

12 boards f

0B25ABAF8A1AF3DD54F884222240

Board 1

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 6

♥ 9 6

♦ K J 10 6

♣ 7 6 5 2

W

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♠ 7 2

♥ 10 8 7

♦ 9 4 3 2

♣ J 10 4 3

♠ A 10 4 3

♥ J 5 2

♦ A 7 5

♣ K Q 9

♠ K Q J 5

♥ A K Q 4 3

♦ Q 8

♣ A 8

Shape 4333 2344 4522 3244 HCP 14 1 21 4 Losers 8 11 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠
4 ♠ by North			
Made 7 — NS +710			

16 boards f

18A301CE25B80F56CFE494FA9AAE

Board 2

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3433 1345 5422 4243 HCP 13 4 20 3 Losers 8 8 5 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

3. King ask by 5 NT

4. K=1

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

22 boards f

1BED2F4CF3422A34EAA6780D8254

Board 3

South Deals

Both Vul

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



Shape 4432 4135 2542 3334 HCP 9 3 20 8 Losers 8 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT ¹
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♥

1. surplus

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

35 boards f

2BAB9DB7717F3644FAD903A49220

Board 4

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 6

♥ Q J 10 9 7

♦ A 7 6

♣ 8 4 2

W

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S

♠ 9 5 2

♥ 8 5

♦ Q 9 8 4

♣ A Q 10 5

♠ J 10 8

♥ K 6 3

♦ J 5 3 2

♣ 9 7 3

♠ A K Q 4 3

♥ A 4 2

♦ K 10

♣ K J 6

Shape 3244 3343 5323 2533 HCP 8 5 20 7 Losers 8 11 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by South			
Made 5 — NS +650			

43 boards f

2AC594954EBB1E286CFC8CDB3AB4

Board 5

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

N

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S

E

♠ J 7
♥ K Q 9 4
♦ 10 8 4 3
♣ J 9 3

♠ K Q 10 5 2
♥ 8 7
♦ A K Q 2
♣ A Q

Shape 3352 2443 5242 3406 HCP 6 7 20 7 Losers 10 9 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. surplus
 4 ♠ by South
 Made 5 — NS +650

48 boards f

38A59E83F07BB3778E32784F1D24

Board 6

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J

♥ J 10 9 8 6 5

♦ A 8 2

♣ J 5 2

♠ 6 3 2

♥ Q 7 4

♦ 10 5

♣ Q 10 9 8 4

♠ 10 8 5 4

♥ K 3

♦ K 7 4 3

♣ K 7 6

♠ A K Q 9 7

♥ A 2

♦ Q J 9 6

♣ A 3

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W E

S

Shape 3325 4243 5242 1633 HCP 4 9 20 7 Losers 9 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
1 ♠ by South			
Made 4 — NS +170			

59 boards f

3A97612578BE2C9ACB9C0EBFE0D8

Board 7

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 3 2

♥ J 10 4

♦ K 3

♣ J 9 6 3 2

W

N

E

S

♠ K J

♥ A 8 6 2

♦ J 8 7 2

♣ 10 8 5

♠ A 10 8 6 4

♥ K Q 9 3

♦ A Q

♣ K Q

Shape 3253 2443 5422 3325 HCP 6 9 20 5 Losers 9 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by South			
Made 5 — NS +650			

74 boards f


4829AAA79077CC4C20DA9C6BD7CD

Board 8

South Deals

None Vul

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



♠ K Q J 5			
♥ A K Q 7 4			
♦ J 7			
♣ A 2			

Shape 2344 3442 4522 4135 HCP 13 4 20 3 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ¹
Pass	5 ♥ ²	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

7 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

75 boards f

4AAF6583231822545E70CDF12642

Board 9

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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♠ K 8 7 6 2
♥ 10 8 7
♦ 10
♣ 9 7 3 2

♠ A Q
♥ A K J 9 3
♦ K 8 3
♣ K 5 4

Shape 4333 5314 2533 2263 HCP 14 3 20 3 Losers 8 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ¹
Pass	3 NT ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♠ ⁴	Pass	5 NT ⁵
Pass	6 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Cue bid, a !S stopper
2. surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
5. King ask by 5 NT
6. K=0

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

79 boards f

49EBE9CD264167C22CC21A9C7094

Board 10

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K Q 8 6

♥ 3

♦ Q 7 4

♣ 7 4 3 2

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♠ J 7 5

♥ Q 10 8 6

♦ 10 8 6 3

♣ A 9

♠ 4 2

♥ A K J 9 7

♦ A K 5

♣ K Q 10

♠ 10 9 3

♥ 5 4 2

♦ J 9 2

♣ J 8 6 5

Shape 3442 3334 2533 5134 HCP 7 2 20 11 Losers 9 12 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	2 ♥	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

87 boards f

5892AD848B871AEAF513D91EEC74

Board 11

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 5 3

♥ 7 2

♦ Q 10 7 2

♣ Q 3 2

♠ 9 6 4

♥ Q J 10

♦ J 9 8 5

♣ J 10 6

♠ 2

♥ A 9 6 5 4

♦ K 4 3

♣ A 9 8 4

♠ A K Q J 10

♥ K 8 3

♦ A 6

♣ K 7 5

W

N

E

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Shape 3343 1534 5323 4243 HCP 5 11 20 4 Losers 11 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	2 ♥	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	2 NT
2 N by South			
Made 3 — NS +150			

98 boards f

69ABE12653CC8DE7947702E5F85F

Board 12

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

W

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	♠ J 6 2
	♥ J 7 2
	♦ Q 8 7 6 4
	♣ Q 5

♠ A 9 7
♥ A K Q 8 4
♦ A 3
♣ K 9 4

Shape 2335 3352 3523 5233 HCP 11 6 20 3 Losers 9 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

115 boards f

7B212CA7EF82095A445B9B9AEAC8

Board 13

South Deals

Both Vul

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

W

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

♠ Q 10 5 4
♥ A K Q J 3
♦ K J
♣ A 9

Shape 3424 3424 4522 3073 HCP 12 4 20 4 Losers 8 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. surplus

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

117 boards f

79A3A785985AD7C1743E1FFC912F

Board 14

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 4

♥ 7 6 4

♦ 6 5 4 2

♣ J 7 4

♠ 6 5 2

♥ Q 8

♦ A 8 3

♣ A K 9 5 2

♠ 10 7

♥ J 10 9 5 3

♦ K Q 9 7

♣ 10 6

♠ A K Q J 3

♥ A K 2

♦ J 10

♣ Q 8 3

N

W E

S

Shape 3235 2542 5323 3343 HCP 13 6 20 1 Losers 8 8 5 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
6 ♠ by South			
Made 7 — NS +1010			

132 boards f

8AA5BFCA9E721AF98F79C364BC04

Board 15

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 2

♥ Q 7 5 2

♦ K J 7 3

♣ K 7 5

♠ Q 8 5

♥ K 10 8 6 3

♦ 10 5

♣ 4 3 2

♠ 10 6 4

♥ J 9

♦ Q 9 8 6

♣ Q J 10 9

W

N

E

S

♠ A K J 7 3

♥ A 4

♦ A 4 2

♣ A 8 6

Shape 2443 3244 5233 3523 HCP 9 6 20 5 Losers 8 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 4 — NS +630

135 boards f

88A16F0CA8FDE030AC3F5F064FD8

Board 16

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ A J 7
♥ A K J 9 7
♦ A 9 8
♣ A 10

Shape 4324 3271 3532 3316 HCP 8 8 21 3 Losers 8 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♦	4 NT ¹
Pass	5 ♣ ²	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	6 ♣ ³	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. !H queen and !C king

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

142 boards f

8A876506E6C1DF7BFA682A30BE2C

Board 17

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 9 7

♥ 8 7 4 3

♦ 10 4

♣ 6 4 2

♠ Q 5 4 2

♥ A Q 10

♦ 9 3 2

♣ A 9 8

♠ K 8 6

♥ 9

♦ 8 7 6 5

♣ Q J 7 5 3

♠ A 3

♥ K J 6 5 2

♦ A K Q J

♣ K 10

W

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Shape 4333 3145 2542 4423 HCP 12 6 21 1 Losers 8 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass			Pass
6 ♥ by South			
Made 6 — NS +1430			

149 boards f

99899B9CD3567603ECA278BBF500

Board 18

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 7 3
♥ 9 5 4 3
♦ Q 7
♣ Q 7 5 2

♠ 8 2
♥ A 8 2
♦ J 8 6 2
♣ K J 8 4

♠ 10 9 5
♥ K Q J 10
♦ 10 9 3
♣ 10 9 6

♠ A K Q 6 4
♥ 7 6
♦ A K 5 4
♣ A 3

W

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S
E

Shape 2344 3433 5242 3424 HCP 9 6 20 5 Losers 9 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♦
Pass			Pass

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

151 boards f

98A18FBB4747B95CECB47A123245

Board 19

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ J 10 8 5 2

♥ 8 4

♦ K 8 7

♣ 5 4 3

N

W E

S

♠ A K Q 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ A 4 3
♣ A 9 2

Shape 2434 5233 5233 1543 HCP 12 4 21 3 Losers 7 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	6 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	7 NT

1. forcing 1 NT
 7 N by North
 Down 1 — NS -50

157 boards f

98A9AB976CFF4F3C95FA30C11E97

Board 20

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 6 4
♥ 10 8 6 5
♦ Q 7 2
♣ J 8 5

♠ 8 5 3
♥ 9 4
♦ A K 6
♣ K Q 10 9 2

♠ J 9
♥ Q 7 3 2
♦ J 10 9 8 3
♣ 6 3

♠ A K Q 7 2
♥ A K J
♦ 5 4
♣ A 7 4

W

N

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Shape 3235 2452 5323 3433 HCP 12 4 21 3 Losers 7 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
6 ♠ by South
Made 7 — NS +1010

159 boards f

99AD9BB66257EB20BC3E3387D54C

Board 21

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

W

S

N

E

S

♠ J 10 2

♥ K 10 3

♦ Q 10 4 3

♣ Q J 6

♠ A K Q 7 4
♥ A J 9 8
♦ K 9
♣ A 3

Shape 3235 3343 5422 2443 HCP 4 9 21 6 Losers 10 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Dbl	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
2 ♠ by South			
Made 5 — NS +200			

160 boards f

A88981AED69738E712934A17FC64

Board 22

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

S

N
E
S

E

N

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

♠ A K Q 10 6
♥ Q 8 2
♦ K 7 6
♣ A K

Shape 3334 2524 5332 3253 HCP 11 6 21 2 Losers 9 9 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
 6 ♠ by South
 Made 6 — NS +980

163 boards f

ABAEAA09269D687726D2437FF438

Board 23

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 3

♥ 8 4 3 2

♦ K Q 9 2

♣ 9 3 2

♠ Q J 7 2

♥ Q 5

♦ J 8 7 3

♣ 8 5 4

♠ 9 8 5 4

♥ 10 6

♦ 6 5

♣ A K J 7 6

♠ A K 10

♥ A K J 9 7

♦ A 10 4

♣ Q 10

W N E

S

Shape 4243 4225 3532 2443 HCP 6 8 21 5 Losers 10 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	2 NT
2 N by South			
Made 3 — NS +150			

167 boards f

A8BDABAEBD18D97740442F477890

Board 24

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9

♥ A J 8 3

♦ 8 6 4

♣ 10 7 6 3 2

W

N

E

S

♠ 8 7 6 4 3

♥ 10 9 2

♦ A Q J 5

♣ Q

♠ A K Q J 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 7 2

♣ A J 9

Shape 2344 5341 5323 1435 HCP 6 9 20 5 Losers 9 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
1 ♠ by South			
Made 4 — NS +170			

175 boards f

A9AA61670547BC6319D4DCEC4800

Board 25

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠

♥

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♣

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

Shape 3433 5341 2533 3136 HCP 7 12 21 0 Losers 10 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♥	2 ♠	4 NT ¹
Pass	5 ♣ ²	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥× by South

Down 1 — NS -100

181 boards f

B98129BE841011774AF4AF3095D4

Board 26

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

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

Shape 4342 2452 5224 2425 HCP 12 3 20 5 Losers 8 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	6 ♣ ⁵	Pass	5 NT ⁴
Pass	Pass	Pass	7 ♠

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=0

7 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1510

189 boards f

B8812E75B1171BC6DA891FBCA47C

Board 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7
♥ Q J 4 2
♦ Q 10 8 3
♣ 4 3 2

♠ K 10 9 5
♥ A 8 6
♦ 9 7 6
♣ 10 9 5

♠ Q 2
♥ 10 9 7 5
♦ K 5 4 2
♣ K 8 7

♠ A J 6 4 3
♥ K 3
♦ A J
♣ A Q J 6

W

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S
E

Shape 4333 2443 5224 2443 HCP 7 8 20 5 Losers 10 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠
4 ♠ by South			
Made 6 — NS +480			

202 boards f

C86021A81C3296F83B4EDB67ED40

Board 28

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 5 3
♥ 10 8 7
♦ 9 4
♣ A Q J 8 2

♠ K J 10 7
♥ 6 2
♦ Q 8 7 5
♣ 7 5 4

♠ A 6 4 2
♥ J 9 5
♦ J 6 3
♣ 10 9 6

♠ Q 9
♥ A K Q 4 3
♦ A K 10 2
♣ K 3

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Shape 4243 4333 2542 3325 HCP 6 6 21 7 Losers 9 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♦ by South			
Made 5 — NS +150			

205 boards f

C8A02228784E158A375CBD688FB4

Board 29

South Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ J 7 5 2

♦ 9 7 2

♣ A Q J 6 4 2

♠ K Q 9 7

♥ 10 8 3

♦ Q J 8 4

♣ 7 3

♠ J 10 6 4

♥ 9 6

♦ 10 6 5 3

♣ K 10 8

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♠ A 8 5 3 2

♥ A K Q 4

♦ A K

♣ 9 5

Shape 4342 4243 5422 0436 HCP 8 4 20 8 Losers 8 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by South			
Made 5 — NS +450			

226 boards f

E9A9B25720B213CA1CB94FBFD6D8

Board 30

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 3 2

♥ K 10 6 4

♦ 7 5 4

♣ J 7 2

♠ J 9 7

♥ 8 5

♦ K J 10 9

♣ Q 9 5 4

♠ Q 5

♥ Q 9 7 3 2

♦ Q 3

♣ K 10 8 3

♠ A K 10 6 4

♥ A J

♦ A 8 6 2

♣ A 6

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Shape 3244 2524 5242 3433 HCP 7 9 20 4 Losers 9 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass			Pass

1. surplus
4 ♠ by South
Made 5 — NS +450

231 boards f

E895A9A81CCC1E8FC53BD2F35D84

Board 31

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 7 5 4

♥ 6 4

♦ A 7 2

♣ Q J 10 2

♠ J 9 6

♥ 10 8 7 2

♦ K Q 6

♣ 8 6 4

♠ 3

♥ A J 9 5 3

♦ J 10 9 8 3

♣ 9 5

♠ A K Q 8 2

♥ K Q

♦ 5 4

♣ A K 7 3

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Shape 3433 1552 5224 4234 HCP 6 6 21 7 Losers 10 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
1 ♠ by South			
Made 5 — NS +200			

234 boards f

E89EA127604A37EA95C85AEA3FB4

Board 32

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 6 4

♥ 9 3 2

♦ Q 9 7 2

♣ J 6 2

W

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S

♠ Q 9 3

♥ 10 6

♦ 10 8 6 5 4

♣ Q 9 3

♠ J 10 5

♥ A 7 5

♦ A 3

♣ A 10 8 5 4

♠ A K 7 2

♥ K Q J 8 4

♦ K J

♣ K 7

Shape 3253 3325 4522 3343 HCP 4 13 20 3 Losers 9 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	1 NT	1 ♥
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	2 ♠
2 ♠ by South			
Made 2 — NS +110			

236 boards f

EBA7A8EE9C24F26B4E33354001D0

Board 33

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 2

♥ 9 6 5

♦ K 8

♣ K J 10 4 2

♠ 10 6 5 3

♥ 7 4 3

♦ A 10 5

♣ A 8 6

♠ 8 7 4

♥ J 2

♦ 9 6 4 3 2

♣ Q 9 7

♠ A K J

♥ A K Q 10 8

♦ Q J 7

♣ 5 3

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Shape 4333 3253 3532 3325 HCP 8 3 20 9 Losers 10 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

242 boards f

F985A6F9A736374FE362D82C86CC

Board 34

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7 5 2

♥ Q 10 9

♦ 8 4 2

♣ 5 4 2

♠ 10 9 4

♥ A 8 3 2

♦ 7 6

♣ J 9 8 7

♠ 8 6

♥ 5

♦ A K J 10 9 3

♣ K 10 6 3

♠ A K J 3

♥ K J 7 6 4

♦ Q 5

♣ A Q

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Shape 3424 2164 4522 4333 HCP 5 11 20 4 Losers 10 6 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	2 ♦	1 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♦ ¹
Pass			Pass

1. strength cue bid

3 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +200

247 boards f

F8A328A765DADD4B3C104445D2EF

Board 35

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 3 2

♥ 7

♦ Q J 5 4

♣ K 7 6 5

♠ K 7 6

♥ 8 5 4

♦ K 10 8

♣ A Q 8 2

♠ J 8 5 4

♥ 10 9 6 3

♦ 9 7 2

♣ 10 3

♠ A Q

♥ A K Q J 2

♦ A 6 3

♣ J 9 4

W N E

S

Shape 3334 4432 2533 4144 HCP 12 1 21 6 Losers 8 11 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
6 ♥ by South
Made 6 — NS +980

253 boards f

F8B18AB9EF01E615BF1CFB5FBE78

Board 36

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ A K Q 7 3
♥ J 9
♦ A 10
♣ A Q 10 8

Shape 3244 2353 5224 3622 HCP 9 4 20 7 Losers 8 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. surplus

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

254 boards f

FAA776E76C49F52CECDA7B820A00

Board 37

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ K 9 5
♦ 4 2
♣ J 8 7 2

♠ 8 3 2
♥ 10 4 3 2
♦ J 8 7
♣ A Q 5

♠ K J 10 5
♥ 6
♦ 10 6 5 3
♣ K 6 4 3

♠ A 4
♥ A Q J 8 7
♦ A K Q 9
♣ 10 9

W N E
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Shape 3433 4144 2542 4324 HCP 7 7 20 6 Losers 10 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♥ by South			
Made 5 — NS +650			

261 boards f

09E1A815EC571BD4A0070F786484

Board 38

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

W

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

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

Shape 4324 3460 3532 3127 HCP 6 4 20 10 Losers 9 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♣	3 ♥	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. Cue bid, a !S stopper

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

271 boards f

098B9BB97F04EFFEB45932876214

Board 39

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♣

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

Shape 3325 3343 5242 2533 HCP 12 4 20 4 Losers 8 11 4 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

7 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1510

280 boards f

1989819C7E3FA25A6F88102E5034

Board 40

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ J 8 7 3
♥ Q 8 5 3
♦ 2
♣ J 9 8 4

♠ A K Q 9 6
♥ 9 7 4
♦ A 8 6
♣ A K

Shape 4342 4414 5332 0355 HCP 10 4 20 6 Losers 8 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. surplus

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

282 boards f

18AAB9AF83A01E7306DCFC3CCD48

Board 41

South Deals

None Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ 8 2
♥ 9 6
♦ Q 9 6 5 4 3
♣ A 9 7

♠ A K Q J 10
♥ A Q 10
♦ J 10 8
♣ K 3

Shape 3433 2263 5332 3415 HCP 11 6 20 3 Losers 9 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

286 boards f


1A8791AD591F7C7A4C8EF1342AB0

Board 42

South Deals

N-S Vul

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



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

Shape 3352 4333 5224 1534 HCP 10 6 21 3 Losers 8 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT ²
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♣ ⁷
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. forcing 1 NT
 2. surplus
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
 7. !S queen and !C king
- 7 ♠ by South
Down 1 — NS -100

295 boards f

28A36F2FA053C4CF14F079691AD6

Board 43

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 6 2

♥ 6 5

♦ 9 7 2

♣ J 9 7 6

♠ Q 7 3

♥ 9 8

♦ 5 4 3

♣ A K Q 10 8

♠ K 10 5 4

♥ 10 7 3 2

♦ K Q 8

♣ 3 2

♠ A J

♥ A K Q J 4

♦ A J 10 6

♣ 5 4

W N E S

Shape 3235 4432 2542 4234 HCP 11 8 20 1 Losers 7 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♦
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 6 — NS +490

300 boards f

2BA90C61633E43B66BB4B6F00368

Board 44

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3334 5053 4522 1534 HCP 7 6 20 7 Losers 10 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. surplus

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

310 boards f

3B89A2A127DAA0C40F5243FFB818

Board 45

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 8 4

♥ 4 3

♦ A 10 3 2

♣ 9 8 3 2

♠ J 7 2

♥ A 8 7 5

♦ J 8

♣ J 7 5 4

♠ 6 5

♥ 10 6 2

♦ K Q 9 6 5

♣ K 10 6

♠ A K Q 9 3

♥ K Q J 9

♦ 7 4

♣ A Q

W

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Shape 3424 2353 5422 3244 HCP 7 8 21 4 Losers 10 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass			Pass

1. surplus
4 ♠ by South
Made 5 — NS +650

322 boards f

492AA4AF2AD09CC751E34D779C40

Board 46

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 8 6
♥ 4
♦ Q 9 5 3
♣ K 10 9 3 2

♠ A J
♥ 8 5 2
♦ 10 7 6 2
♣ Q 8 6 4

♠ 7 5 4 2
♥ 10 9 7 3
♦ K 8 4
♣ A J

♠ K Q 9 3
♥ A K Q J 6
♦ A J
♣ 7 5

N

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Shape 2344 4432 4522 3145 HCP 7 8 20 5 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

334 boards f

4AA59C3EB106A1D28B5F5A0FD0F4

Board 47

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 3 2

♥ Q J 2

♦ J 9 8 3

♣ K 3 2

♠ Q 10 4

♥ 10 7 4

♦ K Q 6 4

♣ 7 6 4

♠ 6 5

♥ K 8 6 5 3

♦ 7 5

♣ Q 10 8 5

♠ A K J 9 7

♥ A 9

♦ A 10 2

♣ A J 9

W

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Shape 3343 2524 5233 3343 HCP 7 5 21 7 Losers 9 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass			Pass

1. surplus
4 ♠ by South
Made 5 — NS +650

351 boards f

59A88DFD1B5350BA573C479318AC

Board 48

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q

♥ Q 8 6

♦ K Q 6 2

♣ A 9 6 3 2

W

N

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♠ J 6 3

♥ K 5

♦ 10 9 4

♣ J 10 7 5 4

♠ 10 9 7 5

♥ J 10 9 7 4 3

♦ 7 5

♣ 8

♠ A K 8 4 2

♥ A 2

♦ A J 8 3

♣ K Q

Shape 3235 4621 5242 1345 HCP 5 1 21 13 Losers 10 9 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Dbl	Pass	2 ♥	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♠ by South			
Made 4 — NS +170			

353 boards f

6A84A79F200BAA511CE1EEDE73FA

Board 49

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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	S	

♠ 8 3
♥ Q 8 7 4
♦ 10 9 2
♣ 9 5 4 2

♠ A K Q 9
♥ K J 9 6 5
♦ A K
♣ 8 6

Shape 3244 2434 4522 4243 HCP 12 2 20 6 Losers 7 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 NT	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	6 NT	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass			Pass

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 N by North
 Made 6 — NS +1440

356 boards f

6AE58F8DB0225D8B12B3D6D20950

Board 50

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 5 4

♥ J 6

♦ J 10 7 6 4 2

♣ J 2

♠ 10 7 3

♥ K Q 8 3

♦ K Q 9

♣ K 8 6

♠ 9 2

♥ 9 7 5 4 2

♦ 8 3

♣ 10 7 5 4

♠ K Q J 8 6

♥ A 10

♦ A 5

♣ A Q 9 3

W

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Shape 3433 2524 5224 3262 HCP 13 0 20 7 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	3 NT	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	5 ♣ ²	Pass	4 NT ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

364 boards f

6BAD37CCE99638A253CBC067A372

Board 51

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9

♥ Q 6 5

♦ K 10 4

♣ K 7 6 4 3

♠ Q J 6 5

♥ K 9 2

♦ J 9 6

♣ Q 9 5

♠ A 10 8 3

♥ A J 8 4 3

♦ A Q

♣ A J

♠ 7 4 2

♥ 10 7

♦ 8 7 5 3 2

♣ 10 8 2

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Shape 2335 3253 4522 4333 HCP 11 0 20 9 Losers 7 11 6 9

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

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !H queen and !S king

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

381 boards f

788D95A3FF3B7CAFCFD2D80CAEE8

Board 52

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 7 6 5 2

♥ J 10 9

♦ K

♣ 9 5 4 2

♠ 10 4

♥ A 7 4

♦ 10 5 2

♣ Q J 10 8 7

♠ 9

♥ K 6 5

♦ A J 9 8 7 4 3

♣ 6 3

♠ A K Q 8 3

♥ Q 8 3 2

♦ Q 6

♣ A K

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Shape 2335 1372 5422 5314 HCP 7 8 20 5 Losers 9 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	3 ♦	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
3 ♠ by South
Down 1 — NS -50

385 boards f

8AAE99F585DB5BE01B1FB7805C30

Board 53

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 10 8

♥ Q 5 2

♦ 8 4 2

♣ 8 4 3 2

W

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♠ 7 6 2

♥ J 4

♦ A 6 3

♣ 10 9 7 6 5

♠ 9 3

♥ K 10 9 7 6 3

♦ K 10 9 7

♣ A

♠ A K J 5 4

♥ A 8

♦ Q J 5

♣ K Q J

Shape 3235 2641 5233 3334 HCP 5 10 21 4 Losers 10 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	2 ♥	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass			Pass
3 ♠ by South			
Made 4 — NS +170			

388 boards f

8A66A66E0D089FD970EDE3C09C18

Board 54

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 6 5 4
♥ 7
♦ 7 5 4
♣ 10 7 4 3 2

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♠ J 10 2
♥ J 10 4
♦ Q J 9 6 3
♣ 9 5

♠ A Q 7
♥ 9 8 3 2
♦ 10 8 2
♣ A K Q

♠ K 9 3
♥ A K Q 6 5
♦ A K
♣ J 8 6

Shape 3352 3433 3523 4135 HCP 5 15 20 0 Losers 10 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Rdbl
2 ♣	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
3 ♥ by South			
Made 4 — NS +170			

406 boards f

9BAD0F1BB850E7434432BE9A95FC

Board 55

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

	♠ A J 5 4 3
	♥ A 9
	♦ A K 5 2
	♣ A 3



Shape 3334 3433 5242 2434 HCP 13 2 20 5 Losers 7 11 5 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. !S queen and !C king

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

424 boards f

A9A19F099F7B4DB60C6CDE0E7395

Board 56

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5

♥ 10 8 3

♦ K J 9 7 6 5 4

♣ 7 6

♠ Q 7 4

♥ Q 9 7 4

♦ A 3

♣ K J 10 3

♠ 10 9 6 3

♥ K J 5 2

♦ 8 2

♣ 8 5 4

W

S

N

E

♠ A K J 8 2

♥ A 6

♦ Q 10

♣ A Q 9 2

Shape 3424 4423 5224 1372 HCP 12 4 20 4 Losers 7 10 5 8

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

1. forcing 1 NT
 2. surplus
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
 - 7 ♣ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50

425 boards f

ABDDAF2B3E4A27B8DC6A444261C4

Board 57

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 7 2

♥ J 8

♦ Q 10 8 6

♣ 8 7 5 2

♠ Q J 9

♥ 10 5 4 2

♦ 9 5 2

♣ K Q 9

♠ 10 6 5 4 3

♥ A 7

♦ 4 3

♣ J 10 6 4

W

N

E

S

♠ K 8

♥ K Q 9 6 3

♦ A K J 7

♣ A 3

Shape 3433 5224 2542 3244 HCP 8 5 20 7 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥
4 ♥ by South			
Made 5 — NS +650			

429 boards f

A82167852B4CCA9CE20D5C9AE434

Board 58

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

Shape 4432 3343 3523 3145 HCP 12 3 20 5 Losers 8 11 5 8

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

1. surplus
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=1/5 or 4/5
 6. !H queen and !C king
- 6 ♥ by South
 Made 6 — NS +980

451 boards f

CBE1AF4C6866F4B1C637124E14EC

Board 59

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 9 7 2

♥ 9 8 6

♦ J

♣ Q J 9 3 2

♠ 6 5 3

♥ Q 7 4

♦ 10 9 7 6 3

♣ K 6

♠ Q J 10 4

♥ 5 3

♦ A 8 5

♣ 10 7 5 4

♠ K 8

♥ A K J 10 2

♦ K Q 4 2

♣ A 8

W

N

E

S

Shape 3352 4234 2542 4315 HCP 5 7 20 8 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♥
1 ♥ by South			
Made 5 — NS +200			

457 boards f

CB252FA261F0B0457CC8621B3F77

Board 60

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 6

♥ 10 9 7 3 2

♦ 6 4

♣ 10 9 7 6

W

N

E

S

♠ J 8 7 5 2

♥ 4

♦ Q J 10 9 5

♣ Q 5

♠ Q 9

♥ A K Q J 5

♦ K 7 3

♣ A J 8

Shape 4234 5152 2533 2524 HCP 14 6 20 0 Losers 7 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
6 N by South			
Made 6 — NS +1440			

460 boards f

CBAD84144C95FA8237F212E57B99

Board 61

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

	♠	♥	♦	♣
	9	9	9	K
	6	7	3	Q
	4	6	2	J

	♠	♥	♦	♣
	A	A	A	A
	K	4	J	10
	10			4
	8			2
	2			

Shape 3352 2434 5224 3433 HCP 11 3 20 6 Losers 7 10 5 10

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

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !S queen and !H king

6 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1460

466 boards f

D9A399A607F5724EFC1FE6B3F987

Board 62

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 7 5 3

♥ 10 9 7 4 3

♦ 8 7 6

♣ 7

♠ J 6

♥ J 8 2

♦ A 9 4

♣ A J 6 4 2

♠ 9 8

♥ K 6

♦ Q J 10 5 2

♣ Q 9 8 5

♠ A K Q 4 2

♥ A Q 5

♦ K 3

♣ K 10 3

W

N

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S

Shape 2335 2254 5323 4531 HCP 11 8 21 0 Losers 9 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 6 — NS +490

470 boards f

DBA72F29EC47B2DE32F946D88063

Board 63

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 6 4

♥ 9 7 6

♦ Q 6 4

♣ J 4 3

♠ K Q 7

♥ 10 5 3

♦ A 10 5

♣ A K 10 2

♠ 10 5 2

♥ 8 4

♦ 9 7 3 2

♣ 9 8 7 5

♠ A 9 3

♥ A K Q J 2

♦ K J 8

♣ Q 6

W N E S

Shape 3334 3244 3532 4333 HCP 16 0 20 4 Losers 7 11 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
6 ♥ by South			
Made 7 — NS +1460			

478 boards f

DABFA5BC24B6FBDE114B4A3B90D7

Board 64

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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



Shape 3235 2443 5242 3523 HCP 11 0 20 9 Losers 8 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♥ ³	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

480 boards f

E8A9AB14BDF790D548471E628A3C

Board 65

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8
♥ J 10 2
♦ Q 10 8 6
♣ Q 9 7 2

♠ Q 5 2
♥ 7 6 3
♦ A K 7 3
♣ K 10 6

♠ 7 6 4
♥ Q 9 8 5
♦ J 5 2
♣ 5 4 3

♠ A K J 9 3
♥ A K 4
♦ 9 4
♣ A J 8

W

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S

Shape 3343 3433 5323 2344 HCP 12 3 20 5 Losers 8 11 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
6 ♠ by South
Made 6 — NS +980

485 boards f

E9A3AB9F91389B54763279CF3CC6

Board 66

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ 8 7 5

♥ Q J 9 8

♦ 8 7 2

♣ 7 6 2

N

W E

S

	♠ A K Q J 9
	♥ A K
	♦ K 10 9 5
	♣ J 5

Shape 3235 3433 5242 2533 HCP 14 3 21 2 Losers 7 11 4 10

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

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

7 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1510

494 boards f

EA87A9BB2B6CE17C1CC2AC4A3650

Board 67

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 10 8 4 2
♥ 7 2
♦ K Q J 4
♣ 6 4 3

♠ A K Q 5
♥ K J 10 9 5
♦ A 3
♣ K 9

Shape 3343 4243 4522 2335 HCP 12 6 20 2 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
 6 ♥ by South
 Made 6 — NS +1430