 378	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K982	
Vul: EW	♦ K7542	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ	

Board: 379	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ8764	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 54	

Board: 380	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1092	
Vul: NS	♦ K10962	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 376	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ1064	♠ —		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ 83	♥ J10654				
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ9	♦ Q754	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ A3	♣ KJ74				
Contract: 2♠ N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 377	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ KQ1083				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ932	♥ 4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17	♦ J8	♦ AQ762	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ K964	♣ J8	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 378	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q8	♠ AKJ9		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ K982	♥ Q10	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ K7542	♦ A	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ	♣ J109643	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 379	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ AQ1054				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ KQ8764	♥ J	Pass	3♥ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ103	♦ K4	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 54	♣ K10963				
Contract: 4♥ N			1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 380	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K74	♠ AJ32		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A1092	♥ KQ876	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ K10962	♦ J	Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 14	♣ A	♣ K95	AP			
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 376	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10654	
Vul: None	♦ Q754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ KJ74	

Board: 377	♠ KQ1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ762	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J8	

Board: 378	♠ AKJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J109643	

Board: 379	♠ AQ1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K10963	

Board: 380	♠ AJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ876	
Vul: NS	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K95	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 376	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ1064	♠ —		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ 83	♥ J10654				
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ9	♦ Q754	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ A3	♣ KJ74				
Contract: 2♠ N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 377	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ KQ1083				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ932	♥ 4	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17	♦ J8	♦ AQ762	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ K964	♣ J8	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 378	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q8	♠ AKJ9		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ K982	♥ Q10	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ K7542	♦ A	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ	♣ J109643	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 379	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ AQ1054				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ KQ8764	♥ J	Pass	3♥ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ103	♦ K4	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 54	♣ K10963				
Contract: 4♥ N			1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 380	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K74	♠ AJ32		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A1092	♥ KQ876	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ K10962	♦ J	Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 14	♣ A	♣ K95	AP			
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 381	♠ K976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ864	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ5	

Board: 382	♠ AK10863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J52	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q9	

Board: 383	♠ KJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: None	♦ A8654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1085	

Board: 384	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ54	
Vul: EW	♦ A10832	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 5	

Board: 385	♠ AJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ10	
Vul: Both	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A10432	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 381
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K976
♥ KQ864
♦ 9
♣ KQ5

South:
♠ AQ
♥ A7
♦ QJ6543
♣ J103

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 382
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AK10863
♥ J52
♦ KQ
♣ Q9

South:
♠ 7
♥ A876
♦ J6
♣ AK10542

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 383
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ KJ4
♥ 10
♦ A8654
♣ A1085

South:
♠ 9
♥ AK862
♦ K107
♣ Q762

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 384
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ A10
♥ AQJ54
♦ A10832
♣ 5

South:
♠ Q872
♥ 7
♦ KJ65
♣ AQ86

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

Board: 385
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AJ62
♥ KQ10
♦ 5
♣ A10432

South:
♠ 107
♥ A742
♦ AQ873
♣ K6

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 381	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A7	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ6543	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J103	

Board: 382	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A876	
Vul: Both	♦ J6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK10542	

Board: 383	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK862	
Vul: None	♦ K107	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q762	

Board: 384	♠ Q872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ86	

Board: 385	♠ 107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A742	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ873	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K6	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 381
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K976
♥ KQ864
♦ 9
♣ KQ5

South:
♠ AQ
♥ A7
♦ QJ6543
♣ J103

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 382
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AK10863
♥ J52
♦ KQ
♣ Q9

South:
♠ 7
♥ A876
♦ J6
♣ AK10542

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

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 383
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ KJ4
♥ 10
♦ A8654
♣ A1085

South:
♠ 9
♥ AK862
♦ K107
♣ Q762

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 384
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ A10
♥ AQJ54
♦ A10832
♣ 5

South:
♠ Q872
♥ 7
♦ KJ65
♣ AQ86

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

Board: 385
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AJ62
♥ KQ10
♦ 5
♣ A10432

South:
♠ 107
♥ A742
♦ AQ873
♣ K6

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 386	♠ AJ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ643	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 532	

Board: 387	♠ A987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ K107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J10862	

Board: 388	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ854	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ102	

Board: 389	♠ Q1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10	
Vul: None	♦ A8752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J	

Board: 390	♠ QJ8654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K7	
Vul: NS	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K985	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 386
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AJ103
♥ —
♦ AKQ643
♣ 532

South:
♠ Q865
♥ AKJ832
♦ —
♣ AK4

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 387
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 13
Contract: 2♦ S

North:
♠ A987
♥ 6
♦ K107
♣ J10862

South:
♠ 6
♥ AQJ875
♦ AQ86
♣ 73

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

Board: 388
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 5♣ N

North:
♠ KJ3
♥ 2
♦ KQ854
♣ KJ102

South:
♠ A874
♥ K1098
♦ —
♣ A9763

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

Board: 389
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ Q1085
♥ AJ10
♦ A8752
♣ J

South:
♠ K643
♥ K4
♦ J6
♣ AK953

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 390
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 7
Contract: 2♠ N

North:
♠ QJ8654
♥ K7
♦ A
♣ K985

South:
♠ 9
♥ J6532
♦ J10875
♣ AJ

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 386	♠ Q865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ832	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK4	

Board: 387	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ875	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ86	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 73	

Board: 388	♠ A874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1098	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A9763	

Board: 389	♠ K643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: None	♦ J6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK953	

Board: 390	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J6532	
Vul: NS	♦ J10875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ AJ	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 386
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AJ103
♥ —
♦ AKQ643
♣ 532

South:
♠ Q865
♥ AKJ832
♦ —
♣ AK4

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 387
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 13
Contract: 2♦ S

North:
♠ A987
♥ 6
♦ K107
♣ J10862

South:
♠ 6
♥ AQJ875
♦ AQ86
♣ 73

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

Board: 388
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 5♣ N

North:
♠ KJ3
♥ 2
♦ KQ854
♣ KJ102

South:
♠ A874
♥ K1098
♦ —
♣ A9763

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

Board: 389
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ Q1085
♥ AJ10
♦ A8752
♣ J

South:
♠ K643
♥ K4
♦ J6
♣ AK953

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 390
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 7
Contract: 2♠ N

North:
♠ QJ8654
♥ K7
♦ A
♣ K985

South:
♠ 9
♥ J6532
♦ J10875
♣ AJ

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 391
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
HCP: 6

♠ J
♥ 1064
♦ K8764
♣ Q1064

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

Partner bids first.

Board: 392
Dealer: N
Vul: None
HCP: 12

♠ A76
♥ KQ9
♦ J10986
♣ Q10

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 393
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
HCP: 11

♠ A1084
♥ A762
♦ K642
♣ 8

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 394
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
HCP: 14

♠ J1094
♥ A6
♦ AQ102
♣ K84

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 395
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
HCP: 14

♠ 10973
♥ AQJ107
♦ K
♣ A52

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 391	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ AQ8752				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 1064	♥ 72	Pass	Pass	X	2♠
North HCP: 6	♦ K8764	♦ Q	X	Pass	3♥	AP
South HCP: 12	♣ Q1064	♣ A832				
Contract: 3♥ E						

Board: 392	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A76	♠ Q3		1♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ KQ9	♥ J876				
North HCP: 12	♦ J10986	♦ —	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ Q10	♣ AK96543	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 393	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1084	♠ J75				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A762	♥ Q953	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ K642	♦ 95	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 8	♣ AKQ9				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 394	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1094	♠ A5		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ A6	♥ J7532	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ102	♦ 8	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ K84	♣ AQ652				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 395	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10973	♠ AJ54				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ107	♥ 86	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14	♦ K	♦ Q765	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A52	♣ KQ8				
Contract: 4♠ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 391 ♠ AQ8752
Dealer: S ♥ 72
Vul: EW ♦ Q
HCP: 12 ♣ A832

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

You bid first.

Board: 392 ♠ Q3
Dealer: N ♥ J876
Vul: None ♦ —
HCP: 10 ♣ AK96543

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 393 ♠ J75
Dealer: S ♥ Q953
Vul: NS ♦ 95
HCP: 12 ♣ AKQ9

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 394 ♠ A5
Dealer: N ♥ J7532
Vul: EW ♦ 8
HCP: 11 ♣ AQ652

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 395 ♠ AJ54
Dealer: S ♥ 86
Vul: Both ♦ Q765
HCP: 12 ♣ KQ8

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 391	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ AQ8752				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 1064	♥ 72	Pass	Pass	X	2♠
North HCP: 6	♦ K8764	♦ Q	X	Pass	3♥	AP
South HCP: 12	♣ Q1064	♣ A832				
Contract: 3♥ E						

Board: 392	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A76	♠ Q3		1♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ KQ9	♥ J876				
North HCP: 12	♦ J10986	♦ —	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ Q10	♣ AK96543	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 393	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1084	♠ J75				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A762	♥ Q953	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ K642	♦ 95	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 8	♣ AKQ9				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 394	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J1094	♠ A5		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ A6	♥ J7532	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ102	♦ 8	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ K84	♣ AQ652				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 395	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10973	♠ AJ54				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ107	♥ 86	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14	♦ K	♦ Q765	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A52	♣ KQ8				
Contract: 4♠ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 396	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J6432	
Vul: NS	♦ J8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ6	

Board: 397	♠ AK8542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ32	
Vul: EW	♦ 96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 4	

Board: 398	♠ Q74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J10987	

Board: 399	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ J10964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ32	

Board: 400	♠ AQ864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q64	
Vul: EW	♦ 743	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A7	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 396	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A4	♠ K10986		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ J6432	♥ 8	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ J8	♦ AQ964	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQJ6	♣ A3				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 397	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK8542	♠ Q3				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AJ32	♥ Q94	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 96	♦ AJ	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 4	♣ KJ10765				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 398	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q74	♠ A652		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q	♥ 9743	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AQJ9	♦ 10542				
South HCP: 6	♣ J10987	♣ Q				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 399	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 105	♠ AK43				1♥
Vul: None	♥ A	♥ Q6542	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J10964	♦ K5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AKJ32	♣ 86				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 400	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ864	♠ K		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q64	♥ AJ102	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 743	♦ QJ986	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A7	♣ Q102				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 396	♠ K10986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A3	

Board: 397	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q94	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ10765	

Board: 398	♠ A652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9743	
Vul: Both	♦ 10542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q	

Board: 399	♠ AK43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6542	
Vul: None	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 86	

Board: 400	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ102	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q102	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 396	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A4	♠ K10986		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ J6432	♥ 8	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ J8	♦ AQ964	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQJ6	♣ A3				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 397	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK8542	♠ Q3				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AJ32	♥ Q94	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 96	♦ AJ	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 4	♣ KJ10765				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 398	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q74	♠ A652		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q	♥ 9743	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AQJ9	♦ 10542				
South HCP: 6	♣ J10987	♣ Q				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 399	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 105	♠ AK43				1♥
Vul: None	♥ A	♥ Q6542	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J10964	♦ K5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AKJ32	♣ 86				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 400	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ864	♠ K		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q64	♥ AJ102	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 743	♦ QJ986	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A7	♣ Q102				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 401	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 109873	
Vul: Both	♦ Q965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 10	

Board: 402	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A63	
Vul: None	♦ 64	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ1075	

Board: 403	♠ J74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ9876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q	

Board: 404	♠ QJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ1085	
Vul: Both	♦ Q5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10	

Board: 405	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: None	♦ A8754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 8732	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 401	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK10	♠ 742				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 109873	♥ KQJ	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9	♦ Q965	♦ AK3	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 10	♣ 8643				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 402	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ KJ8732		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A63	♥ 972	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 64	♦ KJ9	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ1075	♣ A				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 403	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J74	♠ Q952				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J8	♥ K10	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ AKJ9876	♦ 105	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ Q	♣ AK986	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 404	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ86	♠ 932		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ QJ1085	♥ 9	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ Q5	♦ AK63	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A10	♣ KJ862	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 405	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A82	♠ QJ4				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 2	♥ AQ10763	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ A8754	♦ KJ6	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 8732	♣ Q	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 401	♠ 742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AK3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 8643	

Board: 402	♠ KJ8732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 972	
Vul: None	♦ KJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A	

Board: 403	♠ Q952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: NS	♦ 105	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK986	

Board: 404	♠ 932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: Both	♦ AK63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ862	

Board: 405	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10763	
Vul: None	♦ KJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 401	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK10	♠ 742				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 109873	♥ KQJ	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 9	♦ Q965	♦ AK3	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 10	♣ 8643				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 402	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ KJ8732		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A63	♥ 972	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 64	♦ KJ9	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ1075	♣ A				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 403	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J74	♠ Q952				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J8	♥ K10	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ AKJ9876	♦ 105	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ Q	♣ AK986	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 404	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ86	♠ 932		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ QJ1085	♥ 9	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ Q5	♦ AK63	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A10	♣ KJ862	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 405	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A82	♠ QJ4				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 2	♥ AQ10763	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ A8754	♦ KJ6	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 8732	♣ Q	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♥ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 406	♠ AJ632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ93	
Vul: NS	♦ J8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J8	

Board: 407	♠ A84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ98	
Vul: EW	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ853	

Board: 408	♠ KJ9643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: None	♦ A64	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J10	

Board: 409	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J10874	

Board: 410	♠ AKJ10832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ Q543	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 9	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 406	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ632	♠ 8		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AQ93	♥ J1085				
North HCP: 13	♦ J8	♦ KQ1032	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J8	♣ AQ2				
Contract: 2♥ N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 407	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A84	♠ K32				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ AJ98	♥ K10	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ 5	♦ AKJ1062	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ853	♣ 94	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 408	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ9643	♠ —		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ Q765				
North HCP: 13	♦ A64	♦ Q87	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ J10	♣ K97642	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 409	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 4	♠ K10873				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A3	♥ Q108	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ KQJ103	♦ A8	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ J10874	♣ A32	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 410	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ10832	♠ 7		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ KJ75				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q543	♦ KJ6	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 9	♣ QJ1086	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 406	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1085	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ1032	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ2	

Board: 407	♠ K32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ1062	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 94	

Board: 408	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q765	
Vul: None	♦ Q87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K97642	

Board: 409	♠ K10873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q108	
Vul: NS	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A32	

Board: 410	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ75	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ1086	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 406	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ632	♠ 8		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AQ93	♥ J1085				
North HCP: 13	♦ J8	♦ KQ1032	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J8	♣ AQ2	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 407	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A84	♠ K32				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ AJ98	♥ K10	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ 5	♦ AKJ1062	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ853	♣ 94	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 408	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ9643	♠ —		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ Q765				
North HCP: 13	♦ A64	♦ Q87	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ J10	♣ K97642	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 409	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 4	♠ K10873				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A3	♥ Q108	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ KQJ103	♦ A8	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ J10874	♣ A32	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 410	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ10832	♠ 7		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ KJ75				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q543	♦ KJ6	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 9	♣ QJ1086	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 411	♠ AKJ10542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ Q7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A109	

Board: 412	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ1093	
Vul: NS	♦ 7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK109	

Board: 413	♠ AJ763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ J2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ32	

Board: 414	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: None	♦ AQ64	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ8632	

Board: 415	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 98765	
Vul: EW	♦ J3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K6432	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 411
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AKJ10542
♥ 3
♦ Q7
♣ A109

South:
♠ —
♥ AK1042
♦ AJ102
♣ QJ32

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 412
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ 53
♥ AQJ1093
♦ 7
♣ AK109

South:
♠ AKJ6
♥ 7
♦ AQJ843
♣ Q2

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

Board: 413
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AJ763
♥ K
♦ J2
♣ AKQ32

South:
♠ K10
♥ A10875
♦ AK5
♣ 1054

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 414
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 3
♥ KJ
♦ AQ64
♣ QJ8632

South:
♠ KQ62
♥ Q109875
♦ KJ10
♣ —

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

Board: 415
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 13
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ K
♥ 98765
♦ J3
♣ K6432

South:
♠ AQ543
♥ QJ3
♦ A1085
♣ 8

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

1. forcing 1NT

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 411	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1042	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ102	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ32	

Board: 412	♠ AKJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q2	

Board: 413	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10875	
Vul: Both	♦ AK5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1054	

Board: 414	♠ KQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q109875	
Vul: None	♦ KJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ —	

Board: 415	♠ AQ543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ A1085	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 8	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 411
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AKJ10542
♥ 3
♦ Q7
♣ A109

South:
♠ —
♥ AK1042
♦ AJ102
♣ QJ32

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 412
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ 53
♥ AQJ1093
♦ 7
♣ AK109

South:
♠ AKJ6
♥ 7
♦ AQJ843
♣ Q2

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

Board: 413
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AJ763
♥ K
♦ J2
♣ AKQ32

South:
♠ K10
♥ A10875
♦ AK5
♣ 1054

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 414
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 3
♥ KJ
♦ AQ64
♣ QJ8632

South:
♠ KQ62
♥ Q109875
♦ KJ10
♣ —

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

Board: 415
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 13
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ K
♥ 98765
♦ J3
♣ K6432

South:
♠ AQ543
♥ QJ3
♦ A1085
♣ 8

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

1. forcing 1NT

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 416	♠ AQ872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ1085	
Vul: Both	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q8	

Board: 417	♠ J93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ8	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ1085	

Board: 418	♠ Q9543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ84	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 109	

Board: 419	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J108	
Vul: Both	♦ A862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A8432	

Board: 420	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8643	
Vul: None	♦ KQ9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K62	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 416	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ872	♠ 5		1♠	Pass	3♦ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ QJ1085	♥ 32	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q	♦ AKJ10764	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q8	♣ KJ4				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 417	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J93	♠ AQ7				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AKJ8	♥ 763	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ K	♦ AQJ42	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ1085	♣ 72	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 418	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9543	♠ A		1♠	Pass	3♥ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ A108543				
North HCP: 12	♦ AKQ84	♦ 3	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 109	♣ Q8763				
Contract: 3♥ S						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 419	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ A10764				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J108	♥ AK97	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ A862	♦ 94				
South HCP: 14	♣ A8432	♣ K10	AP			
Contract: 2♥ S						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 420	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 42	♠ AJ106				
Vul: None	♥ A8643	♥ 2		1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ9	♦ J642	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ K62	♣ A843				
Contract: 1N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 416	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 32	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ10764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ4	

Board: 417	♠ AQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 763	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ42	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 72	

Board: 418	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A108543	
Vul: NS	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q8763	

Board: 419	♠ A10764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK97	
Vul: Both	♦ 94	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K10	

Board: 420	♠ AJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: None	♦ J642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A843	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 416	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ872	♠ 5		1♠	Pass	3♦ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ QJ1085	♥ 32	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q	♦ AKJ10764	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q8	♣ KJ4				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 417	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J93	♠ AQ7				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AKJ8	♥ 763	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ K	♦ AQJ42	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ1085	♣ 72	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 418	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9543	♠ A		1♠	Pass	3♥ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ A108543				
North HCP: 12	♦ AKQ84	♦ 3	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 109	♣ Q8763				
Contract: 3♥ S						

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 419	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ A10764				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J108	♥ AK97	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ A862	♦ 94				
South HCP: 14	♣ A8432	♣ K10	AP			
Contract: 2♥ S						

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 420	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 42	♠ AJ106				
Vul: None	♥ A8643	♥ 2		1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ9	♦ J642	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ K62	♣ A843				
Contract: 1N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 421	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ103	
Vul: NS	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ92	

Board: 422	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 108754	
Vul: EW	♦ K65	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ10	

Board: 423	♠ AKJ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ A85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ52	

Board: 424	♠ 92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1065432	
Vul: NS	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J	

Board: 425	♠ 962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K853	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 7	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 421	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ6	♠ K742				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ QJ103	♥ 74	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ J	♦ AK975	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AKJ92	♣ Q6	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 422	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 2	♠ AJ107543		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 108754	♥ K	Pass	2♣	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12	♦ K65	♦ AJ98	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AKQ10	♣ 3				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 423	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ107	♠ 42				1♥
Vul: None	♥ J	♥ KQ1086	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18	♦ A85	♦ KQ432	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ52	♣ K				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 424	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 92	♠ KQ75		1♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AK1065432	♥ —	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ A10	♦ 42	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 12	♣ J	♣ AK87654				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 425	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 962	♠ AJ105				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ K853	♥ AJ10	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 8	♦ KQ943	♦ J	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 7	♣ A6432				
Contract: 1N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 421	♠ K742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 74	
Vul: NS	♦ AK975	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q6	

Board: 422	♠ AJ107543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 3	

Board: 423	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1086	
Vul: None	♦ KQ432	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K	

Board: 424	♠ KQ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ 42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK87654	

Board: 425	♠ AJ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10	
Vul: EW	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A6432	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 421	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ6	♠ K742				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ QJ103	♥ 74	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ J	♦ AK975	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AKJ92	♣ Q6	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 422	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 2	♠ AJ107543		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 108754	♥ K	Pass	2♣	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12	♦ K65	♦ AJ98	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AKQ10	♣ 3				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 423	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ107	♠ 42				1♥
Vul: None	♥ J	♥ KQ1086	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18	♦ A85	♦ KQ432	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ52	♣ K				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 424	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 92	♠ KQ75		1♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AK1065432	♥ —	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ A10	♦ 42	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 12	♣ J	♣ AK87654				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 425	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 962	♠ AJ105				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ K853	♥ AJ10	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 8	♦ KQ943	♦ J	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 7	♣ A6432				
Contract: 1N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 426	♠ 753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ1042	

Board: 427	♠ AQJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K754	
Vul: NS	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKJ	

Board: 428	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J876	
Vul: EW	♦ J8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK863	

Board: 429	♠ A86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ8642	
Vul: Both	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J32	

Board: 430	♠ KQJ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1072	
Vul: None	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 94	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 426

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ 753

♥ 9

♦ KQ7

♣ AKQ1042

South:

♠ 102

♥ AK1083

♦ A98542

♣ —

West North East South

1♣

Pass

1♦

Pass

2♣

Pass

4♥

Pass

5♦

AP

West North East South

1♦

Pass

1♠

Pass

1NT

Pass

2♣¹

Pass

3♠²

Pass

4NT³

Pass

5♥⁴

Pass

6♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 427

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AQJ93

♥ K754

♦ 4

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ 765

♥ A98

♦ AK108

♣ Q102

West North East South

1♣

Pass

1♠

Pass

1NT

Pass

2♦¹

Pass

2♥

Pass

4♥

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 428

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ KJ

♥ J876

♦ J8

♣ AK863

South:

♠ AQ10932

♥ K542

♦ Q42

♣ —

West North East South

1♦

Pass

2♣

Pass

1♥

Pass

2♣

Pass

2♥

AP

Board: 429

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2♥ N

North:

♠ A86

♥ QJ8642

♦ 7

♣ J32

South:

♠ 973

♥ 3

♦ AQ963

♣ AKQ8

West North East South

1♠

Pass

1NT¹

Pass

2♥

Pass

2NT

AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 430

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ KQJ65

♥ Q1072

♦ A7

♣ 94

South:

♠ 7

♥ A53

♦ J6532

♣ AK32

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 426	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1083	
Vul: Both	♦ A98542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ —	
Board: 427	♠ 765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A98	
Vul: NS	♦ AK108	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q102	
Board: 428	♠ AQ10932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K542	
Vul: EW	♦ Q42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ —	
Board: 429	♠ 973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ963	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ8	
Board: 430	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A53	
Vul: None	♦ J6532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK32	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 426

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ 753

♥ 9

♦ KQ7

♣ AKQ1042

South:

♠ 102

♥ AK1083

♦ A98542

♣ —

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass

1♦

Pass

2♣

Pass

4♥

Pass

5♦

AP

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass

1♠

Pass

1NT

Pass

2♣¹

Pass

3♠²

Pass

4NT³

Pass

5♥⁴

Pass

6♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 427

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AQJ93

♥ K754

♦ 4

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ 765

♥ A98

♦ AK108

♣ Q102

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass

1♠

Pass

1NT

Pass

2♦¹

Pass

2♥

Pass

4♥

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 428

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ KJ

♥ J876

♦ J8

♣ AK863

South:

♠ AQ10932

♥ K542

♦ Q42

♣ —

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass

1♥

Pass

2♣

Pass

2♥

AP

Board: 429

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2♥ N

North:

♠ A86

♥ QJ8642

♦ 7

♣ J32

South:

♠ 973

♥ 3

♦ AQ963

♣ AKQ8

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass

1NT¹

Pass

2♥

Pass

2NT

AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 430

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ KQJ65

♥ Q1072

♦ A7

♣ 94

South:

♠ 7

♥ A53

♦ J6532

♣ AK32

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 431	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q74	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ63	

Board: 432	♠ A953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ	
Vul: Both	♦ 32	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q1096	

Board: 433	♠ AKQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A86	
Vul: None	♦ A1074	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 10	

Board: 434	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ952	
Vul: NS	♦ 654	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ52	

Board: 435	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK3	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q9752	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 431	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ KQ1086				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ Q74	♥ J105	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ965	♦ A87	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ63	♣ Q2				
Contract: 2N N						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 432	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A953	♠ 8		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ	♥ 107643	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14	♦ 32	♦ AQJ874	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ Q1096	♣ K				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 433	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQJ4	♠ 108		2♠	Pass	3♥
Vul: None	♥ A86	♥ KQ74	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
North HCP: 18	♦ A1074	♦ KQ6	Pass	5♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 10	♣ KJ72				
Contract: 5♥ S						1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
						2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 434	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A	♠ KQJ10942		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AQ952	♥ 7	Pass	2♣	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 654	♦ A1087	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ52	♣ 8				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 435	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ KQ1085				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AK3	♥ Q1054	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ102	♦ A	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ Q9752	♣ A83	AP			
Contract: 3N N						1. forcing 1NT

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 431	♠ KQ1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J105	
Vul: EW	♦ A87	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q2	

Board: 432	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 107643	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K	

Board: 433	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ74	
Vul: None	♦ KQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ72	

Board: 434	♠ KQJ10942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: NS	♦ A1087	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 8	

Board: 435	♠ KQ1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1054	
Vul: Both	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A83	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 431	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ KQ1086				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ Q74	♥ J105	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ965	♦ A87	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ63	♣ Q2				
Contract: 2N N						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 432	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A953	♠ 8		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ	♥ 107643	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 14	♦ 32	♦ AQJ874	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ Q1096	♣ K				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 433	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQJ4	♠ 108		2♠	Pass	3♥
Vul: None	♥ A86	♥ KQ74	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
North HCP: 18	♦ A1074	♦ KQ6	Pass	5♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 10	♣ KJ72				
Contract: 5♥ S						1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
						2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 434	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A	♠ KQJ10942		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AQ952	♥ 7	Pass	2♣	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 654	♦ A1087	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ52	♣ 8				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 435	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ KQ1085				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AK3	♥ Q1054	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ102	♦ A	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ Q9752	♣ A83	AP			
Contract: 3N N						1. forcing 1NT

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 436	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ	
Vul: None	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ10432	

Board: 437	♠ AQJ10974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ84	

Board: 438	♠ AK10652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K75	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 3	

Board: 439	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ742	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A9842	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 436

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ Q7

♥ KQJ

♦ QJ

♣ KJ10432

South:

♠ AJ10962

♥ A10

♦ A1084

♣ 9

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

Board: 437

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ AQJ10974

♥ —

♦ J

♣ KQJ84

South:

♠ 5

♥ AKQ64

♦ K54

♣ 9632

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 438

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AK10652

♥ K75

♦ AJ5

♣ 3

South:

♠ 9

♥ AQ9863

♦ KQ2

♣ AQ4

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

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
5. King ask by 5NT
6. K=1

Board: 439

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ Q4

♥ KJ742

♦ 6

♣ A9842

South:

♠ AJ109

♥ 1083

♦ KQ95

♣ KJ

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 436	♠ AJ10962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: None	♦ A1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9	

Board: 437	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ64	
Vul: NS	♦ K54	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 9632	

Board: 438	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9863	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ4	

Board: 439	♠ AJ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1083	
Vul: None	♦ KQ95	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 436

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ Q7

♥ KQJ

♦ QJ

♣ KJ10432

South:

♠ AJ10962

♥ A10

♦ A1084

♣ 9

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

Board: 437

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ AQJ10974

♥ —

♦ J

♣ KQJ84

South:

♠ 5

♥ AKQ64

♦ K54

♣ 9632

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 438

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AK10652

♥ K75

♦ AJ5

♣ 3

South:

♠ 9

♥ AQ9863

♦ KQ2

♣ AQ4

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

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
5. King ask by 5NT
6. K=1

Board: 439

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ Q4

♥ KJ742

♦ 6

♣ A9842

South:

♠ AJ109

♥ 1083

♦ KQ95

♣ KJ

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 440	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ6542	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 754	

Board: 441	♠ AQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A107	
Vul: EW	♦ Q10932	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 8	

Board: 442	♠ A72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q4	
Vul: Both	♦ AK1065	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J74	

Board: 443	♠ A106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ1073	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 9873	

Board: 444	♠ A986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ963	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q84	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 440

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A
♥ KQ6542
♦ QJ10
♣ 754

South:

♠ KJ7643
♥ A
♦ K92
♣ K96

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

Board: 441

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ52
♥ A107
♦ Q10932
♣ 8

South:

♠ K1064
♥ K3
♦ 6
♣ KQJ1032

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 442

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A72
♥ Q4
♦ AK1065
♣ J74

South:

♠ Q63
♥ AJ10953
♦ —
♣ A1095

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 443

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♣ S

North:

♠ A106
♥ 4
♦ AJ1073
♣ 9873

South:

♠ KQ2
♥ KQ985
♦ —
♣ QJ652

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 444

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ A986
♥ J
♦ KQ963
♣ Q84

South:

♠ 104
♥ K98642
♦ J
♣ AJ103

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 440	♠ KJ7643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ K92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K96	
Board: 441	♠ K1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: EW	♦ 6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ1032	
Board: 442	♠ Q63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ10953	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A1095	
Board: 443	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ985	
Vul: NS	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ652	
Board: 444	♠ 104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K98642	
Vul: EW	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ103	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 440

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A
♥ KQ6542
♦ QJ10
♣ 754

South:

♠ KJ7643
♥ A
♦ K92
♣ K96

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

Board: 441

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ52
♥ A107
♦ Q10932
♣ 8

South:

♠ K1064
♥ K3
♦ 6
♣ KQJ1032

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 442

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A72
♥ Q4
♦ AK1065
♣ J74

South:

♠ Q63
♥ AJ10953
♦ —
♣ A1095

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 443

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♣ S

North:

♠ A106
♥ 4
♦ AJ1073
♣ 9873

South:

♠ KQ2
♥ KQ985
♦ —
♣ QJ652

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 444

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ A986
♥ J
♦ KQ963
♣ Q84

South:

♠ 104
♥ K98642
♦ J
♣ AJ103

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 445	♠ Q75	East Doubles 6♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ109762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A	

Board: 446	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1097	
Vul: None	♦ 6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K9732	

Board: 447	♠ J853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K83	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 107653	

Board: 448	♠ A1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8	
Vul: Both	♦ A102	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J84	

Board: 449	♠ AJ862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ963	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J52	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 445
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 6♦X N

North:
♠ Q75
♥ 6
♦ KQJ109762
♣ A

South:
♠ AJ82
♥ KJ1087
♦ —
♣ K765

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	3♠
Pass	6♦	X	AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 446
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ KQ
♥ AJ1097
♦ 6
♣ K9732

South:
♠ A9732
♥ 5
♦ 743
♣ AQJ8

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

Board: 447
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 2♠ N

North:
♠ J853
♥ K83
♦ K
♣ 107653

South:
♠ AQ96
♥ J10
♦ J754
♣ AQ2

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

Board: 448
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A1043
♥ QJ8
♦ A102
♣ J84

South:
♠ QJ
♥ A10743
♦ KQ876
♣ A

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

Board: 449
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AJ862
♥ KQ963
♦ —
♣ J52

South:
♠ 73
♥ 2
♦ AKJ10862
♣ KQ9

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 445	♠ AJ82	East Doubles 6♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ1087	
Vul: Both	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K765	

Board: 446	♠ A9732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: None	♦ 743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ8	

Board: 447	♠ AQ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: EW	♦ J754	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ2	

Board: 448	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10743	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	

Board: 449	♠ 73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ10862	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ9	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 445
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 6♦X N

North:
♠ Q75
♥ 6
♦ KQJ109762
♣ A

South:
♠ AJ82
♥ KJ1087
♦ —
♣ K765

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	3♠
Pass	6♦	X	AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 446
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ KQ
♥ AJ1097
♦ 6
♣ K9732

South:
♠ A9732
♥ 5
♦ 743
♣ AQJ8

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

Board: 447
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 2♠ N

North:
♠ J853
♥ K83
♦ K
♣ 107653

South:
♠ AQ96
♥ J10
♦ J754
♣ AQ2

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

Board: 448
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A1043
♥ QJ8
♦ A102
♣ J84

South:
♠ QJ
♥ A10743
♦ KQ876
♣ A

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

Board: 449
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AJ862
♥ KQ963
♦ —
♣ J52

South:
♠ 73
♥ 2
♦ AKJ10862
♣ KQ9

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 450	♠ A93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK62	
Vul: NS	♦ J1072	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 95	

Board: 451	♠ AKJ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: Both	♦ A743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A106	

Board: 452	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1052	
Vul: None	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9743	

Board: 453	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J97632	
Vul: NS	♦ J10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K1054	

Board: 454	♠ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J982	
Vul: EW	♦ AK973	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 450
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A93
♥ AK62
♦ J1072
♣ 95

South:
♠ Q42
♥ QJ10975
♦ —
♣ AQJ2

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

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

Board: 451
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AKJ52
♥ 7
♦ A743
♣ A106

South:
♠ 984
♥ AK952
♦ Q106
♣ QJ

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

Board: 452
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♥ S

North:
♠ AQ3
♥ A1052
♦ K3
♣ 9743

South:
♠ KJ86
♥ K983
♦ A1086
♣ 6

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

Board: 453
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 13
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ A
♥ J97632
♦ J10
♣ K1054

South:
♠ KJ985
♥ K5
♦ Q73
♣ A72

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 454
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ AJ7
♥ J982
♦ AK973
♣ J

South:
♠ KQ106
♥ AQ54
♦ J
♣ 10932

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

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 450	♠ Q42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10975	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ2	

Board: 451	♠ 984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK952	
Vul: Both	♦ Q106	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ	

Board: 452	♠ KJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K983	
Vul: None	♦ A1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 6	

Board: 453	♠ KJ985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: NS	♦ Q73	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A72	

Board: 454	♠ KQ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ54	
Vul: EW	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 10932	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 450
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A93
♥ AK62
♦ J1072
♣ 95

South:
♠ Q42
♥ QJ10975
♦ —
♣ AQJ2

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

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

Board: 451
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AKJ52
♥ 7
♦ A743
♣ A106

South:
♠ 984
♥ AK952
♦ Q106
♣ QJ

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

Board: 452
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3♥ S

North:
♠ AQ3
♥ A1052
♦ K3
♣ 9743

South:
♠ KJ86
♥ K983
♦ A1086
♣ 6

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

Board: 453
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 13
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ A
♥ J97632
♦ J10
♣ K1054

South:
♠ KJ985
♥ K5
♦ Q73
♣ A72

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

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 454
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ AJ7
♥ J982
♦ AK973
♣ J

South:
♠ KQ106
♥ AQ54
♦ J
♣ 10932

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

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 455	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ J1065	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q9842	

Board: 456	♠ A1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A432	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1084	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 457	♠ AKQ963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K43	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK107	

Board: 458	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9832	
Vul: Both	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A964	

Board: 459	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ74	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A8764	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 455	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK5	♠ QJ87				1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ KJ965	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ J1065	♦ A9	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q9842	♣ KJ				
Contract: 3N N				1. forcing 1NT		

Board: 456	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1075	♠ QJ8		1♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ A432	♥ 65	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 15	♦ AK1084	♦ J	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ —	♣ AQJ9654				
Contract: 4♣ S				1. Inviting Jump Shifts		

Board: 457	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ963	♠ J42				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K43	♥ Q875	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 19	♦ —	♦ AKQ2	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
South HCP: 12	♣ AK107	♣ 52	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N				1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠		
				2. A=1/5 or 4/5		

Board: 458	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 6	♠ AK8543		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AK9832	♥ —	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 15	♦ A4	♦ KQ108	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A964	♣ 873				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 459	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AKQJ7				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ QJ74	♥ 93	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ2	♦ J4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A8764	♣ J1052				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 455	♠ QJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ965	
Vul: None	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ	

Board: 456	♠ QJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	
Vul: NS	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ9654	

Board: 457	♠ J42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q875	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ2	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 52	

Board: 458	♠ AK8543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 873	

Board: 459	♠ AKQJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 93	
Vul: NS	♦ J4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J1052	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 455	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK5	♠ QJ87				1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ KJ965	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♦ J1065	♦ A9	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q9842	♣ KJ				
Contract: 3N N						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 456	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1075	♠ QJ8		1♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ A432	♥ 65	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 15	♦ AK1084	♦ J	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ —	♣ AQJ9654				
Contract: 4♣ S						1. Inviting Jump Shifts

Board: 457	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ963	♠ J42				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K43	♥ Q875	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 19	♦ —	♦ AKQ2	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
South HCP: 12	♣ AK107	♣ 52	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N						1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
						2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 458	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 6	♠ AK8543		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AK9832	♥ —	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 15	♦ A4	♦ KQ108	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A964	♣ 873				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 459	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AKQJ7				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ QJ74	♥ 93	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ2	♦ J4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A8764	♣ J1052				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 460	♠ KQ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ K864	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ98	

Board: 461	♠ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J9863	

Board: 462	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: None	♦ A73	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ762	

Board: 463	♠ QJ7643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ —	

Board: 464	♠ AKQ1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 963	
Vul: Both	♦ A43	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 460

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ KQ82

♥ —

♦ K864

♣ KQJ98

South:

♠ AJ54

♥ AQ64

♦ AJ103

♣ 3

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♦² Pass 6♠

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 461

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ AK2

♥ J

♦ AQ86

♣ J9863

South:

♠ 109

♥ AKQ104

♦ 95

♣ KQ102

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♠¹ Pass 5♣

AP

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 462

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KJ3

♥ Q2

♦ A73

♣ KJ762

South:

♠ Q964

♥ AKJ6

♦ KJ105

♣ A

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 463

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ QJ7643

♥ A8

♦ AJ1072

♣ —

South:

♠ A2

♥ J73

♦ Q86

♣ AK652

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 3NT

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 464

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AKQ1098

♥ 963

♦ A43

♣ 6

South:

♠ 7

♥ AQ87

♦ K1072

♣ AK109

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 460	♠ AJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ64	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 3	

Board: 461	♠ 109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ104	
Vul: Both	♦ 95	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ102	

Board: 462	♠ Q964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ6	
Vul: None	♦ KJ105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A	

Board: 463	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J73	
Vul: EW	♦ Q86	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK652	

Board: 464	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ87	
Vul: Both	♦ K1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK109	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 460

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ KQ82

♥ —

♦ K864

♣ KQJ98

South:

♠ AJ54

♥ AQ64

♦ AJ103

♣ 3

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♦² Pass 6♠

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 461

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ AK2

♥ J

♦ AQ86

♣ J9863

South:

♠ 109

♥ AKQ104

♦ 95

♣ KQ102

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♠¹ Pass 5♣

AP

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 462

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KJ3

♥ Q2

♦ A73

♣ KJ762

South:

♠ Q964

♥ AKJ6

♦ KJ105

♣ A

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 463

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ QJ7643

♥ A8

♦ AJ1072

♣ —

South:

♠ A2

♥ J73

♦ Q86

♣ AK652

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 3NT

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 464

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AKQ1098

♥ 963

♦ A43

♣ 6

South:

♠ 7

♥ AQ87

♦ K1072

♣ AK109

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 465	♠ AQJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K87	
Vul: None	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K842	

Board: 466	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1052	
Vul: NS	♦ AK83	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 94	

Board: 467	♠ K1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ95432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 6	

Board: 468	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 984	
Vul: None	♦ AK8763	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 2	

Board: 469	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ7	
Vul: NS	♦ A9532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 876	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 465	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ54	♠ 3				1♦
Vul: None	♥ K87	♥ A	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ 10	♦ AQ6543	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K842	♣ AJ1065				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 466	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ4	♠ A9865		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ Q1052	♥ K73	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ AK83	♦ J	Pass	2♠ ²	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 12	♣ 94	♣ KJ103	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3♠			

Board: 467	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1065	♠ A4				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ K	♥ 9854	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ95432	♦ J	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ 6	♣ AK9872	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 468	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ4	♠ 632		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ 984	♥ AQ62	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AK8763	♦ 5	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ 2	♣ AK1053	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 469	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ QJ10764				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ7	♥ 6	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ A9532	♦ 6	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 876	♣ AKQJ5				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 465	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ AQ6543	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ1065	

Board: 466	♠ A9865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K73	
Vul: NS	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ103	

Board: 467	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9854	
Vul: Both	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK9872	

Board: 468	♠ 632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ62	
Vul: None	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK1053	

Board: 469	♠ QJ10764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ 6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQJ5	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 465	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ54	♠ 3				1♦
Vul: None	♥ K87	♥ A	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ 10	♦ AQ6543	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K842	♣ AJ1065				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 466	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ4	♠ A9865		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ Q1052	♥ K73	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ AK83	♦ J	Pass	2♠ ²	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 12	♣ 94	♣ KJ103	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S			1. New	Minor Forcing		
			2. 3♠			

Board: 467	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1065	♠ A4				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ K	♥ 9854	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ95432	♦ J	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ 6	♣ AK9872	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 468	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ4	♠ 632		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ 984	♥ AQ62	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AK8763	♦ 5	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ 2	♣ AK1053	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 469	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ QJ10764				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ7	♥ 6	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ A9532	♦ 6	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 876	♣ AKQJ5				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 470	♠ A1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: None	♦ A74	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ965	

Board: 471	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ643	
Vul: NS	♦ K62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1062	

Board: 472	♠ KJ1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ10	
Vul: EW	♦ A74	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 97	

Board: 473	♠ AQ1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q763	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 952	

Board: 474	♠ QJ1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: NS	♦ K72	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ3	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 470

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A1065

♥ 4

♦ A74

♣ KJ965

South:

♠ Q2

♥ AKQJ8765

♦ J86

♣ —

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 471

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ 3

♥ AJ643

♦ K62

♣ A1062

South:

♠ A7654

♥ 82

♦ AQ3

♣ Q74

West North East South

1♠

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♣

Pass 2NT AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 472

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♦ N

North:

♠ KJ1042

♥ AJ10

♦ A74

♣ 97

South:

♠ —

♥ K954

♦ Q985

♣ K10854

West North East South

1♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2♦ AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 473

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ1094

♥ Q763

♦ K

♣ 952

South:

♠ 832

♥ K4

♦ AQ106

♣ KJ73

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♠ AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 474

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♥ S

North:

♠ QJ1052

♥ K8

♦ K72

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ 6

♥ QJ109732

♦ A65

♣ A2

West North East South

1♠ Pass 3♥¹

AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 470	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ8765	
Vul: None	♦ J86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ —	

Board: 471	♠ A7654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 82	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q74	

Board: 472	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K954	
Vul: EW	♦ Q985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ K10854	

Board: 473	♠ 832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ106	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ73	

Board: 474	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ109732	
Vul: NS	♦ A65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A2	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 470

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A1065

♥ 4

♦ A74

♣ KJ965

South:

♠ Q2

♥ AKQJ8765

♦ J86

♣ —

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 471

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ 3

♥ AJ643

♦ K62

♣ A1062

South:

♠ A7654

♥ 82

♦ AQ3

♣ Q74

West North East South

1♠

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♣

Pass 2NT AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 472

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♦ N

North:

♠ KJ1042

♥ AJ10

♦ A74

♣ 97

South:

♠ —

♥ K954

♦ Q985

♣ K10854

West North East South

1♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2♦ AP

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 473

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ1094

♥ Q763

♦ K

♣ 952

South:

♠ 832

♥ K4

♦ AQ106

♣ KJ73

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♠ AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 474

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♥ S

North:

♠ QJ1052

♥ K8

♦ K72

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ 6

♥ QJ109732

♦ A65

♣ A2

West North East South

1♠ Pass 3♥¹

AP

1. Inviting Jump Shifts

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 475	♠ 986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK854	

Board: 476	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ9432	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 864	

Board: 477	♠ K983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ A5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A98764	

Board: 478	♠ KJ1072	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 64	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A95	

Board: 479	♠ K106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10965	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q9752	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 475	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 986	♠ A75				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 2	♥ KQ543	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ106	♦ K873	Pass	4♦	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 12	♣ AK854	♣ 7	AP			
Contract: 5♦ S						

Board: 476	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ10	♠ 8752				
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ 9876		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ9432	♦ Q	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ 864	♣ KJ93				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 477	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K983	♠ Q				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 3	♥ AQ1082	Pass	3♣ ¹	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ A5	♦ J106	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 14	♣ A98764	♣ KQ103				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 478	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ1072	♠ A		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ 64	♥ AQ983	Pass	2♣	AP	
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ7	♦ 632	1. forcing 1NT			
South HCP: 10	♣ A95	♣ 10842				
Contract: 2♣ N						

Board: 479	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K106	♠ 972				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K10965	♥ A	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 8	♦ —	♦ AQJ752	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q9752	♣ KJ3				
Contract: 3♦ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 475	♠ A75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ543	
Vul: EW	♦ K873	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 7	

Board: 476	♠ 8752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9876	
Vul: Both	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ KJ93	

Board: 477	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1082	
Vul: None	♦ J106	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ103	

Board: 478	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ983	
Vul: EW	♦ 632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 10842	

Board: 479	♠ 972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ752	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ3	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 475	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 986	♠ A75				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 2	♥ KQ543	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ106	♦ K873	Pass	4♦	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 12	♣ AK854	♣ 7	AP			
Contract: 5♦ S						

Board: 476	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ10	♠ 8752				
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ 9876		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ9432	♦ Q	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ 864	♣ KJ93				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 477	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K983	♠ Q				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 3	♥ AQ1082	Pass	3♣ ¹	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ A5	♦ J106	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
South HCP: 14	♣ A98764	♣ KQ103				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 478	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ1072	♠ A		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ 64	♥ AQ983	Pass	2♣	AP	
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ7	♦ 632	1. forcing 1NT			
South HCP: 10	♣ A95	♣ 10842				
Contract: 2♣ N						

Board: 479	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K106	♠ 972				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K10965	♥ A	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 8	♦ —	♦ AQJ752	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q9752	♣ KJ3				
Contract: 3♦ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 480	♠ QJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 93	
Vul: None	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK973	

Board: 481	♠ Q85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: NS	♦ Q7543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A853	

Board: 482	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ762	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A104	

Board: 483	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK104	
Vul: None	♦ AQ96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ952	

Board: 484	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK92	
Vul: NS	♦ 9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ10853	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 480	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ93	♠ K76		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ 93	♥ QJ82	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A5	♦ KJ1072	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AK973	♣ 8				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 481	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q85	♠ KJ106				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 7	♥ AK842	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 8	♦ Q7543	♦ J8	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ A853	♣ K7	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♣ S						

Board: 482	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A63	♠ KQ875		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ762	♥ —	Pass	3♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 10	♦ J85				
South HCP: 11	♣ A104	♣ KQ752				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 483	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AKQJ4				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AK104	♥ J532	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ96	♦ J832	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ¹
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ952	♣ —	Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Contract: 6♥ S			Pass	5♣ ⁴	Pass	6♥
			AP			
			1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			4. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 484

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ J10

♥ AK92

♦ 9

♣ AQ10853

South:

♠ AQ63

♥ J76

♦ KQJ87

♣ 4

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
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AP			
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South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 480	♠ K76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ82	
Vul: None	♦ KJ1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 8	

Board: 481	♠ KJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK842	
Vul: NS	♦ J8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K7	

Board: 482	♠ KQ875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ J85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ752	

Board: 483	♠ AKQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J532	
Vul: None	♦ J832	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ —	

Board: 484	♠ AQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J76	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 4	

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 480	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ93	♠ K76		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ 93	♥ QJ82	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A5	♦ KJ1072	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AK973	♣ 8				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 481	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q85	♠ KJ106				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 7	♥ AK842	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 8	♦ Q7543	♦ J8	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ A853	♣ K7	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♣ S						

Board: 482	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A63	♠ KQ875		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ762	♥ —	Pass	3♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 10	♦ J85				
South HCP: 11	♣ A104	♣ KQ752				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 483	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AKQJ4				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AK104	♥ J532	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ96	♦ J832	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ¹
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ952	♣ —	Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Contract: 6♥ S			Pass	5♣ ⁴	Pass	6♥
			AP			
			1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			4. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 484

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ J10

♥ AK92

♦ 9

♣ AQ10853

South:

♠ AQ63

♥ J76

♦ KQJ87

♣ 4

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
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AP			
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North hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 485	♠ 1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ J85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ10653	

Board: 486	♠ K864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ5	
Vul: None	♦ K864	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q3	

Board: 487	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ8654	

Board: 488	♠ KQ9863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: EW	♦ K76	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 83	

Board: 489	♠ 1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1093	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K954	

**South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.
Both hands (Answers Page)**

Board: 485	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1086	♠ KQJ				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ Q109532	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 10	♦ J85	♦ K109	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ10653	♣ K				
Contract: 3♥ S			1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 486	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K864	♠ A32		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ AJ5	♥ K63	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ K864	♦ Q	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 14	♣ Q3	♣ AJ9865	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 487	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ KQJ3				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 6	♥ KQ754	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ962	♦ K104	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ8654	♣ 7				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 488	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ9863	♠ J		1♠	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ AQ	♥ J108	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 14	♦ K76	♦ AQ9	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 83	♣ A107542				
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 489	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1043	♠ 965				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AK1093	♥ Q4	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K	♦ AQ1098	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ K954	♣ A82	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. New Minor Forcing			

South hands (Practice Page)

South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.

Board: 485	♠ KQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q109532	
Vul: EW	♦ K109	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K	

Board: 486	♠ A32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K63	
Vul: None	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ9865	

Board: 487	♠ KQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ754	
Vul: NS	♦ K104	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 7	

Board: 488	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J108	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A107542	

Board: 489	♠ 965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q4	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ1098	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A82	

**South opens and North has a misfit with various strengths.
Both hands (Answers Page)**

Board: 485	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1086	♠ KQJ				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ Q109532	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 10	♦ J85	♦ K109	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ10653	♣ K				
Contract: 3♥ S			1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 486	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K864	♠ A32		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ AJ5	♥ K63	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ K864	♦ Q	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 14	♣ Q3	♣ AJ9865	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 487	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ KQJ3				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 6	♥ KQ754	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ962	♦ K104	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ8654	♣ 7				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inviting Jump Shifts			

Board: 488	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ9863	♠ J		1♠	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ AQ	♥ J108	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 14	♦ K76	♦ AQ9	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 83	♣ A107542	1. Inviting Jump Shifts			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 489	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1043	♠ 965				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AK1093	♥ Q4	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K	♦ AQ1098	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ K954	♣ A82	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. New Minor Forcing			