

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 1	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	
Vul: NS	♦ A975	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQJ97	

Board: 2	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K82	
Vul: EW	♦ A1087	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK95	

Board: 3	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ9742	
Vul: Both	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ96	

Board: 4	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1032	
Vul: NS	♦ K98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K94	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ 8
♥ K7
♦ A975
♣ AKQJ97

South:
♠ A94
♥ AQJ42
♦ KQ3
♣ 52

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
Pass	6NT	AP	
1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 2
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ J5
♥ K82
♦ A1087
♣ AK95

South:
♠ AKQ1062
♥ AJ1096
♦ Q5
♣ —

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♠	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	6♠	Pass	
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 3
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ 6
♥ AQ9742
♦ A7
♣ AQ96

South:
♠ AQJ
♥ J63
♦ KQJ6
♣ J75

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

Board: 4
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ Q9
♥ AK1032
♦ K98
♣ K94

South:
♠ AKJ1085
♥ 76
♦ AQ52
♣ A

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

AP

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5
4. ♠ queen and ♣ king

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 1	♠ A94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ42	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 52	

Board: 2	♠ AKQ1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1096	
Vul: EW	♦ Q5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Board: 3	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J63	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J75	

Board: 4	♠ AKJ1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 76	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ 8
♥ K7
♦ A975
♣ AKQJ97

South:
♠ A94
♥ AQJ42
♦ KQ3
♣ 52

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
Pass	6NT	AP	
1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 2
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ J5
♥ K82
♦ A1087
♣ AK95

South:
♠ AKQ1062
♥ AJ1096
♦ Q5
♣ —

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♠	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	6♠	Pass	
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 3
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ 6
♥ AQ9742
♦ A7
♣ AQ96

South:
♠ AQJ
♥ J63
♦ KQJ6
♣ J75

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

Board: 4
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ Q9
♥ AK1032
♦ K98
♣ K94

South:
♠ AKJ1085
♥ 76
♦ AQ52
♣ A

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

AP

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5
4. ♠ queen and ♣ king

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Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 5	♠ AK9863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ53	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ —	

Board: 6	♠ J1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: None	♦ AK7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ83	

Board: 7	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ107	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ1075	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ —	

Board: 8	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10874	
Vul: Both	♦ AK7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q52	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 5
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 7♠ S

North:
 ♠ AK9863
 ♥ AQ53
 ♦ KQ6
 ♣ —

South:
 ♠ Q104
 ♥ K6
 ♦ A754
 ♣ AQ54

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

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

Board: 6
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ J1053
 ♥ A9
 ♦ AK7
 ♣ AJ83

South:
 ♠ KQ
 ♥ KQJ102
 ♦ Q10432
 ♣ K

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 7
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6N S

North:
 ♠ KQ10
 ♥ KJ107
 ♦ AKJ1075
 ♣ —

South:
 ♠ A54
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ Q64
 ♣ KJ854

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

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

Board: 8
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♣ N

North:
 ♠ A5
 ♥ K10874
 ♦ AK7
 ♣ Q52

South:
 ♠ Q
 ♥ A3
 ♦ Q10854
 ♣ AKJ43

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

1. Minors

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Board: 5	♠ Q104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: Both	♦ A754	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ54	

Board: 6	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ102	
Vul: None	♦ Q10432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 7	♠ A54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ Q64	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ854	

Board: 8	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ43	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 5
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 7♠ S

North:
 ♠ AK9863
 ♥ AQ53
 ♦ KQ6
 ♣ —

South:
 ♠ Q104
 ♥ K6
 ♦ A754
 ♣ AQ54

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

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

Board: 6
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ J1053
 ♥ A9
 ♦ AK7
 ♣ AJ83

South:
 ♠ KQ
 ♥ KQJ102
 ♦ Q10432
 ♣ K

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 7
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6N S

North:
 ♠ KQ10
 ♥ KJ107
 ♦ AKJ1075
 ♣ —

South:
 ♠ A54
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ Q64
 ♣ KJ854

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

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

Board: 8
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♣ N

North:
 ♠ A5
 ♥ K10874
 ♦ AK7
 ♣ Q52

South:
 ♠ Q
 ♥ A3
 ♦ Q10854
 ♣ AKJ43

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

1. Minors

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Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 9	♠ J	East Doubles 7♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1054	
Vul: None	♦ AJ9843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	
Board: 10	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ	
Vul: NS	♦ J64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ1076	
Board: 11	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10542	
Vul: EW	♦ Q763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	
Board: 12	♠ AKQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J3	
Vul: None	♦ AK64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 765	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 9
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥X S

North:
♠ J
♥ AQ1054
♦ AJ9843
♣ A

South:
♠ AK65
♥ KJ86
♦ 76
♣ KQ7

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
Pass	7♥	X	AP

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

Board: 10
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ K7
♥ AKJ
♦ J64
♣ AJ1076

South:
♠ AQ98
♥ 42
♦ AKQ1093
♣ K

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♣ ⁴
Pass	7NT	AP	

1. Stayman
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. ♦ queen and ♣ king

Board: 11
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ K5
♥ AK10542
♦ Q763
♣ A

South:
♠ AQ10
♥ QJ87
♦ AK5
♣ 1097

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠ ³
Pass	6♥	AP	

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

Board: 12
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AKQ8
♥ J3
♦ AK64
♣ 765

South:
♠ 2
♥ AKQ84
♦ Q9
♣ AK1032

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

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Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 9	♠ AK65	East Doubles 7♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ86	
Vul: None	♦ 76	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ7	
Board: 10	♠ AQ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 42	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K	
Board: 11	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ87	
Vul: EW	♦ AK5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 1097	
Board: 12	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ84	
Vul: None	♦ Q9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK1032	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 9
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥X S

North:
♠ J
♥ AQ1054
♦ AJ9843
♣ A

South:
♠ AK65
♥ KJ86
♦ 76
♣ KQ7

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
Pass	7♥	X	AP

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

Board: 10
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ K7
♥ AKJ
♦ J64
♣ AJ1076

South:
♠ AQ98
♥ 42
♦ AKQ1093
♣ K

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♣ ⁴
Pass	7NT	AP	

1. Stayman
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. ♦ queen and ♣ king

Board: 11
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ K5
♥ AK10542
♦ Q763
♣ A

South:
♠ AQ10
♥ QJ87
♦ AK5
♣ 1097

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠ ³
Pass	6♥	AP	

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

Board: 12
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AKQ8
♥ J3
♦ AK64
♣ 765

South:
♠ 2
♥ AKQ84
♦ Q9
♣ AK1032

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

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Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 13	♠ A53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ62	

Board: 14	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J97	
Vul: Both	♦ A1062	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ4	

Board: 15	♠ A8643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ1064	

Board: 16	♠ J94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1085	
Vul: Both	♦ A32	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A53	♠ KQJ98				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ —	♥ AQ8	Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♦
North HCP: 18	♦ KQ863	♦ A105	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AKQ62	♣ 97				
Contract: 6N S			1. Minors			

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K4	♠ QJ1073		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ J97	♥ AKQ42	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ A1062	♦ KQ	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ AKJ4	♣ Q				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8643	♠ Q2				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ AK84	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ A	♦ KJ	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ AQJ1064	♣ K8752	Pass	4♣	Pass	5♣
Contract: 6♣ N			Pass	6♣	AP	

Board: 16	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J94	♠ AK832		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ KQ1085	♥ —	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 15	♦ A32	♦ KQ7	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 17	♣ KQ	♣ AJ862	Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5♥
Contract: 6N N			Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	6NT
			AP			
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			
			3. no ♠ queen			

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Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 13	♠ KQJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ8	
Vul: EW	♦ A105	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 97	

Board: 14	♠ QJ1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ42	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q	

Board: 15	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK84	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K8752	

Board: 16	♠ AK832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ862	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A53	♠ KQJ98				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ —	♥ AQ8	Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♦
North HCP: 18	♦ KQ863	♦ A105	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AKQ62	♣ 97				
Contract: 6N S			1. Minors			

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K4	♠ QJ1073		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ J97	♥ AKQ42	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ A1062	♦ KQ	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ AKJ4	♣ Q				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8643	♠ Q2				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ AK84	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ A	♦ KJ	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ AQJ1064	♣ K8752	Pass	4♣	Pass	5♣
Contract: 6♣ N			Pass	6♣	AP	

Board: 16	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J94	♠ AK832		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ KQ1085	♥ —	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 15	♦ A32	♦ KQ7	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 17	♣ KQ	♣ AJ862	Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5♥
Contract: 6N N			Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	6NT
			AP			
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
			2. A=1/5 or 4/5			
			3. no ♠ queen			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 17	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ1097	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K3	
Board: 18	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ6	
Vul: EW	♦ AK852	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A84	
Board: 19	♠ AKJ94	East Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 105	
Board: 20	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q943	
Vul: None	♦ A9732	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K5	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 17
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ 3
♥ AJ1097
♦ AKQ103
♣ K3

South:
♠ AKJ86
♥ K63
♦ 72
♣ A72

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
Pass	5♠	Pass	6♥ ³
AP			

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

Board: 18
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 21
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ J10
♥ QJ6
♦ AK852
♣ A84

South:
♠ AKQ954
♥ AK54
♦ Q
♣ K5

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹

Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	7♠
AP			

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

Board: 19
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AKJ94
♥ 4
♦ AKJ106
♣ 105

South:
♠ 865
♥ A108
♦ Q43
♣ AKQ8

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	X	2♠
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♣ 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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 20
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 5♦ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ Q943
♦ A9732
♣ K5

South:
♠ —
♥ AK10
♦ KQ1064
♣ A9832

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹

Pass	5♦	AP	
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1. Minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 17	♠ AKJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K63	
Vul: None	♦ 72	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A72	
Board: 18	♠ AKQ954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK54	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 21	♣ K5	
Board: 19	♠ 865	East Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A108	
Vul: Both	♦ Q43	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ8	
Board: 20	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A9832	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 17
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ 3
♥ AJ1097
♦ AKQ103
♣ K3

South:
♠ AKJ86
♥ K63
♦ 72
♣ A72

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
Pass	5♠	Pass	6♥ ³
AP			

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

Board: 18
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 21
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ J10
♥ QJ6
♦ AK852
♣ A84

South:
♠ AKQ954
♥ AK54
♦ Q
♣ K5

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹

Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	7♠
AP			

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

Board: 19
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AKJ94
♥ 4
♦ AKJ106
♣ 105

South:
♠ 865
♥ A108
♦ Q43
♣ AKQ8

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	X	2♠
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♣ 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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 20
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 5♦ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ Q943
♦ A9732
♣ K5

South:
♠ —
♥ AK10
♦ KQ1064
♣ A9832

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹

Pass	5♦	AP	
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1. Minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 21	♠ AQ983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ K	

Board: 22	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ75	
Vul: Both	♦ J64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ97	

Board: 23	♠ KQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ AKQ1082	

Board: 24	♠ AKQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: NS	♦ AK82	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 762	

Board: 25	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ AQJ107	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 21
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AQ983
♥ Q8
♦ AKJ93
♣ K

South:
♠ K7
♥ A963
♦ Q5
♣ AQ875

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

Board: 22
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ AQ
♥ KQ75
♦ J64
♣ AJ97

South:
♠ 4
♥ A9842
♦ AK
♣ KQ1042

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 23
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 20
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ KQJ8
♥ Q5
♦ K
♣ AKQ1082

South:
♠ A3
♥ AJ432
♦ AQ4
♣ J63

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

1. Stayman

Board: 24
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AKQ9
♥ J9
♦ AK82
♣ 762

South:
♠ 4
♥ AK1085
♦ Q9764
♣ AK

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

Board: 25
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 20
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ 10
♥ AK
♦ KQJ94
♣ AQJ107

South:
♠ AKQ9
♥ QJ75
♦ 1072
♣ K8

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

1. Minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 21	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A963	
Vul: NS	♦ Q5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ875	

Board: 22	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9842	
Vul: Both	♦ AK	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ1042	

Board: 23	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ432	
Vul: None	♦ AQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J63	

Board: 24	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1085	
Vul: NS	♦ Q9764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK	

Board: 25	♠ AKQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ75	
Vul: None	♦ 1072	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K8	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 21
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AQ983
♥ Q8
♦ AKJ93
♣ K

South:
♠ K7
♥ A963
♦ Q5
♣ AQ875

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

Board: 22
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ AQ
♥ KQ75
♦ J64
♣ AJ97

South:
♠ 4
♥ A9842
♦ AK
♣ KQ1042

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 23
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 20
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ KQJ8
♥ Q5
♦ K
♣ AKQ1082

South:
♠ A3
♥ AJ432
♦ AQ4
♣ J63

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

1. Stayman

Board: 24
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AKQ9
♥ J9
♦ AK82
♣ 762

South:
♠ 4
♥ AK1085
♦ Q9764
♣ AK

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

Board: 25
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 20
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ 10
♥ AK
♦ KQJ94
♣ AQJ107

South:
♠ AKQ9
♥ QJ75
♦ 1072
♣ K8

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

1. Minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 26	♠ K432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ76	
Vul: EW	♦ 965	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK	

Board: 27	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ62	
Vul: Both	♦ A954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K96	

Board: 28	♠ AQJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ	
Vul: NS	♦ A102	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q106	

Board: 29	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ96	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ1097	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K432	♠ A		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ AJ76	♥ KQ8532	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 15	♦ 965	♦ AQJ104	Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	7♥
South HCP: 16	♣ AK	♣ 8	AP			
Contract: 7♥ N			1. Texas			
			2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AQ9				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AKQJ62	♥ 73	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ A954	♦ KJ1072	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
South HCP: 16	♣ K96	♣ AQ10	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Texas			
			2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ54	♠ K		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ QJ	♥ AK1095	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 16	♦ A102	♦ Q4	Pass	3♠	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 16	♣ Q106	♣ A9532	AP			
Contract: 6N N						

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ AQ754				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AKJ96	♥ Q5	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ 9	♦ AQ8	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 17	♣ AQJ1097	♣ K84	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 26	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ8532	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 8	

Board: 27	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 73	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ1072	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ10	

Board: 28	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1095	
Vul: NS	♦ Q4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A9532	

Board: 29	♠ AQ754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K84	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 26			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: EW	♠ K432	♠ A	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 15	♥ AJ76	♥ KQ8532	Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	7♥
South HCP: 16	♦ 965	♦ AQJ104	AP			
Contract: 7♥ N	♣ AK	♣ 8	1. Texas			
			2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 27			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: Both	♠ —	♠ AQ9	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♥ AKQJ62	♥ 73	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
South HCP: 16	♦ A954	♦ KJ1072	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ S	♣ K96	♣ AQ10	1. Texas			
			2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

Board: 28			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♠ AQJ54	♠ K	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 16	♥ QJ	♥ AK1095	Pass	3♠	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 16	♦ A102	♦ Q4	AP			
Contract: 6N N	♣ Q106	♣ A9532				

Board: 29			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: EW	♠ J	♠ AQ754	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♥ AKJ96	♥ Q5	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 17	♦ 9	♦ AQ8	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ N	♣ AQJ1097	♣ K84				

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 30	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K83	
Vul: Both	♦ J98	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK43	

Board: 31	♠ AKQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ76	
Vul: None	♦ 97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ 9	

Board: 32	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1094	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ5	

Board: 33	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK642	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 4	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 30
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ AJ9
♥ K83
♦ J98
♣ AK43

South:
♠ Q1062
♥ AQ
♦ AKQ643
♣ 9

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

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

Board: 31
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AKQ9
♥ AKQJ76
♦ 97
♣ 9

South:
♠ 52
♥ 1095
♦ AQJ2
♣ AKQ6

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 32
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ Q5
♥ Q1094
♦ AJ8
♣ KQJ5

South:
♠ AK9832
♥ AK65
♦ 10
♣ A4

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5
4. ♠ queen and ♣ king

Board: 33
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ Q6
♥ AK642
♦ AQJ109
♣ 4

South:
♠ A9843
♥ Q10
♦ K84
♣ AKJ

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 30	♠ Q1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 9	

Board: 31	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1095	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ6	

Board: 32	♠ AK9832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK65	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A4	

Board: 33	♠ A9843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: NS	♦ K84	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 30
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ AJ9
♥ K83
♦ J98
♣ AK43

South:
♠ Q1062
♥ AQ
♦ AKQ643
♣ 9

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

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

Board: 31
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AKQ9
♥ AKQJ76
♦ 97
♣ 9

South:
♠ 52
♥ 1095
♦ AQJ2
♣ AKQ6

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 32
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ Q5
♥ Q1094
♦ AJ8
♣ KQJ5

South:
♠ AK9832
♥ AK65
♦ 10
♣ A4

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5
4. ♠ queen and ♣ king

Board: 33
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ Q6
♥ AK642
♦ AQJ109
♣ 4

South:
♠ A9843
♥ Q10
♦ K84
♣ AKJ

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 34	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A42	
Vul: Both	♦ A9643	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ10	

Board: 35	♠ AQ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ865	
Vul: None	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 4	

Board: 36	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1096	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1064	

Board: 37	♠ AQJ954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: EW	♦ Q9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK94	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 34
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ QJ
♥ A42
♦ A9643
♣ KQ10

South:
♠ 7
♥ KQJ105
♦ KQ
♣ AJ952

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	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)=0

Board: 35
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AQ104
♥ AKJ865
♦ K3
♣ 4

South:
♠ K97
♥ Q932
♦ AJ
♣ AQJ3

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

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

Board: 36
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ A8
♥ J1096
♦ AQ8
♣ A1064

South:
♠ KQJ974
♥ AK85
♦ K54
♣ —

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

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

Board: 37
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AQJ954
♥ 9
♦ Q9
♣ AK94

South:
♠ 82
♥ AQJ
♦ AK62
♣ QJ32

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 34	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ105	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ952	
Board: 35	♠ K97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q932	
Vul: None	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ3	
Board: 36	♠ KQJ974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK85	
Vul: NS	♦ K54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	
Board: 37	♠ 82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ	
Vul: EW	♦ AK62	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ32	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 34
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ QJ
♥ A42
♦ A9643
♣ KQ10

South:
♠ 7
♥ KQJ105
♦ KQ
♣ AJ952

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	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)=0

Board: 35
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AQ104
♥ AKJ865
♦ K3
♣ 4

South:
♠ K97
♥ Q932
♦ AJ
♣ AQJ3

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

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

Board: 36
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ A8
♥ J1096
♦ AQ8
♣ A1064

South:
♠ KQJ974
♥ AK85
♦ K54
♣ —

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

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

Board: 37
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AQJ954
♥ 9
♦ Q9
♣ AK94

South:
♠ 82
♥ AQJ
♦ AK62
♣ QJ32

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 38	♠ A65	West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 652	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ76	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ	
Board: 39	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ K10964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ874	
Board: 40	♠ QJ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A73	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ84	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A7	
Board: 41	♠ AK10975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K7	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 38
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ A65
♥ 652
♦ AQJ76
♣ AJ

South:
♠ KQJ983
♥ Q
♦ K3
♣ KQ65

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
X	2♠	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♣ ²	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 39
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♣ S

North:
♠ QJ
♥ A
♦ K10964
♣ AQ874

South:
♠ AK854
♥ 742
♦ A2
♣ KJ10

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♣
Pass	6NT	Pass	7♣
AP			
1. Minors			

Board: 40
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♣ N

North:
♠ QJ75
♥ A73
♦ KJ84
♣ A7

South:
♠ A
♥ J8
♦ AQ76
♣ KQ10542

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♥ ⁴	Pass	7♣
AP			
1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 41
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AK10975
♥ Q
♦ AQ87
♣ K7

South:
♠ QJ
♥ AK52
♦ J652
♣ AJ8

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠ ³
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 38	♠ KQJ983	West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ65	
Board: 39	♠ AK854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 742	
Vul: Both	♦ A2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ10	
Board: 40	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J8	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ10542	
Board: 41	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK52	
Vul: EW	♦ J652	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ8	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 38
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ A65
♥ 652
♦ AQJ76
♣ AJ

South:
♠ KQJ983
♥ Q
♦ K3
♣ KQ65

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
X	2♠	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♣ ²	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 39
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♣ S

North:
♠ QJ
♥ A
♦ K10964
♣ AQ874

South:
♠ AK854
♥ 742
♦ A2
♣ KJ10

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♣
Pass	6NT	Pass	7♣
AP			
1. Minors			

Board: 40
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♣ N

North:
♠ QJ75
♥ A73
♦ KJ84
♣ A7

South:
♠ A
♥ J8
♦ AQ76
♣ KQ10542

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♥ ⁴	Pass	7♣
AP			
1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 41
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AK10975
♥ Q
♦ AQ87
♣ K7

South:
♠ QJ
♥ AK52
♦ J652
♣ AJ8

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠ ³
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 42	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ753	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J2	

Board: 43	♠ AKQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 73	
Vul: None	♦ AQ10542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q	

Board: 44	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A102	
Vul: NS	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J9853	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 42
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♠ N

North:
 ♠ AQ10
 ♥ AJ5
 ♦ KJ753
 ♣ J2

South:
 ♠ KJ8652
 ♥ K
 ♦ 4
 ♣ AKQ98

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

Board: 43
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 7♠ S

North:
 ♠ AKQ7
 ♥ 73
 ♦ AQ10542
 ♣ Q

South:
 ♠ 10965
 ♥ AJ2
 ♦ KJ
 ♣ AK84

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♦ ³
Pass	4♥ ⁴	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♥ ⁶
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Stayman			
2. Splinter			
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
4. Cue bid, surplus			
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 44
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 7N N

North:
 ♠ AQ3
 ♥ A102
 ♦ A4
 ♣ J9853

South:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ K5
 ♦ KQJ962
 ♣ AKQ2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♣ ⁴	Pass	7NT
AP			
1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
4. A=0/5 or 3/5			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 42	♠ KJ8652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ98	

Board: 43	♠ 10965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ2	
Vul: None	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK84	

Board: 44	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ2	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 42
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AQ10
♥ AJ5
♦ KJ753
♣ J2

South:
♠ KJ8652
♥ K
♦ 4
♣ AKQ98

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

Board: 43
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ7
♥ 73
♦ AQ10542
♣ Q

South:
♠ 10965
♥ AJ2
♦ KJ
♣ AK84

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♦ ³
Pass	4♥ ⁴	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♥ ⁶
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Stayman			
2. Splinter			
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
4. Cue bid, surplus			
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 44
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ AQ3
♥ A102
♦ A4
♣ J9853

South:
♠ 5
♥ K5
♦ KQJ962
♣ AKQ2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♣ ⁴	Pass	7NT
AP			
1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
4. A=0/5 or 3/5			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 45	♠ AQ963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ107	
Vul: Both	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J3	

Board: 46	♠ 84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 932	
Vul: None	♦ AJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQJ2	

Board: 47	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ75	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ1097	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q10	

Board: 48	♠ Q42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ43	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q8	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 45
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AQ963
♥ AKQ107
♦ 5
♣ J3

South:
♠ K742
♥ 8543
♦ AK10
♣ AQ

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣ ⁴
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 46
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ 84
♥ 932
♦ AJ3
♣ AKQJ2

South:
♠ AKQ963
♥ A8
♦ K1086
♣ 5

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹

Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	7♠
AP			

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

Board: 47
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ J
♥ KQ75
♦ AKJ1097
♣ Q10

South:
♠ A5
♥ AJ932
♦ Q62
♣ A42

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♠ ²	Pass	4♣ ³
Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♣ ⁵
Pass	7♥	AP	

1. Stayman
2. Splinter
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 48
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 5♦ N

North:
♠ Q42
♥ AJ43
♦ AKJ4
♣ Q8

South:
♠ AKJ
♥ —
♦ Q9763
♣ AKJ104

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹

Pass	5♦	AP	
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1. Minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 45	♠ K742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8543	
Vul: Both	♦ AK10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ	

Board: 46	♠ AKQ963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: None	♦ K1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 5	

Board: 47	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ932	
Vul: NS	♦ Q62	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A42	

Board: 48	♠ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ Q9763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKJ104	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 45
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AQ963
♥ AKQ107
♦ 5
♣ J3

South:
♠ K742
♥ 8543
♦ AK10
♣ AQ

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣ ⁴
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 46
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ 84
♥ 932
♦ AJ3
♣ AKQJ2

South:
♠ AKQ963
♥ A8
♦ K1086
♣ 5

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹

Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	7♠
AP			

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

Board: 47
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ J
♥ KQ75
♦ AKJ1097
♣ Q10

South:
♠ A5
♥ AJ932
♦ Q62
♣ A42

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♠ ²	Pass	4♣ ³
Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♣ ⁵
Pass	7♥	AP	

1. Stayman
2. Splinter
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 48
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 5♦ N

North:
♠ Q42
♥ AJ43
♦ AKJ4
♣ Q8

South:
♠ AKJ
♥ —
♦ Q9763
♣ AKJ104

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹

Pass	5♦	AP	
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1. Minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 49	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: EW	♦ J965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQJ964	

Board: 50	♠ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ3	
Vul: Both	♦ K943	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J107	

Board: 51	♠ AQ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K86	

Board: 52	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1074	
Vul: EW	♦ Q64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ4	

Board: 53	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ104	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A8	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 49
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7N S

North:
♠ A
♥ AQ
♦ J965
♣ AQJ964

South:
♠ KQ654
♥ 985
♦ AKQ
♣ K10

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

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0

Board: 50
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ KQ5
♥ AQ3
♦ K943
♣ J107

South:
♠ 6
♥ 42
♦ AQJ86
♣ AKQ83

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

1. Minors

Board: 51
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ AQ54
♥ —
♦ AQJ854
♣ K86

South:
♠ KJ3
♥ AQ632
♦ 62
♣ AJ2

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

1. Stayman

Board: 52
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ K3
♥ K1074
♦ Q64
♣ AKQ4

South:
♠ AJ752
♥ A65
♦ AK987
♣ —

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

Board: 53
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ 5
♥ AQJ104
♦ KQJ54
♣ A8

South:
♠ KQJ8
♥ 65
♦ A96
♣ KQ103

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 49	♠ KQ654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 985	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K10	

Board: 50	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 42	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ83	

Board: 51	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ632	
Vul: NS	♦ 62	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ2	

Board: 52	♠ AJ752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A65	
Vul: EW	♦ AK987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Board: 53	♠ KQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	
Vul: Both	♦ A96	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ103	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 49
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7N S

North:
♠ A
♥ AQ
♦ J965
♣ AQJ964

South:
♠ KQ654
♥ 985
♦ AKQ
♣ K10

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
Pass	7NT	AP	
1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 50
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ KQ5
♥ AQ3
♦ K943
♣ J107

South:
♠ 6
♥ 42
♦ AQJ86
♣ AKQ83

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹
Pass	5♦	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Minors			

Board: 51
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ AQ54
♥ —
♦ AQJ854
♣ K86

South:
♠ KJ3
♥ AQ632
♦ 62
♣ AJ2

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	6♦	AP	
1. Stayman			

Board: 52
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ K3
♥ K1074
♦ Q64
♣ AKQ4

South:
♠ AJ752
♥ A65
♦ AK987
♣ —

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

Board: 53
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ 5
♥ AQJ104
♦ KQJ54
♣ A8

South:
♠ KQJ8
♥ 65
♦ A96
♣ KQ103

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 54	♠ Q83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ964	
Vul: None	♦ A85	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ	

Board: 55	♠ KQJ1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 72	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK104	

Board: 56	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ108	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ52	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K96	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 54
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♦ S

North:
 ♠ Q83
 ♥ KQ964
 ♦ A85
 ♣ AJ

South:
 ♠ AK105
 ♥ A7
 ♦ KQ9762
 ♣ 5

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	6♦
AP			
1. Stayman			

Board: 55
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 5♠ S

North:
 ♠ KQJ1097
 ♥ 72
 ♦ K
 ♣ AK104

South:
 ♠ 652
 ♥ AKQJ6
 ♦ Q43
 ♣ QJ

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

Board: 56
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 19
 Contract: 6♠ N

North:
 ♠ J6
 ♥ KQ108
 ♦ AQ52
 ♣ K96

South:
 ♠ AK7543
 ♥ A9
 ♦ J
 ♣ AQJ10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♦ ³	Pass	5♥
Pass	5♠ ⁴	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=1/5 or 4/5			
4. no ♠ queen			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 54	♠ AK105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: None	♦ KQ9762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 5	

Board: 55	♠ 652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ6	
Vul: EW	♦ Q43	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ	

Board: 56	♠ AK7543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: Both	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQJ10	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 54
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♦ S

North:
 ♠ Q83
 ♥ KQ964
 ♦ A85
 ♣ AJ

South:
 ♠ AK105
 ♥ A7
 ♦ KQ9762
 ♣ 5

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	6♦
AP			
1. Stayman			

Board: 55
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 5♠ S

North:
 ♠ KQJ1097
 ♥ 72
 ♦ K
 ♣ AK104

South:
 ♠ 652
 ♥ AKQJ6
 ♦ Q43
 ♣ QJ

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

Board: 56
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 19
 Contract: 6♠ N

North:
 ♠ J6
 ♥ KQ108
 ♦ AQ52
 ♣ K96

South:
 ♠ AK7543
 ♥ A9
 ♦ J
 ♣ AQJ10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♦ ³	Pass	5♥
Pass	5♠ ⁴	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=1/5 or 4/5			
4. no ♠ queen			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 57	♠ A954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: None	♦ AK10764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 5	

Board: 58	♠ AK53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ10	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ72	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 96	

Board: 59	♠ KQJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ A10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ1082	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 57
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ A954
♥ AJ
♦ AK10764
♣ 5

South:
♠ QJ8
♥ KQ83
♦ 98
♣ AK104

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

1. Stayman
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. no ♦ queen

Board: 58
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♦ N

North:
♠ AK53
♥ AQ10
♦ QJ72
♣ 96

South:
♠ 9
♥ 93
♦ AK8643
♣ AKQ5

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

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

Board: 59
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KQJ85
♥ J
♦ A10
♣ AJ1082

South:
♠ A63
♥ AK832
♦ KQ5
♣ 54

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 57	♠ QJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ83	
Vul: None	♦ 98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK104	

Board: 58	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 93	
Vul: NS	♦ AK8643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ5	

Board: 59	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK832	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 54	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 57
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ A954
♥ AJ
♦ AK10764
♣ 5

South:
♠ QJ8
♥ KQ83
♦ 98
♣ AK104

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

1. Stayman
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. no ♦ queen

Board: 58
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♦ N

North:
♠ AK53
♥ AQ10
♦ QJ72
♣ 96

South:
♠ 9
♥ 93
♦ AK8643
♣ AKQ5

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

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

Board: 59
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KQJ85
♥ J
♦ A10
♣ AJ1082

South:
♠ A63
♥ AK832
♦ KQ5
♣ 54

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 60	♠ QJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A94	
Vul: NS	♦ K103	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ107	

Board: 61	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ963	
Vul: EW	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ842	

Board: 62	♠ K43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A964	
Vul: None	♦ AQ104	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K9	

Board: 63	♠ AKQJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: NS	♦ 53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ72	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 60
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ QJ8
♥ A94
♦ K103
♣ AJ107

South:
♠ A
♥ KQJ102
♦ J7
♣ KQ865

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 61
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ KQ
♥ KQ963
♦ 10
♣ AQ842

South:
♠ AJ542
♥ A108
♦ A9
♣ K93

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

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

Board: 62
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ K43
♥ A964
♦ AQ104
♣ K9

South:
♠ A
♥ KQ1085
♦ K9532
♣ A3

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 63
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AKQJ104
♥ 3
♦ 53
♣ AQ72

South:
♠ 987
♥ KQ10
♦ AK84
♣ K64

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 60	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ102	
Vul: NS	♦ J7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ865	

Board: 61	♠ AJ542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A108	
Vul: EW	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K93	

Board: 62	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1085	
Vul: None	♦ K9532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A3	

Board: 63	♠ 987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ10	
Vul: NS	♦ AK84	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K64	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 60
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ QJ8
♥ A94
♦ K103
♣ AJ107

South:
♠ A
♥ KQJ102
♦ J7
♣ KQ865

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 61
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ KQ
♥ KQ963
♦ 10
♣ AQ842

South:
♠ AJ542
♥ A108
♦ A9
♣ K93

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

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

Board: 62
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ K43
♥ A964
♦ AQ104
♣ K9

South:
♠ A
♥ KQ1085
♦ K9532
♣ A3

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 63
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AKQJ104
♥ 3
♦ 53
♣ AQ72

South:
♠ 987
♥ KQ10
♦ AK84
♣ K64

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 64	♠ AQJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q32	
Vul: EW	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ9	

Board: 65	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ8743	
Vul: Both	♦ AK765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10	

Board: 66	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ76	
Vul: NS	♦ A1094	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J3	

Board: 67	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ653	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ85	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 64
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 7♥ N

North:
 ♠ AQJ53
 ♥ Q32
 ♦ Q3
 ♣ AQ9

South:
 ♠ 64
 ♥ AKJ96
 ♦ AKJ74
 ♣ 3

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

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

Board: 65
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 7♥ S

North:
 ♠ K
 ♥ AQ8743
 ♦ AK765
 ♣ 10

South:
 ♠ A1084
 ♥ KJ10
 ♦ Q9
 ♣ AK95

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

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

Board: 66
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 7N N

North:
 ♠ AK7
 ♥ AJ76
 ♦ A1094
 ♣ J3

South:
 ♠ 3
 ♥ K5
 ♦ KQJ53
 ♣ AK1097

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

1. Minors

Board: 67
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♥ S

North:
 ♠ AQ
 ♥ AKJ653
 ♦ 9
 ♣ QJ85

South:
 ♠ K1074
 ♥ Q8
 ♦ KJ87
 ♣ AK10

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 64	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ96	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 3	

Board: 65	♠ A1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK95	

Board: 66	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1097	

Board: 67	♠ K1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ87	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK10	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 64
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ AQJ53
♥ Q32
♦ Q3
♣ AQ9

South:
♠ 64
♥ AKJ96
♦ AKJ74
♣ 3

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

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

Board: 65
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ K
♥ AQ8743
♦ AK765
♣ 10

South:
♠ A1084
♥ KJ10
♦ Q9
♣ AK95

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

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

Board: 66
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ AK7
♥ AJ76
♦ A1094
♣ J3

South:
♠ 3
♥ K5
♦ KQJ53
♣ AK1097

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

1. Minors

Board: 67
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ AQ
♥ AKJ653
♦ 9
♣ QJ85

South:
♠ K1074
♥ Q8
♦ KJ87
♣ AK10

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 68	♠ A542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ7	
Vul: None	♦ Q62	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A105	

Board: 69	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ106	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q5	

Board: 70	♠ A752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q3	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q103	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 68
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ A542
♥ KQ7
♦ Q62
♣ A105

South:
♠ KQJ3
♥ A6
♦ AK10874
♣ 8

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

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

Board: 69
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ Q
♥ AQ106
♦ KQJ765
♣ Q5

South:
♠ AK10
♥ 974
♦ A10832
♣ A4

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

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

Board: 70
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ A752
♥ Q3
♦ AKQ3
♣ Q103

South:
♠ J
♥ AKJ986
♦ 85
♣ AK42

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 68	♠ KQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A6	
Vul: None	♦ AK10874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 8	

Board: 69	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 974	
Vul: Both	♦ A10832	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A4	

Board: 70	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ986	
Vul: None	♦ 85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK42	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 68
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ A542
♥ KQ7
♦ Q62
♣ A105

South:
♠ KQJ3
♥ A6
♦ AK10874
♣ 8

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

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

Board: 69
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ Q
♥ AQ106
♦ KQJ765
♣ Q5

South:
♠ AK10
♥ 974
♦ A10832
♣ A4

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

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

Board: 70
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ A752
♥ Q3
♦ AKQ3
♣ Q103

South:
♠ J
♥ AKJ986
♦ 85
♣ AK42

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 71	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ9862	
Vul: None	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ2	

Board: 72	♠ 1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ874	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ2	

Board: 73	♠ KQ754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ843	
Vul: None	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A	

Board: 74	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ6	
Vul: NS	♦ A973	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q73	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 71
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ KQ
♥ KQ9862
♦ 2
♣ AQJ2

South:
♠ J976
♥ A74
♦ AK54
♣ K6

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 72
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ 1075
♥ AQ874
♦ AQ
♣ KJ2

South:
♠ AKQ982
♥ 9
♦ K632
♣ A3

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

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

Board: 73
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ KQ754
♥ AJ843
♦ A4
♣ A

South:
♠ AJ8
♥ KQ9
♦ KJ92
♣ J87

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

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

Board: 74
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ AJ9
♥ KJ6
♦ A973
♣ Q73

South:
♠ KQ542
♥ A3
♦ 5
♣ AK1054

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 71	♠ J976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A74	
Vul: None	♦ AK54	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K6	

Board: 72	♠ AKQ982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: NS	♦ K632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A3	

Board: 73	♠ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ9	
Vul: None	♦ KJ92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J87	

Board: 74	♠ KQ542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: NS	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1054	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 71
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ KQ
♥ KQ9862
♦ 2
♣ AQJ2

South:
♠ J976
♥ A74
♦ AK54
♣ K6

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 72
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ 1075
♥ AQ874
♦ AQ
♣ KJ2

South:
♠ AKQ982
♥ 9
♦ K632
♣ A3

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

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

Board: 73
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ KQ754
♥ AJ843
♦ A4
♣ A

South:
♠ AJ8
♥ KQ9
♦ KJ92
♣ J87

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

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

Board: 74
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ AJ9
♥ KJ6
♦ A973
♣ Q73

South:
♠ KQ542
♥ A3
♦ 5
♣ AK1054

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 75	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ8653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ87	

Board: 76	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 83	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ82	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 862	

Board: 77	♠ KQ975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K9	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ —	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 75

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ Q10

♥ A

♦ KQ8653

♣ AQ87

South:

♠ AKJ

♥ KJ964

♦ A107

♣ 105

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♥ ⁴
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Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♥ ⁶
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Pass	7♦	AP	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 76

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AQ4

♥ 83

♦ AKQ82

♣ 862

South:

♠ J2

♥ AKJ1054

♦ 10

♣ AKQ10

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 77

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQ975

♥ K9

♦ AKQ543

♣ —

South:

♠ AJ86

♥ Q43

♦ 92

♣ AKQ5

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 75	♠ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ964	
Vul: EW	♦ A107	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 105	

Board: 76	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ1054	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ10	

Board: 77	♠ AJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q43	
Vul: NS	♦ 92	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ5	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 75

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ Q10

♥ A

♦ KQ8653

♣ AQ87

South:

♠ AKJ

♥ KJ964

♦ A107

♣ 105

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♥ ⁴
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Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♥ ⁶
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Pass	7♦	AP	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 76

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AQ4

♥ 83

♦ AKQ82

♣ 862

South:

♠ J2

♥ AKJ1054

♦ 10

♣ AKQ10

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 77

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQ975

♥ K9

♦ AKQ543

♣ —

South:

♠ AJ86

♥ Q43

♦ 92

♣ AKQ5

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 78	♠ AQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ5	
Vul: EW	♦ 82	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A975	

Board: 79	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ752	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ A108	

Board: 80	♠ KQ742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J6	
Vul: None	♦ Q102	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ	

Board: 81	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ98	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K73	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 78
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AQJ8
♥ AQ5
♦ 82
♣ A975

South:
♠ K4
♥ K987
♦ AKQJ109
♣ Q

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

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

Board: 79
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ —
♥ AKQ752
♦ AQ52
♣ A108

South:
♠ AQ6
♥ J96
♦ KJ8
♣ KQJ6

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

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

Board: 80
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ KQ742
♥ J6
♦ Q102
♣ AKQ

South:
♠ A3
♥ AK952
♦ AK873
♣ 10

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

Board: 81
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ —
♥ KQ98
♦ AKJ762
♣ K73

South:
♠ AJ982
♥ A74
♦ 1095
♣ AQ

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

1. Stayman

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 78	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K987	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQJ109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q	

Board: 79	♠ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J96	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ6	

Board: 80	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK952	
Vul: None	♦ AK873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 10	

Board: 81	♠ AJ982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A74	
Vul: Both	♦ 1095	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 78
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AQJ8
♥ AQ5
♦ 82
♣ A975

South:
♠ K4
♥ K987
♦ AKQJ109
♣ Q

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

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

Board: 79
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ —
♥ AKQ752
♦ AQ52
♣ A108

South:
♠ AQ6
♥ J96
♦ KJ8
♣ KQJ6

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

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

Board: 80
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ KQ742
♥ J6
♦ Q102
♣ AKQ

South:
♠ A3
♥ AK952
♦ AK873
♣ 10

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

Board: 81
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ —
♥ KQ98
♦ AKJ762
♣ K73

South:
♠ AJ982
♥ A74
♦ 1095
♣ AQ

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

1. Stayman

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 82	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K7	
Vul: NS	♦ A54	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ973	

Board: 83	♠ AJ2	East Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ —	East Doubles 7♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ10874	
HCP: 16	♣ AJ63	Partner bids first.

Board: 84	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ754	
Vul: NS	♦ J9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A105	

Board: 85	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1087	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ1042	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 82
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AQ9
♥ K7
♦ A54
♣ KJ973

South:
♠ K
♥ AQJ1063
♦ Q1072
♣ A2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 83
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♦ X S

North:
♠ AJ2
♥ —
♦ AQ10874
♣ AJ63

South:
♠ KQ9
♥ Q2
♦ KJ2
♣ KQ742

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
Pass	4♥ ³	X	4♠ ⁴
Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♦ ⁶
Pass	7♦	X	AP
1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds			
2. automat			
3. Splinter			
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
6. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 84
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AQ3
♥ AQ754
♦ J9
♣ A105

South:
♠ K
♥ 109
♦ AK1084
♣ KQJ74

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹
Pass	4NT	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Minors			

Board: 85
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ Q2
♥ K1087
♦ AKQ1042
♣ K

South:
♠ AJ107
♥ AQJ5
♦ 93
♣ A82

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	6♥	AP	
1. Stayman			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 82	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ1063	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A2	
Board: 83	♠ KQ9	East Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	East Doubles 7♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ2	
HCP: 16	♣ KQ742	You bid first.
Board: 84	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ74	
Board: 85	♠ AJ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ 93	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A82	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 82
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AQ9
♥ K7
♦ A54
♣ KJ973

South:
♠ K
♥ AQJ1063
♦ Q1072
♣ A2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6♥
	AP		
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 83
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♦ X S

North:
♠ AJ2
♥ —
♦ AQ10874
♣ AJ63

South:
♠ KQ9
♥ Q2
♦ KJ2
♣ KQ742

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
Pass	4♥ ³	X	4♠ ⁴
Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♦ ⁶
Pass	7♦	X	AP
1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds			
2. automat			
3. Splinter			
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
6. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 84
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AQ3
♥ AQ754
♦ J9
♣ A105

South:
♠ K
♥ 109
♦ AK1084
♣ KQJ74

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹
Pass	4NT	Pass	6NT
	AP		
1. Minors			

Board: 85
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ Q2
♥ K1087
♦ AKQ1042
♣ K

South:
♠ AJ107
♥ AQJ5
♦ 93
♣ A82

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	6♥	AP	
1. Stayman			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 86	♠ K103	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ6	
Vul: NS	♦ AK642	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 64	

Board: 87	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q52	
Vul: Both	♦ AK42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ652	

Board: 88	♠ AK9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A742	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ65	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K6	

Board: 89	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ108	
Vul: EW	♦ AK1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 10	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♣ S

North:
♠ K103
♥ KQ6
♦ AK642
♣ 64

South:
♠ AJ65
♥ —
♦ Q97
♣ AKQ1092

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

1. Stayman
2. Blackwood 0314, for N
3. A=1/4 or 4/4

Board: 87
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♣ S

North:
♠ —
♥ Q52
♦ AK42
♣ AKJ652

South:
♠ AKQ3
♥ K96
♦ QJ10
♣ Q74

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

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. ♣ queen and ♠ king

Board: 88
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AK9
♥ A742
♦ QJ65
♣ K6

South:
♠ 62
♥ K
♦ AK1092
♣ AQ873

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

1. Minors

Board: 89
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ 2
♥ AKQJ108
♦ AK1053
♣ 10

South:
♠ AQJ7
♥ 732
♦ 72
♣ AKQ6

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 86	♠ AJ65	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ Q97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ1092	
Board: 87	♠ AKQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K96	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q74	
Board: 88	♠ 62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1092	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ873	
Board: 89	♠ AQJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 732	
Vul: EW	♦ 72	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ6	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♣ S

North:
♠ K103
♥ KQ6
♦ AK642
♣ 64

South:
♠ AJ65
♥ —
♦ Q97
♣ AKQ1092

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

1. Stayman
2. Blackwood 0314, for N
3. A=1/4 or 4/4

Board: 87
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♣ S

North:
♠ —
♥ Q52
♦ AK42
♣ AKJ652

South:
♠ AKQ3
♥ K96
♦ QJ10
♣ Q74

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

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. ♣ queen and ♠ king

Board: 88
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AK9
♥ A742
♦ QJ65
♣ K6

South:
♠ 62
♥ K
♦ AK1092
♣ AQ873

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

1. Minors

Board: 89
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ 2
♥ AKQJ108
♦ AK1053
♣ 10

South:
♠ AQJ7
♥ 732
♦ 72
♣ AKQ6

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 90	♠ 97543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A82	
Vul: Both	♦ AK10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A4	

Board: 91	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ753	
Vul: None	♦ A8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ82	

Board: 92	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ 63	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ32	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 90
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♣ S

North:
♠ 97543
♥ A82
♦ AK10
♣ A4

South:
♠ AKJ10
♥ Q
♦ Q9
♣ KQJ1098

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

1. Stayman
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
4. A=0/5 or 3/5
5. no ♠ queen

Board: 91
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ 6
♥ KQJ753
♦ A8
♣ AQ82

South:
♠ AJ2
♥ A108
♦ KJ
♣ K10965

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 92
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 21
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ KQ4
♥ AKJ8
♦ 63
♣ QJ32

South:
♠ A8
♥ —
♦ AKQJ87
♣ AK984

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

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
6. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 90	♠ AKJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQJ1098	

Board: 91	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A108	
Vul: None	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K10965	

Board: 92	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQJ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 21	♣ AK984	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 90
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♣ S

North:
♠ 97543
♥ A82
♦ AK10
♣ A4

South:
♠ AKJ10
♥ Q
♦ Q9
♣ KQJ1098

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

1. Stayman
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
4. A=0/5 or 3/5
5. no ♠ queen

Board: 91
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ 6
♥ KQJ753
♦ A8
♣ AQ82

South:
♠ AJ2
♥ A108
♦ KJ
♣ K10965

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 92
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 21
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ KQ4
♥ AKJ8
♦ 63
♣ QJ32

South:
♠ A8
♥ —
♦ AKQJ87
♣ AK984

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

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
6. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 93	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ63	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 5	

Board: 94	♠ J87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK85	
Vul: None	♦ J7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK98	

Board: 95	♠ AK1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ1062	

Board: 96	♠ AK986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A62	
Vul: None	♦ 1065	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 93
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ A8
♥ AQJ63
♦ AJ764
♣ 5

South:
♠ K72
♥ K52
♦ K9
♣ AK1087

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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)=0

Board: 94
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ J87
♥ AK85
♦ J7
♣ AK98

South:
♠ AKQ93
♥ —
♦ AK1095
♣ J63

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

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

Board: 95
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AK1064
♥ —
♦ KQ8
♣ AJ1062

South:
♠ J73
♥ AQ83
♦ A105
♣ KQ5

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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: 96
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AK986
♥ A62
♦ 1065
♣ KJ

South:
♠ —
♥ Q1093
♦ AKQJ83
♣ A85

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

1. Stayman
2. Quantitative 4NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 93	♠ K72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K52	
Vul: Both	♦ K9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1087	

Board: 94	♠ AKQ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AK1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ J63	

Board: 95	♠ J73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ83	
Vul: Both	♦ A105	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ5	

Board: 96	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1093	
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A85	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 93
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ A8
♥ AQJ63
♦ AJ764
♣ 5

South:
♠ K72
♥ K52
♦ K9
♣ AK1087

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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)=0

Board: 94
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ J87
♥ AK85
♦ J7
♣ AK98

South:
♠ AKQ93
♥ —
♦ AK1095
♣ J63

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

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

Board: 95
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AK1064
♥ —
♦ KQ8
♣ AJ1062

South:
♠ J73
♥ AQ83
♦ A105
♣ KQ5

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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: 96
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AK986
♥ A62
♦ 1065
♣ KJ

South:
♠ —
♥ Q1093
♦ AKQJ83
♣ A85

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

1. Stayman
2. Quantitative 4NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 97	♠ A9532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K9	
Board: 98	♠ A10864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	
Vul: None	♦ K106	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ9	
Board: 99	♠ AKQ1073	West Doubles 5♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AK7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q1094	
Board: 100	♠ A72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K3	
Vul: EW	♦ A7652	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A85	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 97

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ A9532

♥ K

♦ AQ753

♣ K9

South:

♠ KQ76

♥ J52

♦ KJ8

♣ AJ8

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

Board: 98

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ A10864

♥ K5

♦ K106

♣ AQ9

South:

♠ KJ

♥ AQJ83

♦ Q

♣ KJ1062

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 99

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQ1073

♥ —

♦ AK7

♣ Q1094

South:

♠ 542

♥ A53

♦ QJ

♣ AKJ72

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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X	7♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 100

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ A72

♥ K3

♦ A7652

♣ A85

South:

♠ KQJ96

♥ AJ862

♦ K

♣ Q10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♣ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 97	♠ KQ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J52	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ8	
Board: 98	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ83	
Vul: None	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ1062	
Board: 99	♠ 542	West Doubles 5♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A53	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ72	
Board: 100	♠ KQJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ862	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q10	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 97

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ A9532

♥ K

♦ AQ753

♣ K9

South:

♠ KQ76

♥ J52

♦ KJ8

♣ AJ8

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♠²

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 98

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ A10864

♥ K5

♦ K106

♣ AQ9

South:

♠ KJ

♥ AQJ83

♦ Q

♣ KJ1062

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 6NT AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 99

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQ1073

♥ —

♦ AK7

♣ Q1094

South:

♠ 542

♥ A53

♦ QJ

♣ AKJ72

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

X 7♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 100

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ A72

♥ K3

♦ A7652

♣ A85

South:

♠ KQJ96

♥ AJ862

♦ K

♣ Q10

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♥

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♣² Pass 6♠

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 101	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A1083	
Board: 102	♠ AQJ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A104	
Vul: NS	♦ J84	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A10	
Board: 103	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ 10765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ1087	
Board: 104	♠ A853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J105	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ107	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 101
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7N S

North:
♠ Q
♥ A6
♦ AQJ852
♣ A1083

South:
♠ AK652
♥ K75
♦ K3
♣ QJ9

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
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Pass	7NT	AP	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 102
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AQJ97
♥ A104
♦ J84
♣ A10

South:
♠ —
♥ KJ63
♦ AKQ1032
♣ KQ2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3♠	Pass	6♦
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AP

1. Stayman

Board: 103
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♣ S

North:
♠ 6
♥ AK
♦ 10765
♣ AKQ1087

South:
♠ KJ8
♥ QJ98
♦ AKQ2
♣ J5

West	North	East	South
			1NT

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. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 104
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ A853
♥ J105
♦ AQ107
♣ AQ

South:
♠ K
♥ AKQ732
♦ KJ96
♣ J5

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹

Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	7♥
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AP

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 101	♠ AK652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K75	
Vul: Both	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ9	
Board: 102	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ63	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ1032	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ2	
Board: 103	♠ KJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ98	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ2	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J5	
Board: 104	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ732	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ J5	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 101
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7N S

North:
♠ Q
♥ A6
♦ AQJ852
♣ A1083

South:
♠ AK652
♥ K75
♦ K3
♣ QJ9

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
Pass	7NT	AP	

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 102
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AQJ97
♥ A104
♦ J84
♣ A10

South:
♠ —
♥ KJ63
♦ AKQ1032
♣ KQ2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♠	Pass	6♦
AP			

1. Stayman

Board: 103
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♣ S

North:
♠ 6
♥ AK
♦ 10765
♣ AKQ1087

South:
♠ KJ8
♥ QJ98
♦ AKQ2
♣ J5

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦ ⁴
Pass	6♣	AP	

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 104
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ A853
♥ J105
♦ AQ107
♣ AQ

South:
♠ K
♥ AKQ732
♦ KJ96
♣ J5

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹

Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	7♥
AP			

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 105	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ3	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ108	
Board: 106	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K62	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ864	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 73	
Board: 107	♠ AK1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ K2	
Board: 108	♠ A95	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ6	
Vul: None	♦ 10865	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A4	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 105
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ —
♥ KQ3
♦ KQJ1095
♣ AJ108

South:
♠ AQ1084
♥ A108
♦ A7
♣ Q93

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

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 106
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ AQ4
♥ K62
♦ AQ864
♣ 73

South:
♠ K9
♥ AQ873
♦ —
♣ AK9864

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

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

Board: 107
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AK1084
♥ J
♦ AKJ32
♣ K2

South:
♠ QJ952
♥ AQ
♦ Q98
♣ A53

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 108
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠X N

North:
♠ A95
♥ AQJ6
♦ 10865
♣ A4

South:
♠ KQJ106
♥ 2
♦ AKJ432
♣ Q

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 105	♠ AQ1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A108	
Vul: None	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q93	
Board: 106	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ873	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK9864	
Board: 107	♠ QJ952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: Both	♦ Q98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A53	
Board: 108	♠ KQJ106	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 105
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ —
♥ KQ3
♦ KQJ1095
♣ AJ108

South:
♠ AQ1084
♥ A108
♦ A7
♣ Q93

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

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 106
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ AQ4
♥ K62
♦ AQ864
♣ 73

South:
♠ K9
♥ AQ873
♦ —
♣ AK9864

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

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

Board: 107
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AK1084
♥ J
♦ AKJ32
♣ K2

South:
♠ QJ952
♥ AQ
♦ Q98
♣ A53

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 108
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠X N

North:
♠ A95
♥ AQJ6
♦ 10865
♣ A4

South:
♠ KQJ106
♥ 2
♦ AKJ432
♣ Q

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 109	♠ Q92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ102	
Board: 110	♠ 10987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK74	
Vul: Both	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ4	
Board: 111	♠ A2	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ2	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ10854	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 109

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ Q92

♥ —

♦ AKJ985

♣ AQ102

South:

♠ A103

♥ AQ6

♦ Q74

♣ KJ87

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	4♥ ³	Pass	4♠ ⁴
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Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♠ ⁶
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Splinter

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 110

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ 10987

♥ AK74

♦ A3

♣ KJ4

South:

♠ AKJ643

♥ Q

♦ KQ876

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹

Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 111

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ A2

♥ AQJ2

♦ 6

♣ AQ10854

South:

♠ KJ76

♥ 963

♦ AK

♣ KJ92

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	3♦	Pass
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for N

3. A=1/4 or 4/4

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 109	♠ A103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ6	
Vul: NS	♦ Q74	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ87	

Board: 110	♠ AKJ643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q	

Board: 111	♠ KJ76	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 963	
Vul: None	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ92	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 109

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ Q92

♥ —

♦ AKJ985

♣ AQ102

South:

♠ A103

♥ AQ6

♦ Q74

♣ KJ87

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	4♥ ³	Pass	4♠ ⁴
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Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♠ ⁶
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Splinter

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 110

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ 10987

♥ AK74

♦ A3

♣ KJ4

South:

♠ AKJ643

♥ Q

♦ KQ876

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 111

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ A2

♥ AQJ2

♦ 6

♣ AQ10854

South:

♠ KJ76

♥ 963

♦ AK

♣ KJ92

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	3♦	Pass
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for N

3. A=1/4 or 4/4

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 112	♠ AKJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ2	
Vul: NS	♦ Q109	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K8	

Board: 113	♠ KQ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK9642	
Vul: EW	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A3	

Board: 114	♠ AK6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 63	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K643	

Board: 115	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A1085	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 112

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ AKJ62

♥ KJ2

♦ Q109

♣ K8

South:

♠ —

♥ A8

♦ AKJ875

♣ A9753

West North East South

1NT Pass 3♣¹

Pass 3♦² Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♦⁴ Pass 6♦

AP

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 113

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ KQ54

♥ AK9642

♦ 6

♣ A3

South:

♠ 86

♥ QJ5

♦ AK9

♣ KQ1065

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 114

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♣ S

North:

♠ AK6

♥ 63

♦ AQJ10

♣ K643

South:

♠ Q108

♥ AKQ54

♦ —

♣ AQ875

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

Pass 7♣ AP

Board: 115

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ 4

♥ AQ

♦ KQJ853

♣ A1085

South:

♠ AK9

♥ K8654

♦ 64

♣ KQ4

West North East South

1NT

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 6♦ AP

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 112	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A9753	
Board: 113	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ AK9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ1065	
Board: 114	♠ Q108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ54	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ875	
Board: 115	♠ AK9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8654	
Vul: NS	♦ 64	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ4	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 112
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♦ N

North:
 ♠ AKJ62
 ♥ KJ2
 ♦ Q109
 ♣ K8

South:
 ♠ —
 ♥ A8
 ♦ AKJ875
 ♣ A9753

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♦ ⁴	Pass	6♦
AP			
1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
4. A=1/5 or 4/5			

Board: 113
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♥ S

North:
 ♠ KQ54
 ♥ AK9642
 ♦ 6
 ♣ A3

South:
 ♠ 86
 ♥ QJ5
 ♦ AK9
 ♣ KQ1065

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

Board: 114
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 7♣ S

North:
 ♠ AK6
 ♥ 63
 ♦ AQJ10
 ♣ K643

South:
 ♠ Q108
 ♥ AKQ54
 ♦ —
 ♣ AQ875

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
Pass	7♣	AP	

Board: 115
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♦ N

North:
 ♠ 4
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ KQJ853
 ♣ A1085

South:
 ♠ AK9
 ♥ K8654
 ♦ 64
 ♣ KQ4

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 116	♠ A952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q43	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 95	

Board: 117	♠ AKQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ984	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q8	

Board: 118	♠ Q104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1072	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ	

Board: 119	♠ AQJ754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J3	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A1085	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 116
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ A952
♥ Q43
♦ AKQ6
♣ 95

South:
♠ KQ1074
♥ AK876
♦ 3
♣ A4

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 117
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ62
♥ 7
♦ AJ984
♣ Q8

South:
♠ 1043
♥ AK9
♦ KQ52
♣ A62

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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: 118
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ Q104
♥ AJ1072
♦ QJ6
♣ AQ

South:
♠ AK652
♥ K9
♦ K
♣ K10873

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	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)=1

Board: 119
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AQJ754
♥ J3
♦ A
♣ A1085

South:
♠ K6
♥ AQ108
♦ J9843
♣ KQ

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 116	♠ KQ1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK876	
Vul: EW	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A4	

Board: 117	♠ 1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK9	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ52	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A62	

Board: 118	♠ AK652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9	
Vul: NS	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K10873	

Board: 119	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ108	
Vul: EW	♦ J9843	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 116
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ A952
♥ Q43
♦ AKQ6
♣ 95

South:
♠ KQ1074
♥ AK876
♦ 3
♣ A4

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 117
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ62
♥ 7
♦ AJ984
♣ Q8

South:
♠ 1043
♥ AK9
♦ KQ52
♣ A62

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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: 118
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ Q104
♥ AJ1072
♦ QJ6
♣ AQ

South:
♠ AK652
♥ K9
♦ K
♣ K10873

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	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)=1

Board: 119
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AQJ754
♥ J3
♦ A
♣ A1085

South:
♠ K6
♥ AQ108
♦ J9843
♣ KQ

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 120	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 743	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ643	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ9	
Board: 121	♠ KQ532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 5	
Board: 122	♠ QJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: Both	♦ A1052	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K98	
Board: 123	♠ J764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AK6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ1074	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 120
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ 743
♦ AQ643
♣ QJ9

South:
♠ —
♥ AKQJ108
♦ KJ8
♣ K1073

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
	AP		
	1. Texas		
	2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥		
	3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0		

Board: 121
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ KQ532
♥ K6
♦ AKQ109
♣ 5

South:
♠ AJ
♥ A102
♦ 764
♣ AQ643

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

Board: 122
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♣ N

North:
♠ QJ98
♥ AQ
♦ A1052
♣ K98

South:
♠ A10
♥ 5
♦ KQ84
♣ AQJ1054

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♣ ⁴	Pass	7♣
	AP		
	1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs		
	2. automat		
	3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣		
	4. A=0/5 or 3/5		

Board: 123
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ J764
♥ —
♦ AK6
♣ AKJ1074

South:
♠ AQ5
♥ AKJ76
♦ J82
♣ Q2

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
Pass	6♣	AP	
	1. Stayman		

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 120	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ108	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K1073	
Board: 121	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A102	
Vul: EW	♦ 764	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ643	
Board: 122	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ1054	
Board: 123	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ76	
Vul: None	♦ J82	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q2	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 120
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ 743
♦ AQ643
♣ QJ9

South:
♠ —
♥ AKQJ108
♦ KJ8
♣ K1073

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
	AP		
	1. Texas		
	2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥		
	3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0		

Board: 121
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ KQ532
♥ K6
♦ AKQ109
♣ 5

South:
♠ AJ
♥ A102
♦ 764
♣ AQ643

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

Board: 122
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♣ N

North:
♠ QJ98
♥ AQ
♦ A1052
♣ K98

South:
♠ A10
♥ 5
♦ KQ84
♣ AQJ1054

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♣ ⁴	Pass	7♣
	AP		
	1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs		
	2. automat		
	3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣		
	4. A=0/5 or 3/5		

Board: 123
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ J764
♥ —
♦ AK6
♣ AKJ1074

South:
♠ AQ5
♥ AKJ76
♦ J82
♣ Q2

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
Pass	6♣	AP	
	1. Stayman		

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 124	♠ AK65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A104	
Vul: NS	♦ 1073	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ5	
Board: 125	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ74	
Board: 126	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: None	♦ QJ53	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A863	
Board: 127	♠ AQ	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ64	
Vul: EW	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ974	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 124
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AK65
♥ A104
♦ 1073
♣ AQ5

South:
♠ Q3
♥ KQJ87
♦ AKQ42
♣ 2

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

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

Board: 125
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7N S

North:
♠ J
♥ K5
♦ AKQJ107
♣ KQ74

South:
♠ AK9
♥ A3
♦ 863
♣ A10532

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣ ⁴
Pass	7NT	AP	

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 126
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AQ10
♥ A10
♦ QJ53
♣ A863

South:
♠ KJ962
♥ KQJ94
♦ K
♣ K10

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

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

Board: 127
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ AQ
♥ QJ64
♦ 8
♣ AKJ974

South:
♠ K9
♥ AK832
♦ K97
♣ Q86

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

1. Stayman
2. Blackwood 0314, for N
3. A=1/4 or 4/4

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 124	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ87	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 2	

Board: 125	♠ AK9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	
Vul: Both	♦ 863	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A10532	

Board: 126	♠ KJ962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ94	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K10	

Board: 127	♠ K9	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK832	
Vul: EW	♦ K97	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q86	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 124
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AK65
♥ A104
♦ 1073
♣ AQ5

South:
♠ Q3
♥ KQJ87
♦ AKQ42
♣ 2

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

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

Board: 125
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7N S

North:
♠ J
♥ K5
♦ AKQJ107
♣ KQ74

South:
♠ AK9
♥ A3
♦ 863
♣ A10532

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣ ⁴
Pass	7NT	AP	

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 126
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AQ10
♥ A10
♦ QJ53
♣ A863

South:
♠ KJ962
♥ KQJ94
♦ K
♣ K10

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

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

Board: 127
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ AQ
♥ QJ64
♦ 8
♣ AKJ974

South:
♠ K9
♥ AK832
♦ K97
♣ Q86

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

1. Stayman
2. Blackwood 0314, for N
3. A=1/4 or 4/4

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 128	♠ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	
Vul: None	♦ KQ732	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q94	
Board: 129	♠ AQ7632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1087	
Vul: NS	♦ A8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K	
Board: 130	♠ KJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ105	
Vul: EW	♦ A92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q84	
Board: 131	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ106	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 102	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 128
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AKJ
♥ J5
♦ KQ732
♣ Q94

South:
♠ 73
♥ AKQ1087
♦ J
♣ AK72

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

Board: 129
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AQ7632
♥ A1087
♦ A8
♣ K

South:
♠ J95
♥ K2
♦ KQJ
♣ AQJ64

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

Board: 130
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ KJ10
♥ AJ105
♦ A92
♣ Q84

South:
♠ AQ8643
♥ KQ72
♦ KQ10
♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6♠
	AP		
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 131
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ 4
♥ AKQJ106
♦ AKJ10
♣ 102

South:
♠ AK86
♥ 95
♦ Q953
♣ AKJ

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 128	♠ 73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ1087	
Vul: None	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK72	

Board: 129	♠ J95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ64	

Board: 130	♠ AQ8643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ72	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Board: 131	♠ AK86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	
Vul: EW	♦ Q953	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 128
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AKJ
♥ J5
♦ KQ732
♣ Q94

South:
♠ 73
♥ AKQ1087
♦ J
♣ AK72

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

Board: 129
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AQ7632
♥ A1087
♦ A8
♣ K

South:
♠ J95
♥ K2
♦ KQJ
♣ AQJ64

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

Board: 130
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ KJ10
♥ AJ105
♦ A92
♣ Q84

South:
♠ AQ8643
♥ KQ72
♦ KQ10
♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6♠
	AP		
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 131
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ 4
♥ AKQJ106
♦ AKJ10
♣ 102

South:
♠ AK86
♥ 95
♦ Q953
♣ AKJ

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 132	♠ A52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ4	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q642	

Board: 133	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ943	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ103	

Board: 134	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J82	
Vul: None	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ973	

Board: 135	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q974	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ9	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 132
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♦ S

North:
♠ A52
♥ AKQ4
♦ Q9
♣ Q642

South:
♠ K873
♥ —
♦ AK7542
♣ AK10

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

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

Board: 133
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ A5
♥ AKQ943
♦ 9
♣ KQ103

South:
♠ K9
♥ J102
♦ AK653
♣ AJ8

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 134
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AQ4
♥ J82
♦ A4
♣ KJ973

South:
♠ 6
♥ KQ973
♦ KQ1092
♣ AQ

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

Board: 135
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ —
♥ Q974
♦ AKQ632
♣ AQ9

South:
♠ AQ1083
♥ AK2
♦ 95
♣ K83

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

1. Stayman

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 132	♠ K873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ AK7542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK10	
Board: 133	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J102	
Vul: Both	♦ AK653	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ8	
Board: 134	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ973	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1092	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ	
Board: 135	♠ AQ1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK2	
Vul: NS	♦ 95	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K83	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 132
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♦ S

North:
♠ A52
♥ AKQ4
♦ Q9
♣ Q642

South:
♠ K873
♥ —
♦ AK7542
♣ AK10

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

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

Board: 133
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ A5
♥ AKQ943
♦ 9
♣ KQ103

South:
♠ K9
♥ J102
♦ AK653
♣ AJ8

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 134
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AQ4
♥ J82
♦ A4
♣ KJ973

South:
♠ 6
♥ KQ973
♦ KQ1092
♣ AQ

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

Board: 135
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ —
♥ Q974
♦ AKQ632
♣ AQ9

South:
♠ AQ1083
♥ AK2
♦ 95
♣ K83

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

1. Stayman

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 136	♠ QJ83	West Doubles 7♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: Both	♦ K1073	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ9	
Board: 137	♠ Q8763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ97	
Board: 138	♠ 92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A95	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K972	
Board: 139	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQJ9	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 136
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥XN

North:
♠ QJ83
♥ A8
♦ K1073
♣ KQ9

South:
♠ A1076
♥ KQJ963
♦ AQ5
♣ —

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

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

Board: 137
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠N

North:
♠ Q8763
♥ K4
♦ K
♣ AKJ97

South:
♠ AK92
♥ QJ95
♦ AQ8
♣ 82

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 138
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠N

North:
♠ 92
♥ A95
♦ AKQ7
♣ K972

South:
♠ AKQJ85
♥ —
♦ 9853
♣ AQ3

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

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

Board: 139
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♦S

North:
♠ J3
♥ 3
♦ AJ762
♣ AKQJ9

South:
♠ A95
♥ AQ10
♦ KQ1084
♣ 82

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

1. Minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 136	♠ A1076	West Doubles 7♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ963	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Board: 137	♠ AK92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ95	
Vul: None	♦ AQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 82	

Board: 138	♠ AKQJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ 9853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ3	

Board: 139	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ1084	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 82	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 136
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥XN

North:
♠ QJ83
♥ A8
♦ K1073
♣ KQ9

South:
♠ A1076
♥ KQJ963
♦ AQ5
♣ —

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

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

Board: 137
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠N

North:
♠ Q8763
♥ K4
♦ K
♣ AKJ97

South:
♠ AK92
♥ QJ95
♦ AQ8
♣ 82

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 138
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠N

North:
♠ 92
♥ A95
♦ AKQ7
♣ K972

South:
♠ AKQJ85
♥ —
♦ 9853
♣ AQ3

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

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

Board: 139
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♦S

North:
♠ J3
♥ 3
♦ AJ762
♣ AKQJ9

South:
♠ A95
♥ AQ10
♦ KQ1084
♣ 82

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

1. Minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 140	♠ J9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A965	
Vul: None	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK1054	
Board: 141	♠ AQ10654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ K965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A9	
Board: 142	♠ 1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ104	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ102	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK	
Board: 143	♠ A7	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5432	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	
Board: 144	♠ Q72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ86	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 82	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 140
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 5♠ N

North:
♠ J9
♥ A965
♦ K6
♣ AK1054

South:
♠ AK742
♥ —
♦ AQJ53
♣ QJ7

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 141
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AQ10654
♥ A
♦ K965
♣ A9

South:
♠ K8
♥ KJ74
♦ AQ102
♣ K105

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

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

Board: 142
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ 1075
♥ AQ104
♦ QJ102
♣ AK

South:
♠ AKQJ4
♥ KJ8763
♦ 8
♣ Q

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

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

Board: 143
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6NX S

North:
♠ A7
♥ Q5432
♦ AQ654
♣ A

South:
♠ KQ8
♥ J8
♦ K98
♣ KQJ42

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

Board: 144
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ Q72
♥ AQJ4
♦ AQ86
♣ 82

South:
♠ AK965
♥ K10873
♦ —
♣ KQJ

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 140	♠ AK742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ7	
Board: 141	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ74	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ102	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K105	
Board: 142	♠ AKQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ8763	
Vul: EW	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	
Board: 143	♠ KQ8	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: Both	♦ K98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ42	
Board: 144	♠ AK965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10873	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 140
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 5♠ N

North:
♠ J9
♥ A965
♦ K6
♣ AK1054

South:
♠ AK742
♥ —
♦ AQJ53
♣ QJ7

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 141
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AQ10654
♥ A
♦ K965
♣ A9

South:
♠ K8
♥ KJ74
♦ AQ102
♣ K105

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

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

Board: 142
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ 1075
♥ AQ104
♦ QJ102
♣ AK

South:
♠ AKQJ4
♥ KJ8763
♦ 8
♣ Q

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

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

Board: 143
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6NX S

North:
♠ A7
♥ Q5432
♦ AQ654
♣ A

South:
♠ KQ8
♥ J8
♦ K98
♣ KQJ42

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

Board: 144
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ Q72
♥ AQJ4
♦ AQ86
♣ 82

South:
♠ AK965
♥ K10873
♦ —
♣ KQJ

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 145	♠ A52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ642	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ —	

Board: 146	♠ 872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: None	♦ AJ83	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ5	

Board: 147	♠ AK1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K9753	
Vul: EW	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Board: 148	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J94	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ743	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK6	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 145

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ A52

♥ KJ642

♦ AKQ75

♣ —

South:

♠ Q1083

♥ AQ7

♦ J6

♣ AQ85

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♠²

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 146

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 872

♥ AQ

♦ AJ83

♣ KQJ5

South:

♠ KJ1043

♥ K

♦ KQ1095

♣ A7

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♦

Pass 3♠ Pass 6NT

AP

Board: 147

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ AK1084

♥ K9753

♦ A4

♣ Q

South:

♠ 532

♥ A8

♦ KJ3

♣ AKJ85

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♥ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♥²

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 148

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q5

♥ J94

♦ AJ743

♣ AK6

South:

♠ AJ72

♥ AKQ762

♦ Q9

♣ 10

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♥³ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 145	♠ Q1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ7	
Vul: EW	♦ J6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ85	

Board: 146	♠ KJ1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A7	

Board: 147	♠ 532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ85	

Board: 148	♠ AJ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ762	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 145

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ A52

♥ KJ642

♦ AKQ75

♣ —

South:

♠ Q1083

♥ AQ7

♦ J6

♣ AQ85

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♠²

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 146

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 872

♥ AQ

♦ AJ83

♣ KQJ5

South:

♠ KJ1043

♥ K

♦ KQ1095

♣ A7

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♦

Pass 3♠ Pass 6NT

AP

Board: 147

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ AK1084

♥ K9753

♦ A4

♣ Q

South:

♠ 532

♥ A8

♦ KJ3

♣ AKJ85

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♥ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♥²

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 148

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q5

♥ J94

♦ AJ743

♣ AK6

South:

♠ AJ72

♥ AKQ762

♦ Q9

♣ 10

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♥³ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 149	♠ KQ975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ K10862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ	

Board: 150	♠ AK43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K985	
Vul: NS	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K83	

Board: 151	♠ KQ9854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ65	

Board: 152	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 52	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ96	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 654	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 149

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQ975

♥ A

♦ K10862

♣ KQ

South:

♠ J106

♥ KQJ109

♦ A7

♣ A75

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♥²

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 150

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♣ N

North:

♠ AK43

♥ K985

♦ A3

♣ K83

South:

♠ 7

♥ AQ

♦ K962

♣ AQJ1094

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♠¹

Pass 3♣² Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♣⁴ Pass 7♣

AP

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 151

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQ9854

♥ 4

♦ K

♣ AKJ65

South:

♠ A106

♥ K10

♦ AQJ10

♣ Q982

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 152

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ AQ9

♥ 52

♦ AKQ96

♣ 654

South:

♠ 4

♥ AKQ1084

♦ 7

♣ AK1098

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥² Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♥³ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 149	♠ J106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ109	
Vul: None	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A75	

Board: 150	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ K962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ1094	

Board: 151	♠ A106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q982	

Board: 152	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ1084	
Vul: None	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1098	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 149

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQ975

♥ A

♦ K10862

♣ KQ

South:

♠ J106

♥ KQJ109

♦ A7

♣ A75

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♥²

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 150

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♣ N

North:

♠ AK43

♥ K985

♦ A3

♣ K83

South:

♠ 7

♥ AQ

♦ K962

♣ AQJ1094

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♠¹

Pass 3♣² Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♣⁴ Pass 7♣

AP

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 151

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQ9854

♥ 4

♦ K

♣ AKJ65

South:

♠ A106

♥ K10

♦ AQJ10

♣ Q982

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 152

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ AQ9

♥ 52

♦ AKQ96

♣ 654

South:

♠ 4

♥ AKQ1084

♦ 7

♣ AK1098

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥² Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♥³ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 153	♠ 43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ643	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 154	♠ AQ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K86	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 42	

Board: 155	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK854	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ —	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 153
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ 43
♥ AJ643
♦ AKJ109
♣ K

South:
♠ AK2
♥ KQ72
♦ 62
♣ A1062

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 154
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AQ73
♥ K86
♦ KQJ5
♣ 42

South:
♠ K92
♥ AQ743
♦ —
♣ AKJ105

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

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

Board: 155
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AJ6
♥ AK854
♦ AQ843
♣ —

South:
♠ KQ1093
♥ Q97
♦ K6
♣ AQJ

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 153	♠ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ72	
Vul: EW	♦ 62	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A1062	

Board: 154	♠ K92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ743	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ105	

Board: 155	♠ KQ1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q97	
Vul: NS	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 153
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ 43
♥ AJ643
♦ AKJ109
♣ K

South:
♠ AK2
♥ KQ72
♦ 62
♣ A1062

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 154
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AQ73
♥ K86
♦ KQJ5
♣ 42

South:
♠ K92
♥ AQ743
♦ —
♣ AKJ105

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

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

Board: 155
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AJ6
♥ AK854
♦ AQ843
♣ —

South:
♠ KQ1093
♥ Q97
♦ K6
♣ AQJ

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 156	♠ A84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	
Vul: EW	♦ AK543	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q108	
Board: 157	♠ AK9874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ A95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ109	
Board: 158	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ4	
Vul: None	♦ K532	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ7	
Board: 159	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ1032	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 6	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 156
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ A84
♥ K5
♦ AK543
♣ Q108

South:
♠ KQJ532
♥ A
♦ 98
♣ AK97

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	7♠
	AP		
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 157
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AK9874
♥ —
♦ A95
♣ KQ109

South:
♠ Q53
♥ AK5
♦ Q764
♣ AJ3

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠ ³
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

Board: 158
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ 72
♥ AJ4
♦ K532
♣ AQJ7

South:
♠ A6
♥ K10876
♦ AQJ107
♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	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)=0			

Board: 159
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AJ
♥ AQJ1032
♦ KQ83
♣ 6

South:
♠ K1064
♥ K84
♦ A109
♣ AK5

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 156	♠ KQJ532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ 98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK97	

Board: 157	♠ Q53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK5	
Vul: Both	♦ Q764	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ3	

Board: 158	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10876	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K	

Board: 159	♠ K1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K84	
Vul: NS	♦ A109	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK5	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 156
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ A84
♥ K5
♦ AK543
♣ Q108

South:
♠ KQJ532
♥ A
♦ 98
♣ AK97

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	7♠
	AP		
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 157
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AK9874
♥ —
♦ A95
♣ KQ109

South:
♠ Q53
♥ AK5
♦ Q764
♣ AJ3

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠ ³
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

Board: 158
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ 72
♥ AJ4
♦ K532
♣ AQJ7

South:
♠ A6
♥ K10876
♦ AQJ107
♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	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)=0			

Board: 159
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AJ
♥ AQJ1032
♦ KQ83
♣ 6

South:
♠ K1064
♥ K84
♦ A109
♣ AK5

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 160	♠ Q63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ975	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ6	

Board: 161	♠ AKQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ 95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ1062	

Board: 162	♠ Q532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K106	
Vul: EW	♦ K82	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ	

Board: 163	♠ AQ1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ1042	
Vul: None	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 160
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 7♥ N

North:
 ♠ Q63
 ♥ K8
 ♦ AQ975
 ♣ AQ6

South:
 ♠ A
 ♥ AQ10973
 ♦ K6432
 ♣ K

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

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

Board: 161
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 7♠ S

North:
 ♠ AKQ32
 ♥ A
 ♦ 95
 ♣ QJ1062

South:
 ♠ J84
 ♥ Q2
 ♦ AQJ73
 ♣ AK7

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

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

Board: 162
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 6♠ N

North:
 ♠ Q532
 ♥ K106
 ♦ K82
 ♣ AKQ

South:
 ♠ AKJ98
 ♥ AQ752
 ♦ Q6
 ♣ J

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

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

Board: 163
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ AQ1083
 ♥ KJ1042
 ♦ 7
 ♣ AQ

South:
 ♠ K7
 ♥ AQ5
 ♦ AK6
 ♣ J10932

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 160	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ10973	
Vul: Both	♦ K6432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	
Board: 161	♠ J84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK7	
Board: 162	♠ AKJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ752	
Vul: EW	♦ Q6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ J	
Board: 163	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ5	
Vul: None	♦ AK6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J10932	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 160
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ Q63
♥ K8
♦ AQ975
♣ AQ6

South:
♠ A
♥ AQ10973
♦ K6432
♣ K

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

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

Board: 161
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ32
♥ A
♦ 95
♣ QJ1062

South:
♠ J84
♥ Q2
♦ AQJ73
♣ AK7

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

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

Board: 162
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ Q532
♥ K106
♦ K82
♣ AKQ

South:
♠ AKJ98
♥ AQ752
♦ Q6
♣ J

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

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

Board: 163
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AQ1083
♥ KJ1042
♦ 7
♣ AQ

South:
♠ K7
♥ AQ5
♦ AK6
♣ J10932

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 164	♠ J863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A72	
Board: 165	♠ AKQ1042	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 83	
Vul: Both	♦ AK87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10	
Board: 166	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 52	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ83	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ64	
Board: 167	♠ AKQ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 4	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 164
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ J863
♥ AQJ10
♦ KQ
♣ A72

South:
♠ AK
♥ K874
♦ 9
♣ KQJ865

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦ ²
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♠ ⁴	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. Splinter			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 165
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠X S

North:
♠ AKQ1042
♥ 83
♦ AK87
♣ 10

South:
♠ 86
♥ AKQ7
♦ QJ109
♣ K65

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

Board: 166
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♦ S

North:
♠ AK7
♥ 52
♦ KJ83
♣ AJ64

South:
♠ 5
♥ AKJ97
♦ AQ952
♣ K8

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

Board: 167
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AKQ96
♥ A5
♦ KJ852
♣ 4

South:
♠ 43
♥ 872
♦ AQ64
♣ AKQ10

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 164	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K874	
Vul: NS	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ865	

Board: 165	♠ 86	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ7	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ109	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K65	

Board: 166	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ97	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ952	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K8	

Board: 167	♠ 43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 872	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ64	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ10	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 164
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ J863
♥ AQJ10
♦ KQ
♣ A72

South:
♠ AK
♥ K874
♦ 9
♣ KQJ865

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦ ²
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♠ ⁴	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. Splinter			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 165
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠X S

North:
♠ AKQ1042
♥ 83
♦ AK87
♣ 10

South:
♠ 86
♥ AKQ7
♦ QJ109
♣ K65

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

Board: 166
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♦ S

North:
♠ AK7
♥ 52
♦ KJ83
♣ AJ64

South:
♠ 5
♥ AKJ97
♦ AQ952
♣ K8

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

Board: 167
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AKQ96
♥ A5
♦ KJ852
♣ 4

South:
♠ 43
♥ 872
♦ AQ64
♣ AKQ10

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 168	♠ AK4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K94	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J54	

Board: 169	♠ KQ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ975	
Vul: None	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A3	

Board: 170	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J873	
Vul: EW	♦ 953	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ4	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 168
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 7♥ N

North:
 ♠ AK4
 ♥ K94
 ♦ AQ64
 ♣ J54

South:
 ♠ —
 ♥ AQ752
 ♦ J109
 ♣ AKQ96

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

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

Board: 169
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 7♥ S

North:
 ♠ KQ54
 ♥ AKJ975
 ♦ 5
 ♣ A3

South:
 ♠ A1087
 ♥ Q83
 ♦ AJ4
 ♣ KJ4

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

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

Board: 170
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 7♥ S

North:
 ♠ AK
 ♥ J873
 ♦ 953
 ♣ AKJ4

South:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ AKQ42
 ♦ AK1062
 ♣ 102

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 168	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ752	
Vul: Both	♦ J109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ96	

Board: 169	♠ A1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q83	
Vul: None	♦ AJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ4	

Board: 170	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ42	
Vul: EW	♦ AK1062	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 102	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 168
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ AK4
♥ K94
♦ AQ64
♣ J54

South:
♠ —
♥ AQ752
♦ J109
♣ AKQ96

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

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

Board: 169
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ KQ54
♥ AKJ975
♦ 5
♣ A3

South:
♠ A1087
♥ Q83
♦ AJ4
♣ KJ4

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

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

Board: 170
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ AK
♥ J873
♦ 953
♣ AKJ4

South:
♠ 7
♥ AKQ42
♦ AK1062
♣ 102

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 171	♠ AKQ1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K7654	
Board: 172	♠ 92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ74	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 642	
Board: 173	♠ KJ863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ98	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K2	
Board: 174	♠ K83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ107	
Vul: None	♦ 95	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A82	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 171
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ1095
♥ —
♦ KJ
♣ K7654

South:
♠ 86
♥ A842
♦ AQ96
♣ AQ2

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 172
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ 92
♥ AKQ6
♦ AQ74
♣ 642

South:
♠ AKJ765
♥ 7
♦ J6
♣ AKQ10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 173
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ KJ863
♥ AKQ98
♦ 10
♣ K2

South:
♠ AQ10
♥ 65
♦ A962
♣ AQ84

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
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: 174
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ K83
♥ AKJ107
♦ 95
♣ A82

South:
♠ A
♥ 54
♦ AQJ72
♣ KQJ74

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹
Pass	5♣	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Minors			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 171	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A842	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ96	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ2	

Board: 172	♠ AKJ765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: NS	♦ J6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ10	

Board: 173	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	
Vul: Both	♦ A962	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ84	

Board: 174	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 54	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ74	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 171
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ1095
♥ —
♦ KJ
♣ K7654

South:
♠ 86
♥ A842
♦ AQ96
♣ AQ2

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 172
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ 92
♥ AKQ6
♦ AQ74
♣ 642

South:
♠ AKJ765
♥ 7
♦ J6
♣ AKQ10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 173
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ KJ863
♥ AKQ98
♦ 10
♣ K2

South:
♠ AQ10
♥ 65
♦ A962
♣ AQ84

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
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: 174
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ K83
♥ AKJ107
♦ 95
♣ A82

South:
♠ A
♥ 54
♦ AQJ72
♣ KQJ74

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹
Pass	5♣	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Minors			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 175	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K7532	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ7	

Board: 176	♠ Q105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: None	♦ K543	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK73	

Board: 177	♠ Q10982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ106	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K	

Board: 178	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ7	
Vul: EW	♦ 875	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK93	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 175
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ K7532
♦ AKJ93
♣ AQ7

South:
♠ KQ3
♥ AQ86
♦ 105
♣ KJ65

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 176
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ Q105
♥ A9
♦ K543
♣ AK73

South:
♠ AKJ832
♥ KJ72
♦ A6
♣ 2

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

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

Board: 177
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ Q10982
♥ AKJ106
♦ AJ
♣ K

South:
♠ AK4
♥ 93
♦ Q8753
♣ AQ2

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

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

Board: 178
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 19
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ J2
♥ AKQ7
♦ 875
♣ AK93

South:
♠ AKQ10
♥ 10
♦ AKJ1063
♣ Q6

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 175	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ86	
Vul: EW	♦ 105	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ65	
Board: 176	♠ AKJ832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ72	
Vul: None	♦ A6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 2	
Board: 177	♠ AK4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 93	
Vul: NS	♦ Q8753	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ2	
Board: 178	♠ AKQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ1063	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q6	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 175
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ K7532
♦ AKJ93
♣ AQ7

South:
♠ KQ3
♥ AQ86
♦ 105
♣ KJ65

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 176
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ Q105
♥ A9
♦ K543
♣ AK73

South:
♠ AKJ832
♥ KJ72
♦ A6
♣ 2

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

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

Board: 177
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ Q10982
♥ AKJ106
♦ AJ
♣ K

South:
♠ AK4
♥ 93
♦ Q8753
♣ AQ2

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

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

Board: 178
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 19
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ J2
♥ AKQ7
♦ 875
♣ AK93

South:
♠ AKQ10
♥ 10
♦ AKJ1063
♣ Q6

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 179	♠ KQJ1072	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ62	
Board: 180	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K64	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q102	
Board: 181	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ1082	
Board: 182	♠ K109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 98	
Vul: Both	♦ AK63	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ52	
Board: 183	♠ K8643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ K6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ84	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 179

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQJ1072

♥ AK

♦ 9

♣ KJ62

South:

♠ A5

♥ Q72

♦ KQ632

♣ A93

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 180

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ A7

♥ K64

♦ AQJ94

♣ Q102

South:

♠ KJ1063

♥ AQ

♦ 6

♣ AK654

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
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AP

Board: 181

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ Q8

♥ 10

♦ AKQ93

♣ AQ1082

South:

♠ A76

♥ AK9

♦ J742

♣ K94

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♦
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Minors

Board: 182

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K109

♥ 98

♦ AK63

♣ KQ52

South:

♠ AJ876

♥ AK764

♦ 7

♣ A9

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 183

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ K8643

♥ K

♦ K6

♣ AKQ84

South:

♠ Q10

♥ AQ103

♦ AQ7

♣ J972

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 179	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q72	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ632	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A93	

Board: 180	♠ KJ1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK654	

Board: 181	♠ A76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK9	
Vul: EW	♦ J742	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K94	

Board: 182	♠ AJ876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK764	
Vul: Both	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A9	

Board: 183	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ103	
Vul: None	♦ AQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J972	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 179

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQJ1072

♥ AK

♦ 9

♣ KJ62

South:

♠ A5

♥ Q72

♦ KQ632

♣ A93

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 180

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ A7

♥ K64

♦ AQJ94

♣ Q102

South:

♠ KJ1063

♥ AQ

♦ 6

♣ AK654

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
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AP

Board: 181

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ Q8

♥ 10

♦ AKQ93

♣ AQ1082

South:

♠ A76

♥ AK9

♦ J742

♣ K94

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♦
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Minors

Board: 182

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K109

♥ 98

♦ AK63

♣ KQ52

South:

♠ AJ876

♥ AK764

♦ 7

♣ A9

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 183

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ K8643

♥ K

♦ K6

♣ AKQ84

South:

♠ Q10

♥ AQ103

♦ AQ7

♣ J972

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 184	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K962	
Vul: EW	♦ A95	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ10	
Board: 185	♠ J9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ10832	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ9	
Board: 186	♠ AQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 62	
Vul: None	♦ AK95	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K1082	
Board: 187	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ43	
Vul: NS	♦ A10876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A3	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 184
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ K5
♥ K962
♦ A95
♣ AQJ10

South:
♠ AQ7432
♥ A
♦ KQJ103
♣ 2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	7♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 185
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ J9
♥ KQ10832
♦ K
♣ AKQ9

South:
♠ AK72
♥ A96
♦ A1087
♣ 86

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 186
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 19
Contract: 7♣ S

North:
♠ AQ7
♥ 62
♦ AK95
♣ K1082

South:
♠ K8
♥ AKQ7
♦ 7
♣ AQJ654

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	5NT ⁴	Pass	6♥ ⁵
Pass	7♣	AP	
1. Stayman			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1			
4. King ask by 5NT			
5. K=2			

Board: 187
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ Q
♥ AQJ43
♦ A10876
♣ A3

South:
♠ AK94
♥ K1097
♦ KJ
♣ K82

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	6♥	AP	
1. Extended acceptance after NT			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 184	♠ AQ7432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 2	

Board: 185	♠ AK72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A96	
Vul: Both	♦ A1087	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 86	

Board: 186	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ7	
Vul: None	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQJ654	

Board: 187	♠ AK94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1097	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K82	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 184
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ K5
♥ K962
♦ A95
♣ AQJ10

South:
♠ AQ7432
♥ A
♦ KQJ103
♣ 2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	7♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 185
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ J9
♥ KQ10832
♦ K
♣ AKQ9

South:
♠ AK72
♥ A96
♦ A1087
♣ 86

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 186
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 19
Contract: 7♣ S

North:
♠ AQ7
♥ 62
♦ AK95
♣ K1082

South:
♠ K8
♥ AKQ7
♦ 7
♣ AQJ654

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	5NT ⁴	Pass	6♥ ⁵
Pass	7♣	AP	
1. Stayman			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1			
4. King ask by 5NT			
5. K=2			

Board: 187
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ Q
♥ AQJ43
♦ A10876
♣ A3

South:
♠ AK94
♥ K1097
♦ KJ
♣ K82

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	6♥	AP	
1. Extended acceptance after NT			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 188	♠ 643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ9	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 95	
Board: 189	♠ A954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ97	
Vul: NS	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 73	
Board: 190	♠ Q64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K3	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ52	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ7	
Board: 191	♠ 54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ93	
Vul: None	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ965	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 188

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 643

♥ AQJ9

♦ AKQ5

♣ 95

South:

♠ AKJ52

♥ K7652

♦ —

♣ KQ2

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

Board: 189

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A954

♥ AKQJ97

♦ K

♣ 73

South:

♠ KJ7

♥ 654

♦ AJ10

♣ AK94

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 190

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7♠ N

North:

♠ Q64

♥ K3

♦ KQ52

♣ KQJ7

South:

♠ AK732

♥ AJ1062

♦ A7

♣ A

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. ♠ queen and ♥ king

Board: 191

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 54

♥ AJ93

♦ Q

♣ AKQ965

South:

♠ KJ

♥ K54

♦ AKJ74

♣ J82

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6NT
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AP

1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 188	♠ AKJ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K7652	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ2	

Board: 189	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 654	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK94	

Board: 190	♠ AK732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1062	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ A	

Board: 191	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K54	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ74	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J82	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 188

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 643

♥ AQJ9

♦ AKQ5

♣ 95

South:

♠ AKJ52

♥ K7652

♦ —

♣ KQ2

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

Board: 189

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A954

♥ AKQJ97

♦ K

♣ 73

South:

♠ KJ7

♥ 654

♦ AJ10

♣ AK94

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 190

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7♠ N

North:

♠ Q64

♥ K3

♦ KQ52

♣ KQJ7

South:

♠ AK732

♥ AJ1062

♦ A7

♣ A

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. ♠ queen and ♥ king

Board: 191

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 54

♥ AJ93

♦ Q

♣ AKQ965

South:

♠ KJ

♥ K54

♦ AKJ74

♣ J82

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6NT
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AP

1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 192	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ97	
Vul: NS	♦ J82	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ7	
Board: 193	♠ AK8752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q	
Board: 194	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ3	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ873	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 1075	
Board: 195	♠ KQ53	East Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ1063	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 6	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 192
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ J10
♥ AKQ97
♦ J82
♣ AQ7

South:
♠ AKQ53
♥ 10
♦ AKQ75
♣ 108

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

Board: 193
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AK8752
♥ A10
♦ KQJ6
♣ Q

South:
♠ QJ43
♥ KJ
♦ A875
♣ A104

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

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

Board: 194
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♣ S

North:
♠ A5
♥ AQ3
♦ AJ873
♣ 1075

South:
♠ J832
♥ K4
♦ K
♣ AKQJ32

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

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

Board: 195
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ KQ53
♥ K3
♦ AKJ1063
♣ 6

South:
♠ A72
♥ AQ87
♦ Q98
♣ A102

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 192	♠ AKQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 108	
Board: 193	♠ QJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: Both	♦ A875	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A104	
Board: 194	♠ J832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: NS	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQJ32	
Board: 195	♠ A72	East Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ87	
Vul: EW	♦ Q98	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A102	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 192
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ J10
♥ AKQ97
♦ J82
♣ AQ7

South:
♠ AKQ53
♥ 10
♦ AKQ75
♣ 108

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

Board: 193
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AK8752
♥ A10
♦ KQJ6
♣ Q

South:
♠ QJ43
♥ KJ
♦ A875
♣ A104

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

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

Board: 194
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♣ S

North:
♠ A5
♥ AQ3
♦ AJ873
♣ 1075

South:
♠ J832
♥ K4
♦ K
♣ AKQJ32

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

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

Board: 195
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ KQ53
♥ K3
♦ AKJ1063
♣ 6

South:
♠ A72
♥ AQ87
♦ Q98
♣ A102

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 196	♠ Q105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ65	
Vul: Both	♦ A54	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ9	

Board: 197	♠ AQJ964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K4	

Board: 198	♠ AK3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 92	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1098	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q82	

Board: 199	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ987	
Vul: Both	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K9542	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ Q105
♥ KQ65
♦ A54
♣ KJ9

South:
♠ K764
♥ A8
♦ KQJ763
♣ A

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

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

Board: 197
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♠ S

North:
♠ AQJ964
♥ 10
♦ KQJ7
♣ K4

South:
♠ 85
♥ AKQ3
♦ 964
♣ AQ65

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

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

Board: 198
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ AK3
♥ 92
♦ AQ1098
♣ Q82

South:
♠ 94
♥ AKQ865
♦ KJ63
♣ A

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 199
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ KJ
♥ AQ987
♦ A
♣ K9542

South:
♠ A1075
♥ K6
♦ K64
♣ AQJ6

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 196	♠ K764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A	

Board: 197	♠ 85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ3	
Vul: None	♦ 964	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ65	

Board: 198	♠ 94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ865	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A	

Board: 199	♠ A1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: Both	♦ K64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ6	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ Q105
♥ KQ65
♦ A54
♣ KJ9

South:
♠ K764
♥ A8
♦ KQJ763
♣ A

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

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

Board: 197
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♠ S

North:
♠ AQJ964
♥ 10
♦ KQJ7
♣ K4

South:
♠ 85
♥ AKQ3
♦ 964
♣ AQ65

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

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

Board: 198
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ AK3
♥ 92
♦ AQ1098
♣ Q82

South:
♠ 94
♥ AKQ865
♦ KJ63
♣ A

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 199
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ KJ
♥ AQ987
♦ A
♣ K9542

South:
♠ A1075
♥ K6
♦ K64
♣ AQJ6

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 200	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K976	
Vul: None	♦ Q97	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ9	

Board: 201	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK9754	

Board: 202	♠ AKJ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ 542	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J102	

Board: 203	♠ AKQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ963	
Vul: NS	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K4	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 200
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ AJ
♥ K976
♦ Q97
♣ AQJ9

South:
♠ K2
♥ AQJ1053
♦ AK83
♣ 2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	7♥
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 201
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7N S

North:
♠ Q5
♥ A
♦ AQ42
♣ AK9754

South:
♠ AK43
♥ KQ53
♦ K10
♣ Q103

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦ ⁴
Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠ ⁵
Pass	7NT	AP	
1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=1/5 or 4/5			
5. ♣ queen and ♠ king			

Board: 202
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AKJ42
♥ AK
♦ 542
♣ J102

South:
♠ 10
♥ Q
♦ AKJ108
♣ AK6543

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♥ ⁴	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 203
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AKQJ4
♥ QJ963
♦ 8
♣ K4

South:
♠ 96
♥ AK2
♦ KQJ
♣ Q8753

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 200	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ1053	
Vul: None	♦ AK83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 2	
Board: 201	♠ AK43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ53	
Vul: NS	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q103	
Board: 202	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK6543	
Board: 203	♠ 96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK2	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q8753	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 200
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ AJ
♥ K976
♦ Q97
♣ AQJ9

South:
♠ K2
♥ AQJ1053
♦ AK83
♣ 2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	7♥
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 201
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7N S

North:
♠ Q5
♥ A
♦ AQ42
♣ AK9754

South:
♠ AK43
♥ KQ53
♦ K10
♣ Q103

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦ ⁴
Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠ ⁵
Pass	7NT	AP	
1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=1/5 or 4/5			
5. ♣ queen and ♠ king			

Board: 202
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AKJ42
♥ AK
♦ 542
♣ J102

South:
♠ 10
♥ Q
♦ AKJ108
♣ AK6543

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♥ ⁴	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0			

Board: 203
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AKQJ4
♥ QJ963
♦ 8
♣ K4

South:
♠ 96
♥ AK2
♦ KQJ
♣ Q8753

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 204	♠ QJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q1096	

Board: 205	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AK976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A9764	

Board: 206	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ107	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ82	

Board: 207	♠ K1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ973	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ10	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 204

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ QJ8

♥ AKJ3

♦ KJ

♣ Q1096

South:

♠ AK9762

♥ —

♦ A93

♣ AK84

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♦³ Pass 6♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AQJ

♥ —

♦ AK976

♣ A9764

South:

♠ K84

♥ AKQ9

♦ Q543

♣ J10

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♠¹ Pass 5♦

Pass 6NT AP

1. Minors

Board: 206

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ

♥ QJ107

♦ QJ6

♣ AQ82

South:

♠ KQ10542

♥ AK

♦ K

♣ KJ103

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♥³ Pass 6♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 207

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ K1032

♥ AKQ973

♦ —

♣ KQ10

South:

♠ Q85

♥ 1065

♦ AKQ93

♣ A2

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 204	♠ AK9762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ A93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK84	
Board: 205	♠ K84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: None	♦ Q543	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J10	
Board: 206	♠ KQ10542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: NS	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KJ103	
Board: 207	♠ Q85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1065	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ93	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A2	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 204

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ QJ8

♥ AKJ3

♦ KJ

♣ Q1096

South:

♠ AK9762

♥ —

♦ A93

♣ AK84

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♦³ Pass 6♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AQJ

♥ —

♦ AK976

♣ A9764

South:

♠ K84

♥ AKQ9

♦ Q543

♣ J10

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♠¹ Pass 5♦

Pass 6NT AP

1. Minors

Board: 206

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ

♥ QJ107

♦ QJ6

♣ AQ82

South:

♠ KQ10542

♥ AK

♦ K

♣ KJ103

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♥³ Pass 6♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 207

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ K1032

♥ AKQ973

♦ —

♣ KQ10

South:

♠ Q85

♥ 1065

♦ AKQ93

♣ A2

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 208	♠ J109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ62	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ42	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A9	

Board: 209	♠ AKQ943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 62	
Vul: Both	♦ AK954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Board: 210	♠ AJ964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q42	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q6	

Board: 211	♠ AKJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK9432	
Vul: None	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ J10	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 208

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ J109

♥ KQ62

♦ AJ42

♣ A9

South:

♠ AQ

♥ A

♦ KQ1086

♣ QJ754

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♠¹

Pass 5♦ Pass 6NT

AP

1. Minors

Board: 209

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQ943

♥ 62

♦ AK954

♣ —

South:

♠ J105

♥ AJ9

♦ QJ

♣ AK1062

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 7♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 210

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AJ964

♥ Q42

♦ KQJ

♣ Q6

South:

♠ KQ87

♥ AK10975

♦ 7

♣ A9

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♦³ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 211

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AKJ4

♥ AK9432

♦ Q

♣ J10

South:

♠ 108

♥ QJ5

♦ AK1086

♣ KQ8

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 208	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ QJ754	
Board: 209	♠ J105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1062	
Board: 210	♠ KQ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10975	
Vul: EW	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A9	
Board: 211	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ5	
Vul: None	♦ AK1086	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ8	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 208

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ J109

♥ KQ62

♦ AJ42

♣ A9

South:

♠ AQ

♥ A

♦ KQ1086

♣ QJ754

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♠¹

Pass 5♦ Pass 6NT

AP

1. Minors

Board: 209

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQ943

♥ 62

♦ AK954

♣ —

South:

♠ J105

♥ AJ9

♦ QJ

♣ AK1062

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 7♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 210

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AJ964

♥ Q42

♦ KQJ

♣ Q6

South:

♠ KQ87

♥ AK10975

♦ 7

♣ A9

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♦³ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 211

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AKJ4

♥ AK9432

♦ Q

♣ J10

South:

♠ 108

♥ QJ5

♦ AK1086

♣ KQ8

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 212	♠ K87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1096	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK3	

Board: 213	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ1072	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K876	

Board: 214	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ4	
Vul: None	♦ QJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J862	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 212
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ K87
♥ 1096
♦ AQJ2
♣ AK3

South:
♠ AJ1065
♥ AKJ83
♦ K4
♣ 6

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

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

Board: 213
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ A2
♥ AKQ1072
♦ 3
♣ K876

South:
♠ KQ9
♥ 965
♦ AQ954
♣ A3

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 214
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ A2
♥ AKJ4
♦ QJ2
♣ J862

South:
♠ J10
♥ 8
♦ AK10754
♣ AKQ4

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

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 212	♠ AJ1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ83	
Vul: NS	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 6	

Board: 213	♠ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 965	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ954	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A3	

Board: 214	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: None	♦ AK10754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ4	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 212
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ K87
♥ 1096
♦ AQJ2
♣ AK3

South:
♠ AJ1065
♥ AKJ83
♦ K4
♣ 6

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

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

Board: 213
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ A2
♥ AKQ1072
♦ 3
♣ K876

South:
♠ KQ9
♥ 965
♦ AQ954
♣ A3

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

Board: 214
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ A2
♥ AKJ4
♦ QJ2
♣ J862

South:
♠ J10
♥ 8
♦ AK10754
♣ AKQ4

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

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 215	♠ AKQ875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ54	
Vul: NS	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ	

Board: 216	♠ 942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ3	
Vul: EW	♦ J109	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ3	

Board: 217	♠ KJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK8732	
Vul: None	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A2	

Board: 218	♠ AQJ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J4	
Vul: NS	♦ K73	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ9	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 215

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQ875

♥ AJ54

♦ 7

♣ QJ

South:

♠ 93

♥ Q863

♦ AK3

♣ AK52

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 7♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 216

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ 942

♥ AKQ3

♦ J109

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ AK7

♥ 10985

♦ AKQ653

♣ —

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♠²

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♣⁴ Pass 7♦

AP

1. Stayman

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 217

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ KJ43

♥ AK8732

♦ J

♣ A2

South:

♠ A7

♥ Q106

♦ KQ96

♣ KJ65

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 5♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 218

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AQJ64

♥ J4

♦ K73

♣ KQ9

South:

♠ —

♥ AK10983

♦ AJ92

♣ A74

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♦³ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 215	♠ 93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q863	
Vul: NS	♦ AK3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK52	
Board: 216	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10985	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	
Board: 217	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q106	
Vul: None	♦ KQ96	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ65	
Board: 218	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10983	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A74	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 215

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQ875

♥ AJ54

♦ 7

♣ QJ

South:

♠ 93

♥ Q863

♦ AK3

♣ AK52

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 7♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 216

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ 942

♥ AKQ3

♦ J109

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ AK7

♥ 10985

♦ AKQ653

♣ —

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♠²

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♣⁴ Pass 7♦

AP

1. Stayman

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 217

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ KJ43

♥ AK8732

♦ J

♣ A2

South:

♠ A7

♥ Q106

♦ KQ96

♣ KJ65

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 5♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 218

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AQJ64

♥ J4

♦ K73

♣ KQ9

South:

♠ —

♥ AK10983

♦ AJ92

♣ A74

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♦³ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 219	♠ AK10976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ K9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ87	
Board: 220	♠ Q654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: EW	♦ A862	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK2	
Board: 221	♠ AQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J6	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ653	
Board: 222	♠ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K85	
Vul: EW	♦ 32	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1085	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 219

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ AK10976

♥ J

♦ K9

♣ AJ87

South:

♠ QJ4

♥ AK43

♦ QJ42

♣ Q9

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 220

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q654

♥ A8

♦ A862

♣ AK2

South:

♠ AKJ93

♥ QJ9754

♦ K

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹

Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 221

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ AQ52

♥ J6

♦ K

♣ KQJ653

South:

♠ 93

♥ AK102

♦ AQ104

♣ A84

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4♣
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 222

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ AQ6

♥ K85

♦ 32

♣ AK1085

South:

♠ KJ

♥ Q

♦ AKJ105

♣ Q9632

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹

Pass	5♣	AP	
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1. Minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 219	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK43	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ42	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q9	

Board: 220	♠ AKJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ9754	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Board: 221	♠ 93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK102	
Vul: None	♦ AQ104	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A84	

Board: 222	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q9632	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 219

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ AK10976

♥ J

♦ K9

♣ AJ87

South:

♠ QJ4

♥ AK43

♦ QJ42

♣ Q9

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 220

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q654

♥ A8

♦ A862

♣ AK2

South:

♠ AKJ93

♥ QJ9754

♦ K

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹

Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 221

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ AQ52

♥ J6

♦ K

♣ KQJ653

South:

♠ 93

♥ AK102

♦ AQ104

♣ A84

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4♣
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 222

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ AQ6

♥ K85

♦ 32

♣ AK1085

South:

♠ KJ

♥ Q

♦ AKJ105

♣ Q9632

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹

Pass	5♣	AP	
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1. Minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 223	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ103	
Vul: None	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ1054	

Board: 224	♠ A102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K3	
Vul: NS	♦ Q875	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ103	

Board: 225	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ1032	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K7	

Board: 226	♠ Q104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: None	♦ AQ53	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ75	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 223
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ K7
♥ AQJ103
♦ 8
♣ AQ1054

South:
♠ QJ8
♥ K75
♦ AKJ76
♣ K2

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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)=0

Board: 224
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ A102
♥ K3
♦ Q875
♣ AQ103

South:
♠ Q
♥ AQ10765
♦ A9
♣ KJ97

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

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

Board: 225
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ J
♥ KJ1032
♦ AKQ64
♣ K7

South:
♠ AK10
♥ Q8
♦ 9732
♣ AQ102

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

Board: 226
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 19
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ Q104
♥ A8
♦ AQ53
♣ QJ75

South:
♠ AKJ732
♥ KQ95
♦ K4
♣ K

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 223	♠ QJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K75	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ76	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K2	
Board: 224	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ10765	
Vul: NS	♦ A9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ97	
Board: 225	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: Both	♦ 9732	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ102	
Board: 226	♠ AKJ732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ95	
Vul: None	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ K	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 223

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ K7

♥ AQJ103

♦ 8

♣ AQ1054

South:

♠ QJ8

♥ K75

♦ AKJ76

♣ K2

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♥²

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 224

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ A102

♥ K3

♦ Q875

♣ AQ103

South:

♠ Q

♥ AQ10765

♦ A9

♣ KJ97

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♣³ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 225

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ J

♥ KJ1032

♦ AKQ64

♣ K7

South:

♠ AK10

♥ Q8

♦ 9732

♣ AQ102

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT AP

Board: 226

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ Q104

♥ A8

♦ AQ53

♣ QJ75

South:

♠ AKJ732

♥ KQ95

♦ K4

♣ K

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♠³ Pass 6♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 227	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ10	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K963	

Board: 228	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ98	
Vul: NS	♦ 42	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ106	

Board: 229	♠ AKQ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: EW	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A9532	

Board: 230	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ3	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ1063	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K2	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 227

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ —

♥ KQ10

♦ AKQ843

♣ K963

South:

♠ AQ7

♥ A96

♦ 92

♣ AJ854

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass 3♣¹ Pass 3♦²

Pass 4NT³ Pass 5♣⁴

Pass 6NT AP

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 228

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7♣ N

North:

♠ AK7

♥ AJ98

♦ 42

♣ AJ106

South:

♠ Q8

♥ K

♦ AKQ86

♣ KQ952

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹

Pass 5♣ Pass 6NT

Pass 7♣ AP

1. Minors

Board: 229

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AKQ103

♥ A6

♦ 7

♣ A9532

South:

♠ J4

♥ K72

♦ AQJ2

♣ KQJ4

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT AP

Board: 230

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ J10

♥ AQJ3

♦ AQ1063

♣ K2

South:

♠ AQ9753

♥ K10

♦ KJ42

♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♥³ Pass 6♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 227	♠ AQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A96	
Vul: None	♦ 92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ854	

Board: 228	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ952	

Board: 229	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K72	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ4	

Board: 230	♠ AQ9753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 227
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ —
♥ KQ10
♦ AKQ843
♣ K963

South:
♠ AQ7
♥ A96
♦ 92
♣ AJ854

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

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 228
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 19
Contract: 7♣ N

North:
♠ AK7
♥ AJ98
♦ 42
♣ AJ106

South:
♠ Q8
♥ K
♦ AKQ86
♣ KQ952

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

1. Minors

Board: 229
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AKQ103
♥ A6
♦ 7
♣ A9532

South:
♠ J4
♥ K72
♦ AQJ2
♣ KQJ4

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

Board: 230
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ J10
♥ AQJ3
♦ AQ1063
♣ K2

South:
♠ AQ9753
♥ K10
♦ KJ42
♣ A

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 231	♠ AQ984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ86	
Vul: NS	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K4	
Board: 232	♠ K864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ53	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q4	
Board: 233	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ1065	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10962	
Board: 234	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K63	
Vul: None	♦ 105	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ85	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 231

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AQ984

♥ AQJ86

♦ 5

♣ K4

South:

♠ KJ10

♥ 92

♦ AQJ87

♣ A85

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♥ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♣²

Pass 7♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 232

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4N N

North:

♠ K864

♥ KJ53

♦ KQJ

♣ Q4

South:

♠ J9

♥ A

♦ A932

♣ AK9852

West North East South

1NT Pass 4NT¹

AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 233

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 9

♥ AK

♦ AKQ1065

♣ 10962

South:

♠ AK1054

♥ 84

♦ J94

♣ AK8

West North East South

1NT

Pass 3♣¹ Pass 3♦²

Pass 4NT³ Pass 5♥⁴

Pass 6NT AP

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 234

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ K63

♦ 105

♣ AKJ85

South:

♠ Q

♥ AJ108

♦ AK9874

♣ Q7

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦ Pass 4♦

Pass 5♣ Pass 5♦

Pass 6NT AP

1. Stayman

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 231	♠ KJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ87	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A85	

Board: 232	♠ J9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ A932	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK9852	

Board: 233	♠ AK1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 84	
Vul: Both	♦ J94	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK8	

Board: 234	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ108	
Vul: None	♦ AK9874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q7	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 231

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AQ984

♥ AQJ86

♦ 5

♣ K4

South:

♠ KJ10

♥ 92

♦ AQJ87

♣ A85

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♥ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♣²

Pass 7♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 232

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4N N

North:

♠ K864

♥ KJ53

♦ KQJ

♣ Q4

South:

♠ J9

♥ A

♦ A932

♣ AK9852

West North East South

1NT Pass 4NT¹

AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 233

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 9

♥ AK

♦ AKQ1065

♣ 10962

South:

♠ AK1054

♥ 84

♦ J94

♣ AK8

West North East South

1NT

Pass 3♣¹ Pass 3♦²

Pass 4NT³ Pass 5♥⁴

Pass 6NT AP

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 234

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ K63

♦ 105

♣ AKJ85

South:

♠ Q

♥ AJ108

♦ AK9874

♣ Q7

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦ Pass 4♦

Pass 5♣ Pass 5♦

Pass 6NT AP

1. Stayman

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 235	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8542	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK984	

Board: 236	♠ K1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ83	
Vul: None	♦ Q32	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK	

Board: 237	♠ AQJ763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ Q9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ97	

Board: 238	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: Both	♦ Q64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ65	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 235

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AQ

♥ K8542

♦ 10

♣ AK984

South:

♠ KJ94

♥ Q73

♦ AK6

♣ Q52

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣	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

Board: 236

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K1073

♥ QJ83

♦ Q32

♣ AK

South:

♠ AQJ984

♥ A10

♦ AJ984

♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹

Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 237

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ AQJ763

♥ Q

♦ Q9

♣ AJ97

South:

♠ 104

♥ KJ842

♦ AK10

♣ KQ10

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 238

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ A43

♥ K6

♦ Q64

♣ AKJ65

South:

♠ K8652

♥ A3

♦ AK532

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 235	♠ KJ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q73	
Vul: Both	♦ AK6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q52	

Board: 236	♠ AQJ984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: None	♦ AJ984	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Board: 237	♠ 104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ842	
Vul: NS	♦ AK10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ10	

Board: 238	♠ K8652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: Both	♦ AK532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 235

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AQ

♥ K8542

♦ 10

♣ AK984

South:

♠ KJ94

♥ Q73

♦ AK6

♣ Q52

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣	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

Board: 236

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K1073

♥ QJ83

♦ Q32

♣ AK

South:

♠ AQJ984

♥ A10

♦ AJ984

♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹

Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 237

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ AQJ763

♥ Q

♦ Q9

♣ AJ97

South:

♠ 104

♥ KJ842

♦ AK10

♣ KQ10

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 238

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ A43

♥ K6

♦ Q64

♣ AKJ65

South:

♠ K8652

♥ A3

♦ AK532

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 239	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK862	

Board: 240	♠ K52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A643	
Vul: NS	♦ Q107	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ6	

Board: 241	♠ AQJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ9754	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A	

Board: 242	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ42	
Vul: None	♦ J86	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ6	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 239

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ Q9

♥ 7

♦ AKJ108

♣ AK862

South:

♠ AK7

♥ AKJ65

♦ 954

♣ Q5

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♠¹ Pass 4NT

Pass 6NT AP

1. Minors

Board: 240

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K52

♥ A643

♦ Q107

♣ AQ6

South:

♠ AQJ1076

♥ KJ97

♦ K9

♣ K

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♣³ Pass 6♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 241

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ AQJ87

♥ KQ9754

♦ Q

♣ A

South:

♠ K95

♥ AJ3

♦ AKJ3

♣ 742

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 242

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ 52

♥ AKQ42

♦ J86

♣ KQ6

South:

♠ AKQ763

♥ 8

♦ A10

♣ A843

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♦³ Pass 6♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 239	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ65	
Vul: None	♦ 954	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q5	
Board: 240	♠ AQJ1076	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ97	
Vul: NS	♦ K9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K	
Board: 241	♠ K95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 742	
Board: 242	♠ AKQ763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: None	♦ A10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A843	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 239

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ Q9

♥ 7

♦ AKJ108

♣ AK862

South:

♠ AK7

♥ AKJ65

♦ 954

♣ Q5

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♠¹ Pass 4NT

Pass 6NT AP

1. Minors

Board: 240

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K52

♥ A643

♦ Q107

♣ AQ6

South:

♠ AQJ1076

♥ KJ97

♦ K9

♣ K

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♣³ Pass 6♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 241

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ AQJ87

♥ KQ9754

♦ Q

♣ A

South:

♠ K95

♥ AJ3

♦ AKJ3

♣ 742

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 242

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ 52

♥ AKQ42

♦ J86

♣ KQ6

South:

♠ AKQ763

♥ 8

♦ A10

♣ A843

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♦³ Pass 6♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 243	♠ K542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ87	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K92	

Board: 244	♠ A876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ54	
Vul: Both	♦ AK7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 107	

Board: 245	♠ AKQ532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ A3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ873	

Board: 246	♠ 876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 94	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ87	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ9	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 243

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ K542

♥ AKQJ87

♦ —

♣ K92

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ 942

♦ AK7

♣ A864

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♣³

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 244

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ A876

♥ KJ54

♦ AK7

♣ 107

South:

♠ K9

♥ A10863

♦ Q

♣ AKQ98

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4♦²

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♣⁴ Pass 5♦

Pass 6♦⁵ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. ♥ queen and ♦ king

Board: 245

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQ532

♥ —

♦ A3

♣ AJ873

South:

♠ 1064

♥ AKQJ

♦ K8

♣ K654

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 7♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 246
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ 876
♥ 94
♦ AQ87
♣ AKQ9

South:
♠ AK10
♥ AK10872
♦ K653
♣ —

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 243	♠ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 942	
Vul: EW	♦ AK7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A864	
Board: 244	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10863	
Vul: Both	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ98	
Board: 245	♠ 1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ	
Vul: NS	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K654	
Board: 246	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10872	
Vul: EW	♦ K653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ —	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 243

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ K542

♥ AKQJ87

♦ —

♣ K92

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ 942

♦ AK7

♣ A864

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♣³

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 244

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ A876

♥ KJ54

♦ AK7

♣ 107

South:

♠ K9

♥ A10863

♦ Q

♣ AKQ98

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4♦²

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♣⁴ Pass 5♦

Pass 6♦⁵ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. ♥ queen and ♦ king

Board: 245

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQ532

♥ —

♦ A3

♣ AJ873

South:

♠ 1064

♥ AKQJ

♦ K8

♣ K654

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 7♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 246
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ 876
♥ 94
♦ AQ87
♣ AKQ9

South:
♠ AK10
♥ AK10872
♦ K653
♣ —

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 247	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: Both	♦ AK10832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ87	
Board: 248	♠ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ94	
Vul: None	♦ A1085	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q10	
Board: 249	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ K765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ10763	
Board: 250	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1073	
Vul: None	♦ A104	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ7	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 247

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ K2

♥ 6

♦ AK10832

♣ AQ87

South:

♠ A1043

♥ AKJ10

♦ Q6

♣ K43

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♥ ⁴
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Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♠ ⁶
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Pass	7♦	AP	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 248

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ7

♥ AQ94

♦ A1085

♣ Q10

South:

♠ KQ962

♥ K

♦ KQ

♣ K9862

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♣ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 249

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ A3

♥ K

♦ K765

♣ AQ10763

South:

♠ K87

♥ AJ3

♦ AQJ84

♣ 85

West	North	East	South
			1NT

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. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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

Board: 250

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ KQ3

♥ A1073

♦ A104

♣ KJ7

South:

♠ A

♥ KQ

♦ KJ853

♣ AQ542

West	North	East	South
			1NT

		Pass	4♠ ¹
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Pass	4NT	Pass	7NT
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AP

1. Minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 247	♠ A1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ Q6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K43	

Board: 248	♠ KQ962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K9862	

Board: 249	♠ K87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ84	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 85	

Board: 250	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: None	♦ KJ853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ542	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 247

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ K2

♥ 6

♦ AK10832

♣ AQ87

South:

♠ A1043

♥ AKJ10

♦ Q6

♣ K43

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♥ ⁴
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Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♠ ⁶
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Pass	7♦	AP	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 248

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ7

♥ AQ94

♦ A1085

♣ Q10

South:

♠ KQ962

♥ K

♦ KQ

♣ K9862

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♣ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 249

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ A3

♥ K

♦ K765

♣ AQ10763

South:

♠ K87

♥ AJ3

♦ AQJ84

♣ 85

West	North	East	South
			1NT

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. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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

Board: 250

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ KQ3

♥ A1073

♦ A104

♣ KJ7

South:

♠ A

♥ KQ

♦ KJ853

♣ AQ542

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4NT	Pass	7NT
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AP

1. Minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 251	♠ KQ10643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ	
Board: 252	♠ AK76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J4	
Vul: None	♦ AJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K874	
Board: 253	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: EW	♦ AK942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQJ94	
Board: 254	♠ K982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K654	
Vul: EW	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK10	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 251

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQ10643

♥ 8

♦ KQ92

♣ AQ

South:

♠ J7

♥ AJ64

♦ AJ

♣ KJ754

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 252

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ AK76

♥ J4

♦ AJ9

♣ K874

South:

♠ —

♥ KQ965

♦ KQ5

♣ AQ1052

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 4NT¹

Pass 6♣ AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 253

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ A

♥ J8

♦ AK942

♣ KQJ94

South:

♠ K8

♥ AK965

♦ QJ10

♣ A83

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♠¹ Pass 5♦

Pass 6NT AP

1. Minors

Board: 254

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K982

♥ K654

♦ K2

♣ AK10

South:

♠ Q

♥ AQJ109

♦ AQJ875

♣ J

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4♣²

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♥⁴ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 251	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ64	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ754	

Board: 252	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ965	
Vul: None	♦ KQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ1052	

Board: 253	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK965	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A83	

Board: 254	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ109	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ J	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 251

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQ10643

♥ 8

♦ KQ92

♣ AQ

South:

♠ J7

♥ AJ64

♦ AJ

♣ KJ754

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 252

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ AK76

♥ J4

♦ AJ9

♣ K874

South:

♠ —

♥ KQ965

♦ KQ5

♣ AQ1052

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 4NT¹

Pass 6♣ AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 253

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ A

♥ J8

♦ AK942

♣ KQJ94

South:

♠ K8

♥ AK965

♦ QJ10

♣ A83

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♠¹ Pass 5♦

Pass 6NT AP

1. Minors

Board: 254

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K982

♥ K654

♦ K2

♣ AK10

South:

♠ Q

♥ AQJ109

♦ AQJ875

♣ J

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4♣²

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♥⁴ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 255	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A984	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ8742	
Board: 256	♠ 963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ84	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ76	
Board: 257	♠ A108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ62	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ1054	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	
Board: 258	♠ J82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1065	
Vul: None	♦ AJ96	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ	
Board: 259	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ92	
Vul: EW	♦ J5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ105	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 255
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 19
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♣ N

North:
 ♠ AK
 ♥ A984
 ♦ K
 ♣ KQ8742

South:
 ♠ Q9763
 ♥ K3
 ♦ AQ2
 ♣ A109

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

1. Stayman

Board: 256
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 6♠ N

North:
 ♠ 963
 ♥ A8
 ♦ AQ84
 ♣ KQ76

South:
 ♠ AKQJ102
 ♥ KQ107
 ♦ K6
 ♣ 5

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

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

Board: 257
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♦ S

North:
 ♠ A108
 ♥ QJ62
 ♦ AKQ1054
 ♣ —

South:
 ♠ K43
 ♥ AK8
 ♦ 98
 ♣ AJ943

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

1. Stayman

Board: 258
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♠ N

North:
 ♠ J82
 ♥ K1065
 ♦ AJ96
 ♣ AQ

South:
 ♠ AKQ106
 ♥ J4
 ♦ Q
 ♣ KJ875

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 259

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ 9

♥ KQJ92

♦ J5

♣ AKQ105

South:

♠ AKQ10

♥ 743

♦ AK42

♣ J3

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣	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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 255	♠ Q9763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A109	
Board: 256	♠ AKQJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ107	
Vul: EW	♦ K6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 5	
Board: 257	♠ K43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK8	
Vul: Both	♦ 98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ943	
Board: 258	♠ AKQ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J4	
Vul: None	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ875	
Board: 259	♠ AKQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 743	
Vul: EW	♦ AK42	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J3	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 255
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ A984
♦ K
♣ KQ8742

South:
♠ Q9763
♥ K3
♦ AQ2
♣ A109

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

1. Stayman

Board: 256
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ 963
♥ A8
♦ AQ84
♣ KQ76

South:
♠ AKQJ102
♥ KQ107
♦ K6
♣ 5

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

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

Board: 257
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ A108
♥ QJ62
♦ AKQ1054
♣ —

South:
♠ K43
♥ AK8
♦ 98
♣ AJ943

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

1. Stayman

Board: 258
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ J82
♥ K1065
♦ AJ96
♣ AQ

South:
♠ AKQ106
♥ J4
♦ Q
♣ KJ875

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 259

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ 9

♥ KQJ92

♦ J5

♣ AKQ105

South:

♠ AKQ10

♥ 743

♦ AK42

♣ J3

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣	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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 260	♠ 63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK93	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ973	
Board: 261	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ1098	
Vul: None	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ42	
Board: 262	♠ 54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ10	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ32	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ3	
Board: 263	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1073	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 6	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 260

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ 63

♥ AK93

♦ QJ

♣ AQ973

South:

♠ AKQJ72

♥ QJ104

♦ 32

♣ K

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♥³ Pass 5♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 261

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ Q8

♥ AKQ1098

♦ Q

♣ KJ42

South:

♠ K952

♥ 732

♦ AKJ5

♣ A9

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 262

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 54

♥ AQ10

♦ KQJ32

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ AKQ73

♥ 5

♦ A9874

♣ A6

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

AP

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♠²

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 263

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ 10

♥ AK1073

♦ AKQ832

♣ 6

South:

♠ AQJ7

♥ Q98

♦ J976

♣ AQ

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 260	♠ AKQJ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ104	
Vul: Both	♦ 32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 261	♠ K952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 732	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A9	

Board: 262	♠ AKQ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: NS	♦ A9874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A6	

Board: 263	♠ AQJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q98	
Vul: Both	♦ J976	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 260

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ 63

♥ AK93

♦ QJ

♣ AQ973

South:

♠ AKQJ72

♥ QJ104

♦ 32

♣ K

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♥³ Pass 5♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 261

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ Q8

♥ AKQ1098

♦ Q

♣ KJ42

South:

♠ K952

♥ 732

♦ AKJ5

♣ A9

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 262

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 54

♥ AQ10

♦ KQJ32

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ AKQ73

♥ 5

♦ A9874

♣ A6

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

AP

Board: 263

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ 10

♥ AK1073

♦ AKQ832

♣ 6

South:

♠ AQJ7

♥ Q98

♦ J976

♣ AQ

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♠²

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 264	♠ A107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: None	♦ AQ1062	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ10	

Board: 265	♠ AQ532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ964	
Vul: NS	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J	

Board: 266	♠ AK432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ2	
Vul: None	♦ A104	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q3	

Board: 267	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ832	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 9	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 264

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ A107

♥ K4

♦ AQ1062

♣ KJ10

South:

♠ Q

♥ AJ1095

♦ K7

♣ AQ832

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

Board: 265

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ AQ532

♥ AKQ964

♦ 9

♣ J

South:

♠ K10

♥ 853

♦ AKJ2

♣ AQ86

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	7♥	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 266

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ AK432

♥ QJ2

♦ A104

♣ Q3

South:

♠ QJ876

♥ A

♦ KQ653

♣ KJ

West	North	East	South
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	1NT	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 267

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ A7

♥ AQ832

♦ AQ942

♣ 9

South:

♠ K1095

♥ KJ105

♦ K85

♣ AK

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
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Pass	7♥	AP	
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1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 264	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1095	
Vul: None	♦ K7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ832	

Board: 265	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 853	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ86	

Board: 266	♠ QJ876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ KQ653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ	

Board: 267	♠ K1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ105	
Vul: EW	♦ K85	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 264

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ A107

♥ K4

♦ AQ1062

♣ KJ10

South:

♠ Q

♥ AJ1095

♦ K7

♣ AQ832

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

Board: 265

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ AQ532

♥ AKQ964

♦ 9

♣ J

South:

♠ K10

♥ 853

♦ AKJ2

♣ AQ86

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	7♥	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 266

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ AK432

♥ QJ2

♦ A104

♣ Q3

South:

♠ QJ876

♥ A

♦ KQ653

♣ KJ

West	North	East	South
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	1NT	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 267

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ A7

♥ AQ832

♦ AQ942

♣ 9

South:

♠ K1095

♥ KJ105

♦ K85

♣ AK

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
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Pass	7♥	AP	
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1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 268	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ A82	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J97	

Board: 269	♠ Q52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ63	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Board: 270	♠ A107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 95	
Vul: EW	♦ AK4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ986	

Board: 271	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q973	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 268

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ KQJ10

♦ A82

♣ J97

South:

♠ K10652

♥ A2

♦ K

♣ AK632

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 269

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♦ N

North:

♠ Q52

♥ AKQ63

♦ AJ1084

♣ —

South:

♠ AK3

♥ 54

♦ KQ732

♣ A105

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 270

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7♠ N

North:

♠ A107

♥ 95

♦ AK4

♣ AJ986

South:

♠ KQ843

♥ AKJ43

♦ Q7

♣ K

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 271

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7N S

North:

♠ A

♥ A4

♦ AKQ542

♣ Q973

South:

♠ KQJ98

♥ Q86

♦ 97

♣ AK6

West	North	East	South
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	1NT		
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Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦ ⁴
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Pass	7NT	AP	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 268	♠ K10652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK632	

Board: 269	♠ AK3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 54	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ732	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A105	

Board: 270	♠ KQ843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ43	
Vul: EW	♦ Q7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K	

Board: 271	♠ KQJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q86	
Vul: None	♦ 97	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK6	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 268
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AJ4
♥ KQJ10
♦ A82
♣ J97

South:
♠ K10652
♥ A2
♦ K
♣ AK632

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	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: 269
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♦ N

North:
♠ Q52
♥ AKQ63
♦ AJ1084
♣ —

South:
♠ AK3
♥ 54
♦ KQ732
♣ A105

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 270
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ A107
♥ 95
♦ AK4
♣ AJ986

South:
♠ KQ843
♥ AKJ43
♦ Q7
♣ K

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

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

Board: 271
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7N S

North:
♠ A
♥ A4
♦ AKQ542
♣ Q973

South:
♠ KQJ98
♥ Q86
♦ 97
♣ AK6

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦ ⁴
Pass	7NT	AP	

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 272	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ93	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ106	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A8	

Board: 273	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ952	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQJ2	

Board: 274	♠ QJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ K109	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ	

Board: 275	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1062	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQJ72	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 272
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ Q6
♥ QJ93
♦ KQJ106
♣ A8

South:
♠ 10
♥ AK8542
♦ A7
♣ KQ62

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

Board: 273
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ 53
♥ AQJ952
♦ —
♣ AKQJ2

South:
♠ A1087
♥ K4
♦ AKQ8
♣ 1053

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 274
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ QJ76
♥ KQJ4
♦ K109
♣ KQ

South:
♠ AK54
♥ 9
♦ AQJ653
♣ A9

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 275
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♣ N

North:
♠ 9
♥ AK1062
♦ KQ
♣ AQJ72

South:
♠ AKJ4
♥ 43
♦ AJ7
♣ K864

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	Pass	7♣
AP			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 272	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK8542	
Vul: Both	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ62	

Board: 273	♠ A1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 1053	

Board: 274	♠ AK54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A9	

Board: 275	♠ AKJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 43	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K864	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 272
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ Q6
♥ QJ93
♦ KQJ106
♣ A8

South:
♠ 10
♥ AK8542
♦ A7
♣ KQ62

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

Board: 273
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ 53
♥ AQJ952
♦ —
♣ AKQJ2

South:
♠ A1087
♥ K4
♦ AKQ8
♣ 1053

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 274
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ QJ76
♥ KQJ4
♦ K109
♣ KQ

South:
♠ AK54
♥ 9
♦ AQJ653
♣ A9

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 275
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♣ N

North:
♠ 9
♥ AK1062
♦ KQ
♣ AQJ72

South:
♠ AKJ4
♥ 43
♦ AJ7
♣ K864

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	Pass	7♣
AP			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 276	♠ 96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A54	
Vul: None	♦ A82	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK643	
Board: 277	♠ KQJ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1032	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK6	
Board: 278	♠ A87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1084	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ72	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ	
Board: 279	♠ Q	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: EW	♦ J1065	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ1074	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 276

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 96

♥ A54

♦ A82

♣ AK643

South:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ KJ873

♦ K

♣ Q5

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

Board: 277

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ KQJ97

♥ AQ1032

♦ —

♣ AK6

South:

♠ A82

♥ KJ5

♦ A1085

♣ QJ2

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
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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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 278

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♣ S

North:

♠ A87

♥ A1084

♦ KJ72

♣ QJ

South:

♠ 10

♥ K753

♦ AQ

♣ AK10862

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

1. Stayman

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ Q

♥ AJ

♦ J1065

♣ AKQ1074

South:

♠ K92

♥ KQ85

♦ AQ

♣ J652

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♠ ¹	4♠	5♣
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Pass	6♣	AP	
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1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 276	♠ AKQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ873	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q5	
Board: 277	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ A1085	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ2	
Board: 278	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K753	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK10862	
Board: 279	♠ K92	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ85	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J652	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 276

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 96

♥ A54

♦ A82

♣ AK643

South:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ KJ873

♦ K

♣ Q5

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

Board: 277

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ KQJ97

♥ AQ1032

♦ —

♣ AK6

South:

♠ A82

♥ KJ5

♦ A1085

♣ QJ2

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 278

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♣ S

North:

♠ A87

♥ A1084

♦ KJ72

♣ QJ

South:

♠ 10

♥ K753

♦ AQ

♣ AK10862

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

1. Stayman

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ Q

♥ AJ

♦ J1065

♣ AKQ1074

South:

♠ K92

♥ KQ85

♦ AQ

♣ J652

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

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 280	♠ Q106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K52	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ84	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q6	

Board: 281	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ75	
Vul: Both	♦ K543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 7	

Board: 282	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: None	♦ 93	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q8762	

Board: 283	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ875	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K8	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ Q106

♥ K52

♦ AKJ84

♣ Q6

South:

♠ AKJ985

♥ A104

♦ —

♣ A984

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

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 281

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ K10

♥ AKQJ75

♦ K543

♣ 7

South:

♠ AJ9

♥ 43

♦ AQJ87

♣ A104

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
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Pass	7♥	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 282

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ AQ5

♥ AK10

♦ 93

♣ Q8762

South:

♠ 2

♥ 4

♦ AKQ62

♣ AK10953

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

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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

Board: 283

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ 3

♥ AQ875

♦ AQJ62

♣ K8

South:

♠ AQJ5

♥ K103

♦ K73

♣ A52

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
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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=0/5 or 3/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 280	♠ AKJ985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A104	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A984	
Board: 281	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 43	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ87	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A104	
Board: 282	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK10953	
Board: 283	♠ AQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K103	
Vul: Both	♦ K73	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A52	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ Q106

♥ K52

♦ AKJ84

♣ Q6

South:

♠ AKJ985

♥ A104

♦ —

♣ A984

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

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 281

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ K10

♥ AKQJ75

♦ K543

♣ 7

South:

♠ AJ9

♥ 43

♦ AQJ87

♣ A104

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
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Pass	7♥	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 282

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ AQ5

♥ AK10

♦ 93

♣ Q8762

South:

♠ 2

♥ 4

♦ AKQ62

♣ AK10953

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

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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

Board: 283

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ 3

♥ AQ875

♦ AQJ62

♣ K8

South:

♠ AQJ5

♥ K103

♦ K73

♣ A52

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
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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=0/5 or 3/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 284	♠ AK963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K97	
Vul: NS	♦ Q62	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A2	

Board: 285	♠ AKQ864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 85	
Vul: None	♦ KQ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Board: 286	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A842	
Vul: NS	♦ J42	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A954	

Board: 287	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: EW	♦ A10643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ76	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 284
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ AK963
♥ K97
♦ Q62
♣ A2

South:
♠ QJ82
♥ A3
♦ A
♣ KQJ1075

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♦ ²
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♣ ⁴	Pass	7♠
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. Splinter			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
4. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 285
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ864
♥ 85
♦ KQ94
♣ Q

South:
♠ 52
♥ AJ72
♦ AJ108
♣ AK8

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 286
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AK
♥ A842
♦ J42
♣ A954

South:
♠ Q1096
♥ K
♦ AKQ863
♣ K8

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♦	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 287
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ K3
♥ 7
♦ A10643
♣ AKQ76

South:
♠ AQ4
♥ AKJ94
♦ Q75
♣ 85

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♦
Pass	6NT	AP	
1. Minors			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 284	♠ QJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ1075	
Board: 285	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ72	
Vul: None	♦ AJ108	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK8	
Board: 286	♠ Q1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K8	
Board: 287	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ94	
Vul: EW	♦ Q75	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 85	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 284
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ AK963
♥ K97
♦ Q62
♣ A2

South:
♠ QJ82
♥ A3
♦ A
♣ KQJ1075

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♦ ²
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♣ ⁴	Pass	7♠
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. Splinter			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
4. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 285
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ864
♥ 85
♦ KQ94
♣ Q

South:
♠ 52
♥ AJ72
♦ AJ108
♣ AK8

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 286
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AK
♥ A842
♦ J42
♣ A954

South:
♠ Q1096
♥ K
♦ AKQ863
♣ K8

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♦	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 287
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ K3
♥ 7
♦ A10643
♣ AKQ76

South:
♠ AQ4
♥ AKJ94
♦ Q75
♣ 85

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♦
Pass	6NT	AP	
1. Minors			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 288	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK4	
Vul: None	♦ AQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ753	
Board: 289	♠ KQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ10742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 9	
Board: 290	♠ AK86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J875	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q3	
Board: 291	♠ Q87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ82	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ643	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 288
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ 108
♥ AK4
♦ AQ6
♣ QJ753

South:
♠ AQJ643
♥ QJ108
♦ 7
♣ AK

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

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

Board: 289
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ KQJ8
♥ A6
♦ AQ10742
♣ 9

South:
♠ A2
♥ KQJ3
♦ K9
♣ K8765

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

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

Board: 290
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ AK86
♥ J875
♦ AQ6
♣ Q3

South:
♠ 9
♥ AKQ63
♦ 52
♣ AKJ52

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

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

Board: 291
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ Q87
♥ AKQ82
♦ —
♣ AQ643

South:
♠ A1096
♥ 96
♦ AKQJ
♣ K98

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 288	♠ AQJ643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ108	
Vul: None	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK	

Board: 289	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ K9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K8765	

Board: 290	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ63	
Vul: Both	♦ 52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ52	

Board: 291	♠ A1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K98	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 288
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ 108
♥ AK4
♦ AQ6
♣ QJ753

South:
♠ AQJ643
♥ QJ108
♦ 7
♣ AK

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

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

Board: 289
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ KQJ8
♥ A6
♦ AQ10742
♣ 9

South:
♠ A2
♥ KQJ3
♦ K9
♣ K8765

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

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

Board: 290
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ AK86
♥ J875
♦ AQ6
♣ Q3

South:
♠ 9
♥ AKQ63
♦ 52
♣ AKJ52

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

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

Board: 291
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ Q87
♥ AKQ82
♦ —
♣ AQ643

South:
♠ A1096
♥ 96
♦ AKQJ
♣ K98

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 292	♠ 975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK104	
Vul: EW	♦ J5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ10	

Board: 293	♠ AQ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: Both	♦ AK9873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K3	

Board: 294	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ94	
Vul: None	♦ AJ962	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 104	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 292

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ 975

♥ AK104

♦ J5

♣ AKJ10

South:

♠ A1043

♥ J9

♦ AKQ1042

♣ Q

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

1. Stayman

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 293

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♦ N

North:

♠ AQ82

♥ 4

♦ AK9873

♣ K3

South:

♠ K105

♥ A765

♦ Q104

♣ AQ9

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

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 294

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ A10

♥ AQ94

♦ AJ962

♣ 104

South:

♠ KQ987

♥ 3

♦ K4

♣ AKJ93

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 292	♠ A1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ1042	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Board: 293	♠ K105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A765	
Vul: Both	♦ Q104	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ9	

Board: 294	♠ KQ987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ93	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 292

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♦ S

North:

♠ 975

♥ AK104

♦ J5

♣ AKJ10

South:

♠ A1043

♥ J9

♦ AKQ1042

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	4NT ³
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Pass	5♥ ⁴	Pass	7♦
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AP

1. Stayman

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 293

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♦ N

North:

♠ AQ82

♥ 4

♦ AK9873

♣ K3

South:

♠ K105

♥ A765

♦ Q104

♣ AQ9

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ ²
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♠ ⁴
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Pass	7♦	AP	
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1. Stayman

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 294

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ A10

♥ AQ94

♦ AJ962

♣ 104

South:

♠ KQ987

♥ 3

♦ K4

♣ AKJ93

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♦	Pass	6♣
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AP

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 295	♠ 62	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ7	
Board: 296	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 864	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ108	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ107	
Board: 297	♠ K108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK109	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ875	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 295
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 7♦X S

North:
 ♠ 62
 ♥ 2
 ♦ AKQ852
 ♣ AQJ7

South:
 ♠ AK5
 ♥ AJ1076
 ♦ 43
 ♣ K52

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

- 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
- automat
- Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
- Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
- Blackwood 0314, for ♦
- A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 296
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 7♠N

North:
 ♠ AJ
 ♥ 864
 ♦ AQ108
 ♣ KJ107

South:
 ♠ KQ10975
 ♥ A
 ♦ KJ75
 ♣ A5

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

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

Board: 297
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 6♣N

North:
 ♠ K108
 ♥ AK109
 ♦ —
 ♣ AQJ875

South:
 ♠ AQ53
 ♥ Q53
 ♦ AQ72
 ♣ K4

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

- Stayman
- Blackwood 0314, for ♣
- A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 295	♠ AK5	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ1076	
Vul: None	♦ 43	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K52	

Board: 296	♠ KQ10975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A5	

Board: 297	♠ AQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q53	
Vul: None	♦ AQ72	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K4	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 295
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 7♦X S

North:
 ♠ 62
 ♥ 2
 ♦ AKQ852
 ♣ AQJ7

South:
 ♠ AK5
 ♥ AJ1076
 ♦ 43
 ♣ K52

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

- 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
- automat
- Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
- Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
- Blackwood 0314, for ♦
- A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 296
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 7♠N

North:
 ♠ AJ
 ♥ 864
 ♦ AQ108
 ♣ KJ107

South:
 ♠ KQ10975
 ♥ A
 ♦ KJ75
 ♣ A5

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

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

Board: 297
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 6♣N

North:
 ♠ K108
 ♥ AK109
 ♦ —
 ♣ AQJ875

South:
 ♠ AQ53
 ♥ Q53
 ♦ AQ72
 ♣ K4

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

- Stayman
- Blackwood 0314, for ♣
- A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 298	♠ 10864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ A986	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ8	

Board: 299	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ1064	
Vul: EW	♦ A6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK10532	

Board: 300	♠ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ52	
Vul: NS	♦ A876	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A3	

Board: 301	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ973	
Vul: Both	♦ K2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ1064	

Board: 302	♠ AKQ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: NS	♦ 1097	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A92	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 298
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ 10864
♥ AQ
♦ A986
♣ AJ8

South:
♠ AKQ532
♥ KJ73
♦ K10
♣ 10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	7♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 299
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AJ1064
♦ A6
♣ AK10532

South:
♠ AQ104
♥ K982
♦ KQ5
♣ Q6

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Extended acceptance after NT			

Board: 300
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ KQ9
♥ QJ52
♦ A876
♣ A3

South:
♠ 7
♥ AK1076
♦ KQJ102
♣ KQ

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Extended acceptance after NT			

Board: 301
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ A
♥ AQ973
♦ K2
♣ KJ1064

South:
♠ KQ63
♥ KJ8
♦ A76
♣ A72

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 302
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AKQ103
♥ KJ
♦ 1097
♣ A92

South:
♠ 7
♥ AQ842
♦ AK
♣ K10875

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 298	♠ AKQ532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ73	
Vul: NS	♦ K10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10	

Board: 299	♠ AQ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K982	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q6	

Board: 300	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1076	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ	

Board: 301	♠ KQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ8	
Vul: Both	♦ A76	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A72	

Board: 302	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ842	
Vul: NS	♦ AK	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K10875	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 298
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ 10864
♥ AQ
♦ A986
♣ AJ8

South:
♠ AKQ532
♥ KJ73
♦ K10
♣ 10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	7♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 299
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AJ1064
♦ A6
♣ AK10532

South:
♠ AQ104
♥ K982
♦ KQ5
♣ Q6

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Extended acceptance after NT			

Board: 300
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ KQ9
♥ QJ52
♦ A876
♣ A3

South:
♠ 7
♥ AK1076
♦ KQJ102
♣ KQ

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Extended acceptance after NT			

Board: 301
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ A
♥ AQ973
♦ K2
♣ KJ1064

South:
♠ KQ63
♥ KJ8
♦ A76
♣ A72

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
Pass	7♥	AP	
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 302
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AKQ103
♥ KJ
♦ 1097
♣ A92

South:
♠ 7
♥ AQ842
♦ AK
♣ K10875

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 303	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ632	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ	

Board: 304	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q64	
Vul: EW	♦ AK108	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ52	

Board: 305	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1065	
Vul: Both	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ1092	

Board: 306	♠ AK1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ9	
Vul: None	♦ 742	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ	

Board: 307	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ762	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ752	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 303

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 10

♥ AJ632

♦ AQJ95

♣ KJ

South:

♠ AK96

♥ K10

♦ K86

♣ A873

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 6NT

AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 304

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q6

♥ Q64

♦ AK108

♣ AJ52

South:

♠ AK972

♥ AK972

♦ —

♣ K109

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 305

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ K

♥ AQ1065

♦ K4

♣ KJ1092

South:

♠ 954

♥ KJ

♦ AJ98

♣ AQ84

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♥

Pass 6NT AP

Board: 306

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ AK1085

♥ QJ9

♦ 742

♣ AJ

South:

♠ 7642

♥ AK10642

♦ AQ

♣ K

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♠³ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 307

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ —

♥ AJ762

♦ KQ3

♣ AQ752

South:

♠ KJ106

♥ KQ53

♦ A4

♣ K109

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 303	♠ AK96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ K86	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A873	
Board: 304	♠ AK972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK972	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K109	
Board: 305	♠ 954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ84	
Board: 306	♠ 7642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10642	
Vul: None	♦ AQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	
Board: 307	♠ KJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ53	
Vul: NS	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K109	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 303

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 10

♥ AJ632

♦ AQJ95

♣ KJ

South:

♠ AK96

♥ K10

♦ K86

♣ A873

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 6NT

AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 304

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q6

♥ Q64

♦ AK108

♣ AJ52

South:

♠ AK972

♥ AK972

♦ —

♣ K109

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 305

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ K

♥ AQ1065

♦ K4

♣ KJ1092

South:

♠ 954

♥ KJ

♦ AJ98

♣ AQ84

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♥

Pass 6NT AP

Board: 306

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ AK1085

♥ QJ9

♦ 742

♣ AJ

South:

♠ 7642

♥ AK10642

♦ AQ

♣ K

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♠³ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 307

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ —

♥ AJ762

♦ KQ3

♣ AQ752

South:

♠ KJ106

♥ KQ53

♦ A4

♣ K109

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 308	♠ A85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: None	♦ AK872	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 932	

Board: 309	♠ KQJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A9	

Board: 310	♠ K97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q32	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K52	

Board: 311	♠ AKQJ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ98	
Vul: None	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ J	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 308
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ A85
♥ A2
♦ AK872
♣ 932

South:
♠ KQJ3
♥ KQJ764
♦ —
♣ AJ5

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

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

Board: 309
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KQJ98
♥ 3
♦ AQJ84
♣ A9

South:
♠ 1043
♥ AK7
♦ K96
♣ KQ74

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

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

Board: 310
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ K97
♥ Q32
♦ AKJ10
♣ K52

South:
♠ AQ
♥ AKJ1096
♦ Q643
♣ 7

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

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

Board: 311
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 20
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AKQJ84
♥ KQ98
♦ A7
♣ J

South:
♠ 53
♥ A76
♦ KJ96
♣ AK83

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 308	♠ KQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ764	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ5	
Board: 309	♠ 1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK7	
Vul: NS	♦ K96	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ74	
Board: 310	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ1096	
Vul: EW	♦ Q643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 7	
Board: 311	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A76	
Vul: None	♦ KJ96	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK83	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 308
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ A85
♥ A2
♦ AK872
♣ 932

South:
♠ KQJ3
♥ KQJ764
♦ —
♣ AJ5

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

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

Board: 309
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KQJ98
♥ 3
♦ AQJ84
♣ A9

South:
♠ 1043
♥ AK7
♦ K96
♣ KQ74

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

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

Board: 310
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ K97
♥ Q32
♦ AKJ10
♣ K52

South:
♠ AQ
♥ AKJ1096
♦ Q643
♣ 7

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

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

Board: 311
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 20
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AKQJ84
♥ KQ98
♦ A7
♣ J

South:
♠ 53
♥ A76
♦ KJ96
♣ AK83

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 312	♠ 972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q43	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ4	

Board: 313	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ95	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q8	

Board: 314	♠ Q108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q72	
Vul: Both	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQJ5	

Board: 315	♠ K7532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 21	♣ —	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 312

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 972

♥ Q43

♦ AKJ4

♣ AJ4

South:

♠ AQJ43

♥ AK762

♦ 2

♣ K9

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

Board: 313

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ J

♥ AQJ95

♦ AKQ65

♣ Q8

South:

♠ AK94

♥ K63

♦ 1043

♣ AK7

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
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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=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 314

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ Q108

♥ Q72

♦ K7

♣ AKQJ5

South:

♠ A7

♥ AK105

♦ AQ8543

♣ 4

West	North	East	South
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	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
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Pass	2♦	Pass	4♦
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Pass	5♣	Pass	6♦
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Stayman

Board: 315

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ K7532

♥ AKJ

♦ AKQJ4

♣ —

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ Q7

♦ 1076

♣ AQ63

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	Pass	4♠
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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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 312	♠ AQJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK762	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K9	

Board: 313	♠ AK94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K63	
Vul: EW	♦ 1043	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK7	

Board: 314	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK105	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ8543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 4	

Board: 315	♠ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q7	
Vul: NS	♦ 1076	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ63	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 312

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 972

♥ Q43

♦ AKJ4

♣ AJ4

South:

♠ AQJ43

♥ AK762

♦ 2

♣ K9

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

Board: 313

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ J

♥ AQJ95

♦ AKQ65

♣ Q8

South:

♠ AK94

♥ K63

♦ 1043

♣ AK7

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
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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=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 314

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ Q108

♥ Q72

♦ K7

♣ AKQJ5

South:

♠ A7

♥ AK105

♦ AQ8543

♣ 4

West	North	East	South
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	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
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Pass	2♦	Pass	4♦
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Pass	5♣	Pass	6♦
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Stayman

Board: 315

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ K7532

♥ AKJ

♦ AKQJ4

♣ —

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ Q7

♦ 1076

♣ AQ63

West	North	East	South
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1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	Pass	4♠
------	----	------	----

Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♠ ²
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Pass	7♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 316	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9	
Vul: Both	♦ 8763	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ72	

Board: 317	♠ A10952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1086	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ	

Board: 318	♠ J92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ743	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q93	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 316
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♦ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ AQ9
♦ 8763
♣ KJ72

South:
♠ 54
♥ KJ87
♦ AKQJ95
♣ A

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

1. Stayman
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. ♦ queen no ♠ king no ♣ king
5. King ask by available bid
6. K=1

Board: 317
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ A10952
♥ KQ1086
♦ A
♣ QJ

South:
♠ KQ4
♥ 753
♦ KQ62
♣ AK3

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

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

Board: 318
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ J92
♥ AK
♦ KQ743
♣ Q93

South:
♠ KQ1053
♥ Q8732
♦ A
♣ AK

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 316	♠ 54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ87	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A	

Board: 317	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 753	
Vul: None	♦ KQ62	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK3	

Board: 318	♠ KQ1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8732	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 316
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♦ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ AQ9
♦ 8763
♣ KJ72

South:
♠ 54
♥ KJ87
♦ AKQJ95
♣ A

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

1. Stayman
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. ♦ queen no ♠ king no ♣ king
5. King ask by available bid
6. K=1

Board: 317
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ A10952
♥ KQ1086
♦ A
♣ QJ

South:
♠ KQ4
♥ 753
♦ KQ62
♣ AK3

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

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

Board: 318
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ J92
♥ AK
♦ KQ743
♣ Q93

South:
♠ KQ1053
♥ Q8732
♦ A
♣ AK

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 319	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ52	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 43	
Board: 320	♠ AQ753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: None	♦ 43	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K76	
Board: 321	♠ KQJ4	West Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	
Vul: NS	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ10832	
Board: 322	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K64	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q986	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 319

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ 3

♥ AKQ52

♦ AQJ53

♣ 43

South:

♠ AQ65

♥ 1094

♦ K108

♣ AK2

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♥²

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 320

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♣ N

North:

♠ AQ753

♥ AK10

♦ 43

♣ K76

South:

♠ K

♥ 84

♦ AK85

♣ AQ10852

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♠¹

Pass 3♣² Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♣⁴ Pass 7♣

AP

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 321

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ KQJ4

♥ A3

♦ 3

♣ AQ10832

South:

♠ A106

♥ Q72

♦ AQ109

♣ KJ9

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♦

X 4♣ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♠³ Pass 6♣

AP

1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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

Board: 322

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ K10

♥ K64

♦ AKQ5

♣ Q986

South:

♠ AJ

♥ AQJ32

♦ J

♣ AK542

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♥² Pass 7♥

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 319	♠ AQ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1094	
Vul: Both	♦ K108	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK2	
Board: 320	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 84	
Vul: None	♦ AK85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ10852	
Board: 321	♠ A106	West Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q72	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ109	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ9	
Board: 322	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ32	
Vul: Both	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ AK542	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 319

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ 3

♥ AKQ52

♦ AQJ53

♣ 43

South:

♠ AQ65

♥ 1094

♦ K108

♣ AK2

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♥²

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 320

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♣ N

North:

♠ AQ753

♥ AK10

♦ 43

♣ K76

South:

♠ K

♥ 84

♦ AK85

♣ AQ10852

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♠¹

Pass 3♣² Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♣⁴ Pass 7♣

AP

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 321

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ KQJ4

♥ A3

♦ 3

♣ AQ10832

South:

♠ A106

♥ Q72

♦ AQ109

♣ KJ9

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♦

X 4♣ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♠³ Pass 6♣

AP

1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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

Board: 322

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ K10

♥ K64

♦ AKQ5

♣ Q986

South:

♠ AJ

♥ AQJ32

♦ J

♣ AK542

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♥² Pass 7♥

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 323	♠ AKJ765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ75	
Vul: None	♦ A3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q	

Board: 324	♠ AKJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 962	
Vul: NS	♦ J75	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ5	

Board: 325	♠ AK6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ976	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1062	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ —	

Board: 326	♠ K63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	
Vul: None	♦ Q962	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK86	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 323

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ AKJ765

♥ QJ75

♦ A3

♣ Q

South:

♠ Q102

♥ A10

♦ KQ9

♣ A9864

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠ ³
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 324

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ AKJ7

♥ 962

♦ J75

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ 8

♥ A

♦ AKQ1064

♣ KJ742

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹

Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
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Pass	5♥ ⁴	Pass	7NT
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AP

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 325

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ AK6

♥ AKQ976

♦ Q1062

♣ —

South:

♠ 942

♥ J10

♦ AK984

♣ AK6

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	7♥	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 326

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K63

♥ K5

♦ Q962

♣ AK86

South:

♠ AQJ104

♥ J3

♦ AKJ87

♣ 10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 323	♠ Q102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: None	♦ KQ9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A9864	

Board: 324	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ742	

Board: 325	♠ 942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: EW	♦ AK984	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK6	

Board: 326	♠ AQJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J3	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 323

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ AKJ765

♥ QJ75

♦ A3

♣ Q

South:

♠ Q102

♥ A10

♦ KQ9

♣ A9864

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠ ³
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 324

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ AKJ7

♥ 962

♦ J75

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ 8

♥ A

♦ AKQ1064

♣ KJ742

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹

Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
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Pass	5♥ ⁴	Pass	7NT
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AP

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 325

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ AK6

♥ AKQ976

♦ Q1062

♣ —

South:

♠ 942

♥ J10

♦ AK984

♣ AK6

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	7♥	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 326

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K63

♥ K5

♦ Q962

♣ AK86

South:

♠ AQJ104

♥ J3

♦ AKJ87

♣ 10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 327	♠ AKQJ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ AQ106	

Board: 328	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ64	
Vul: EW	♦ Q932	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 95	

Board: 329	♠ AQ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	
Vul: NS	♦ AK8632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 9	

Board: 330	♠ AQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K93	
Vul: EW	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ74	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 327
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 20
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ AKQJ74
♥ —
♦ KJ10
♣ AQ106

South:
♠ 62
♥ AQ2
♦ AQ952
♣ KJ9

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 328
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 19
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ AK10
♥ AQ64
♦ Q932
♣ 95

South:
♠ 3
♥ KJ
♦ AKJ1084
♣ AK106

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	3♣ ¹
Pass	5♠ ⁴	Pass	4NT ³
	AP		7NT
1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds			
2. automat			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1			

Board: 329
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AQ65
♥ K7
♦ AK8632
♣ 9

South:
♠ K93
♥ AJ4
♦ Q4
♣ AJ1076

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	4♦	Pass	5♣
Pass	6NT	AP	
1. Stayman			

Board: 330
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AQ84
♥ K93
♦ K7
♣ KQ74

South:
♠ 109
♥ AQ10862
♦ AQJ5
♣ A

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	4NT ²
	AP		6♥
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 327	♠ 62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ2	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ952	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ9	
Board: 328	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK106	
Board: 329	♠ K93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ Q4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ1076	
Board: 330	♠ 109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ10862	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 327

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQJ74

♥ —

♦ KJ10

♣ AQ106

South:

♠ 62

♥ AQ2

♦ AQ952

♣ KJ9

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥³

Pass 7♠ AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 328

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ AK10

♥ AQ64

♦ Q932

♣ 95

South:

♠ 3

♥ KJ

♦ AKJ1084

♣ AK106

West North East South

1NT Pass 3♣¹

Pass 3♦² Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♠⁴ Pass 7NT

AP

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 329

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AQ65

♥ K7

♦ AK8632

♣ 9

South:

♠ K93

♥ AJ4

♦ Q4

♣ AJ1076

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♦

Pass 4♦ Pass 5♣

Pass 6NT AP

1. Stayman

Board: 330

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AQ84

♥ K93

♦ K7

♣ KQ74

South:

♠ 109

♥ AQ10862

♦ AQJ5

♣ A

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♥³ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 331	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1082	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ1096	

Board: 332	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1076	
Vul: None	♦ 93	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ10	

Board: 333	♠ AJ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ K8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ542	

Board: 334	♠ J854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK105	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 87	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 331	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ4	♠ KJ106				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK1082	♥ Q9	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 18	♦ —	♦ AK2	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ1096	♣ K732	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 332	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ6	♠ K3		1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹
Vul: None	♥ AJ1076	♥ Q	Pass	5♣	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 93	♦ AKQ65	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ AJ10	♣ K7643				
Contract: 6N N			1. Minors			

Board: 333	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ83	♠ Q95				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 10	♥ AK832	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ K8	♦ AQ7	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 17	♣ AKJ542	♣ Q8	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ N			1. Stayman			

Board: 334	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J854	♠ AK1063		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK105	♥ 2	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3NT ²
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ	♦ 73	Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
South HCP: 16	♣ 87	♣ AKQ103	Pass	5♥ ⁵	Pass	6♠
Contract: 6♠ S			AP			
			1. Extended acceptance after NT			
			2. Cue bid, surplus			
			3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
			5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 331	♠ KJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9	
Vul: Both	♦ AK2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K732	
Board: 332	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K7643	
Board: 333	♠ Q95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK832	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q8	
Board: 334	♠ AK1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ 73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ103	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 331	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ4	♠ KJ106				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK1082	♥ Q9	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 18	♦ —	♦ AK2	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ1096	♣ K732	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 332	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ6	♠ K3		1NT	Pass	4♠ ¹
Vul: None	♥ AJ1076	♥ Q	Pass	5♣	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 93	♦ AKQ65	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ AJ10	♣ K7643				
Contract: 6N N			1. Minors			

Board: 333	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ83	♠ Q95				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 10	♥ AK832	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ K8	♦ AQ7	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 17	♣ AKJ542	♣ Q8	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ N			1. Stayman			

Board: 334	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J854	♠ AK1063		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK105	♥ 2	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3NT ²
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ	♦ 73	Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
South HCP: 16	♣ 87	♣ AKQ103	Pass	5♥ ⁵	Pass	6♠
Contract: 6♠ S			AP			
			1. Extended acceptance after NT			
			2. Cue bid, surplus			
			3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
			5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 335	♠ AJ1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ72	
Vul: None	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Board: 336	♠ KJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK93	
Vul: NS	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ96	

Board: 337	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ1094	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ109	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 335

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ1096

♥ KQJ72

♦ K4

♣ Q

South:

♠ K874

♥ A84

♦ A7

♣ KJ43

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♦ ³
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Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♣ ⁵
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 336

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ KJ9

♥ AK93

♦ Q3

♣ KJ96

South:

♠ A653

♥ 7

♦ AKJ874

♣ AQ

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♣ ¹
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	4NT ³
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Pass	5♦ ⁴	Pass	5♥
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Pass	5♠ ⁵	Pass	7NT
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AP

1. Stayman

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5. ♦ queen and ♠ king

Board: 337

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 3

♥ A10

♦ AQJ1094

♣ AJ109

South:

♠ A6

♥ K76

♦ K82

♣ KQ876

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 335	♠ K874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A84	
Vul: None	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ43	

Board: 336	♠ A653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ	

Board: 337	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K76	
Vul: None	♦ K82	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ876	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 335

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ1096

♥ KQJ72

♦ K4

♣ Q

South:

♠ K874

♥ A84

♦ A7

♣ KJ43

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♦ ³
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Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♣ ⁵
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 336

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ KJ9

♥ AK93

♦ Q3

♣ KJ96

South:

♠ A653

♥ 7

♦ AKJ874

♣ AQ

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♣ ¹
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	4NT ³
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Pass	5♦ ⁴	Pass	5♥
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Pass	5♠ ⁵	Pass	7NT
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AP

1. Stayman

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5. ♦ queen and ♠ king

Board: 337

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 3

♥ A10

♦ AQJ1094

♣ AJ109

South:

♠ A6

♥ K76

♦ K82

♣ KQ876

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥ ⁴
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 338	♠ J8653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: None	♦ AK7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 53	
Board: 339	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A965	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ1087	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A	
Board: 340	♠ 543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK643	
Vul: EW	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ3	
Board: 341	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ1052	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ102	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 338
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ J8653
♥ AK10
♦ AK7
♣ 53

South:
♠ AKQ92
♥ 2
♦ J
♣ AK10872

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

Board: 339
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ 105
♥ A965
♦ AKQ1087
♣ A

South:
♠ AKQJ9
♥ K10
♦ 962
♣ K107

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

1. Stayman

Board: 340
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ 543
♥ AK643
♦ A8
♣ KQ3

South:
♠ AKQ72
♥ 10
♦ KJ742
♣ A4

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

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

Board: 341
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ Q3
♥ AKJ1052
♦ Q
♣ AJ102

South:
♠ AK1084
♥ Q94
♦ AJ3
♣ K3

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 338	♠ AKQ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: None	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK10872	

Board: 339	♠ AKQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: NS	♦ 962	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K107	

Board: 340	♠ AKQ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A4	

Board: 341	♠ AK1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q94	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K3	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 338
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ J8653
♥ AK10
♦ AK7
♣ 53

South:
♠ AKQ92
♥ 2
♦ J
♣ AK10872

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

Board: 339
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ 105
♥ A965
♦ AKQ1087
♣ A

South:
♠ AKQJ9
♥ K10
♦ 962
♣ K107

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

1. Stayman

Board: 340
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 7♠ N

North:
♠ 543
♥ AK643
♦ A8
♣ KQ3

South:
♠ AKQ72
♥ 10
♦ KJ742
♣ A4

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

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

Board: 341
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ Q3
♥ AKJ1052
♦ Q
♣ AJ102

South:
♠ AK1084
♥ Q94
♦ AJ3
♣ K3

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 342	♠ 1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K972	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ	

Board: 343	♠ K10753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q4	

Board: 344	♠ 7632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ8	
Vul: None	♦ AQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ2	

Board: 345	♠ AQJ962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1032	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 342
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ 1082
♥ K972
♦ AQ92
♣ AQ

South:
♠ AKQJ76
♥ Q
♦ KJ743
♣ 10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 343
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ K10753
♥ A
♦ AQJ93
♣ Q4

South:
♠ AQ8
♥ QJ1084
♦ K10
♣ K92

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

Board: 344
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ 7632
♥ AJ8
♦ AQ10
♣ AQ2

South:
♠ AK95
♥ KQ7643
♦ K
♣ K4

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	7♥
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 345
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AQJ962
♥ A1032
♦ Q
♣ QJ

South:
♠ K87
♥ K754
♦ A3
♣ AK74

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 342	♠ AKQJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10	

Board: 343	♠ AQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ1084	
Vul: Both	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K92	

Board: 344	♠ AK95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ7643	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K4	

Board: 345	♠ K87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K754	
Vul: EW	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK74	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 342
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ 1082
♥ K972
♦ AQ92
♣ AQ

South:
♠ AKQJ76
♥ Q
♦ KJ743
♣ 10

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 343
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ K10753
♥ A
♦ AQJ93
♣ Q4

South:
♠ AQ8
♥ QJ1084
♦ K10
♣ K92

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

Board: 344
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♥ N

North:
♠ 7632
♥ AJ8
♦ AQ10
♣ AQ2

South:
♠ AK95
♥ KQ7643
♦ K
♣ K4

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	7♥
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 345
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AQJ962
♥ A1032
♦ Q
♣ QJ

South:
♠ K87
♥ K754
♦ A3
♣ AK74

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 346	♠ KJ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ3	
Vul: None	♦ A106	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K43	
Board: 347	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A874	
Vul: Both	♦ A2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ732	
Board: 348	♠ KJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ75	
Board: 349	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ K1098	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK10854	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 346
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ KJ73
♥ AJ3
♦ A106
♣ K43

South:
♠ A9
♥ KQ874
♦ K
♣ AJ875

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	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)=0

Board: 347
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♣ N

North:
♠ Q
♥ A874
♦ A2
♣ KQJ732

South:
♠ AK107
♥ Q93
♦ K985
♣ A10

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

1. Stayman
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0

Board: 348
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KJ108
♥ KJ4
♦ K8
♣ KQ75

South:
♠ AQ653
♥ —
♦ AQJ532
♣ A8

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	6♠
	AP		

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 349
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AJ
♥ Q
♦ K1098
♣ AK10854

South:
♠ Q3
♥ AK862
♦ AQ6
♣ J92

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

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
2. automat
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 346	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ874	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ875	

Board: 347	♠ AK107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q93	
Vul: Both	♦ K985	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A10	

Board: 348	♠ AQ653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A8	

Board: 349	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK862	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J92	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 346
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ KJ73
♥ AJ3
♦ A106
♣ K43

South:
♠ A9
♥ KQ874
♦ K
♣ AJ875

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	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)=0

Board: 347
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♣ N

North:
♠ Q
♥ A874
♦ A2
♣ KQJ732

South:
♠ AK107
♥ Q93
♦ K985
♣ A10

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

1. Stayman
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0

Board: 348
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KJ108
♥ KJ4
♦ K8
♣ KQ75

South:
♠ AQ653
♥ —
♦ AQJ532
♣ A8

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	6♠
	AP		

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 349
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AJ
♥ Q
♦ K1098
♣ AK10854

South:
♠ Q3
♥ AK862
♦ AQ6
♣ J92

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

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
2. automat
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 350	♠ AK3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K7	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1093	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ64	
Board: 351	♠ QJ865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: Both	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQ107	
Board: 352	♠ J9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K92	
Vul: NS	♦ K63	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ107	
Board: 353	♠ KQJ932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK42	
Vul: Both	♦ K94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 350
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AK3
♥ K7
♦ Q1093
♣ QJ64

South:
♠ 2
♥ AQ9653
♦ K5
♣ AK93

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
	AP		
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

Board: 351
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ QJ865
♥ K2
♦ A
♣ AKQ107

South:
♠ AK97
♥ A98
♦ K83
♣ J86

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 352
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 20
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ J9
♥ K92
♦ K63
♣ AKQ107

South:
♠ AKQ6
♥ A4
♦ AQJ1052
♣ 9

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♦
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠ ⁴
Pass	7NT	AP	
1. Stayman			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			
4. ♦ queen and ♠ king			

Board: 353
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KQJ932
♥ AK42
♦ K94
♣ —

South:
♠ 84
♥ QJ9
♦ AJ732
♣ AK9

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 350	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9653	
Vul: NS	♦ K5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK93	
Board: 351	♠ AK97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A98	
Vul: Both	♦ K83	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J86	
Board: 352	♠ AKQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ 9	
Board: 353	♠ 84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ732	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK9	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 350
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ AK3
♥ K7
♦ Q1093
♣ QJ64

South:
♠ 2
♥ AQ9653
♦ K5
♣ AK93

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
	AP		
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

Board: 351
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♠ S

North:
♠ QJ865
♥ K2
♦ A
♣ AKQ107

South:
♠ AK97
♥ A98
♦ K83
♣ J86

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
Pass	7♠	AP	
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
2. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 352
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 20
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ J9
♥ K92
♦ K63
♣ AKQ107

South:
♠ AKQ6
♥ A4
♦ AQJ1052
♣ 9

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♦
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠ ⁴
Pass	7NT	AP	
1. Stayman			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			
4. ♦ queen and ♠ king			

Board: 353
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KQJ932
♥ AK42
♦ K94
♣ —

South:
♠ 84
♥ QJ9
♦ AJ732
♣ AK9

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 354	♠ AJ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	
Vul: None	♦ K1062	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK8	

Board: 355	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ762	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ	

Board: 356	♠ AK9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ972	
Vul: None	♦ 1092	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K10	

Board: 357	♠ AK1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K102	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 354

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ75

♥ 82

♦ K1062

♣ AK8

South:

♠ Q10832

♥ AKQ96

♦ A

♣ J4

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4♦²

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♥⁴ Pass 6♣

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 355

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ K

♥ AQ762

♦ Q10854

♣ AJ

South:

♠ AQ108

♥ KJ105

♦ K7

♣ K94

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3NT² Pass 4♣³

Pass 4NT⁴ Pass 5♥⁵

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 356

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ AK9

♥ KQ972

♦ 1092

♣ K10

South:

♠ 102

♥ A

♦ AKQJ76

♣ Q864

West North East South

1NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 6♦ AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 357

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ AK1096

♥ —

♦ KQJ85

♣ K102

South:

♠ J43

♥ AQJ105

♦ A10

♣ A73

West	North	East	South
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	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=0/5 or 3/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 354	♠ Q10832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ96	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J4	

Board: 355	♠ AQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ105	
Vul: Both	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K94	

Board: 356	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q864	

Board: 357	♠ J43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ105	
Vul: NS	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A73	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 354

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ75

♥ 82

♦ K1062

♣ AK8

South:

♠ Q10832

♥ AKQ96

♦ A

♣ J4

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4♦²

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♥⁴ Pass 6♣

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 355

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ K

♥ AQ762

♦ Q10854

♣ AJ

South:

♠ AQ108

♥ KJ105

♦ K7

♣ K94

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3NT² Pass 4♣³

Pass 4NT⁴ Pass 5♥⁵

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 356

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ AK9

♥ KQ972

♦ 1092

♣ K10

South:

♠ 102

♥ A

♦ AKQJ76

♣ Q864

West North East South

1NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 6♦ AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 357

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ AK1096

♥ —

♦ KQJ85

♣ K102

South:

♠ J43

♥ AQJ105

♦ A10

♣ A73

West	North	East	South
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	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=0/5 or 3/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 358	♠ AJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K632	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ	

Board: 359	♠ KQJ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ KQ752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ7	

Board: 360	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A93	
Vul: EW	♦ Q10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ1092	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 358

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ AJ85

♥ K632

♦ KJ9

♣ AJ

South:

♠ 9

♥ AQJ10

♦ A5

♣ KQ6542

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4NT⁴

Pass 5♣⁵ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Stayman

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 359

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQJ42

♥ —

♦ KQ752

♣ KQ7

South:

♠ A96

♥ K87

♦ AJ109

♣ AJ9

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♣²

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 360

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♠ N

North:

♠ A43

♥ A93

♦ Q10

♣ AJ1092

South:

♠ KQ10876

♥ Q

♦ AK764

♣ Q

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♣³ Pass 7♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 358	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ A5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ6542	
Board: 359	♠ A96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K87	
Vul: None	♦ AJ109	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ9	
Board: 360	♠ KQ10876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ AK764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 358

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ AJ85

♥ K632

♦ KJ9

♣ AJ

South:

♠ 9

♥ AQJ10

♦ A5

♣ KQ6542

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4NT⁴

Pass 5♣⁵ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Stayman

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 359

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ KQJ42

♥ —

♦ KQ752

♣ KQ7

South:

♠ A96

♥ K87

♦ AJ109

♣ AJ9

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♣²

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 360

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♠ N

North:

♠ A43

♥ A93

♦ Q10

♣ AJ1092

South:

♠ KQ10876

♥ Q

♦ AK764

♣ Q

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT²

Pass 5♣³ Pass 7♠

AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 361	♠ AKQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 5	
Board: 362	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q83	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ742	
Board: 363	♠ K832	East Doubles 7♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ1072	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 361
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♠ S

North:
 ♠ AKQ62
 ♥ Q10
 ♦ KQ1095
 ♣ 5

South:
 ♠ 7543
 ♥ AK94
 ♦ A73
 ♣ KJ

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Splinter
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 362
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 6♠ N

North:
 ♠ 108
 ♥ Q83
 ♦ AKQ
 ♣ KJ742

South:
 ♠ AKQ972
 ♥ AK97
 ♦ J103
 ♣ —

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 363
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 7♥ X S

North:
 ♠ K832
 ♥ KQJ1072
 ♦ K
 ♣ AJ

South:
 ♠ AJ10
 ♥ A98
 ♦ A4
 ♣ Q8432

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♥	X	AP

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 361	♠ 7543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK94	
Vul: None	♦ A73	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ	
Board: 362	♠ AKQ972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK97	
Vul: NS	♦ J103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ —	
Board: 363	♠ AJ10	East Doubles 7♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A98	
Vul: EW	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q8432	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 361
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ62
♥ Q10
♦ KQ1095
♣ 5

South:
♠ 7543
♥ AK94
♦ A73
♣ KJ

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Splinter
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 362
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ 108
♥ Q83
♦ AKQ
♣ KJ742

South:
♠ AKQ972
♥ AK97
♦ J103
♣ —

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

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 363
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 7♥ X S

North:
♠ K832
♥ KQJ1072
♦ K
♣ AJ

South:
♠ AJ10
♥ A98
♦ A4
♣ Q8432

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Pass	7♥	X	AP

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 364	♠ K32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K98	
Vul: NS	♦ K874	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ2	

Board: 365	♠ AKQ762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 5	

Board: 366	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ107	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K842	

Board: 367	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ932	
Vul: None	♦ AQ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q7	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 364
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ K32
♥ K98
♦ K874
♣ AQ2

South:
♠ Q
♥ AQJ753
♦ AQ1062
♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

Board: 365
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ762
♥ QJ
♦ KJ32
♣ 5

South:
♠ J83
♥ K109
♦ AQ106
♣ AJ10

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 366
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ K8
♥ AJ107
♦ KQ8
♣ K842

South:
♠ AQ9764
♥ —
♦ A10752
♣ AQ

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 367
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ 4
♥ AKJ932
♦ AQ53
♣ Q7

South:
♠ AK2
♥ Q106
♦ J106
♣ AK93

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 364	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ753	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ1062	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K	

Board: 365	♠ J83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K109	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ106	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ10	

Board: 366	♠ AQ9764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ A10752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ	

Board: 367	♠ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q106	
Vul: None	♦ J106	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK93	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 364
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ K32
♥ K98
♦ K874
♣ AQ2

South:
♠ Q
♥ AQJ753
♦ AQ1062
♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

Board: 365
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ AKQ762
♥ QJ
♦ KJ32
♣ 5

South:
♠ J83
♥ K109
♦ AQ106
♣ AJ10

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 366
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ K8
♥ AJ107
♦ KQ8
♣ K842

South:
♠ AQ9764
♥ —
♦ A10752
♣ AQ

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♠
AP			
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 367
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ 4
♥ AKJ932
♦ AQ53
♣ Q7

South:
♠ AK2
♥ Q106
♦ J106
♣ AK93

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 368	♠ 954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ	
Vul: Both	♦ A82	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K974	

Board: 369	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1063	
Vul: None	♦ K10642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 370	♠ AKQ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ6	
Vul: NS	♦ 1074	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 106	

Board: 371	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ72	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ9853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A3	

Board: 372	♠ QJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A87	
Vul: None	♦ K1062	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK7	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 368
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 18
Contract: 5♣ N

North:
♠ 954
♥ AKQ
♦ A82
♣ K974

South:
♠ AK8
♥ —
♦ KQJ63
♣ AJ632

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

1. Minors

Board: 369
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4N S

North:
♠ K10
♥ AK1063
♦ K10642
♣ K

South:
♠ AQ853
♥ 97
♦ A98
♣ AJ9

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 370
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AKQ54
♥ AQ6
♦ 1074
♣ 106

South:
♠ 8
♥ K1093
♦ AKQJ83
♣ K7

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

1. Stayman

Board: 371
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AKJ72
♦ KJ9853
♣ A3

South:
♠ K103
♥ Q4
♦ AQ64
♣ KJ84

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

Board: 372
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ QJ3
♥ A87
♦ K1062
♣ AK7

South:
♠ AK1064
♥ 10
♦ AQJ94
♣ Q9

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	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)=1

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 368	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ632	

Board: 369	♠ AQ853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 97	
Vul: None	♦ A98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ9	

Board: 370	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1093	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQJ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K7	

Board: 371	♠ K103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q4	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ64	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ84	

Board: 372	♠ AK1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q9	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 368
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 18
Contract: 5♣ N

North:
♠ 954
♥ AKQ
♦ A82
♣ K974

South:
♠ AK8
♥ —
♦ KQJ63
♣ AJ632

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

1. Minors

Board: 369
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4N S

North:
♠ K10
♥ AK1063
♦ K10642
♣ K

South:
♠ AQ853
♥ 97
♦ A98
♣ AJ9

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

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 370
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AKQ54
♥ AQ6
♦ 1074
♣ 106

South:
♠ 8
♥ K1093
♦ AKQJ83
♣ K7

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

1. Stayman

Board: 371
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AKJ72
♦ KJ9853
♣ A3

South:
♠ K103
♥ Q4
♦ AQ64
♣ KJ84

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

Board: 372
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ QJ3
♥ A87
♦ K1062
♣ AK7

South:
♠ AK1064
♥ 10
♦ AQJ94
♣ Q9

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	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)=1

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 373	♠ AK86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10763	
Vul: NS	♦ 97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	
Board: 374	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ82	
Vul: EW	♦ Q82	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK2	
Board: 375	♠ AKQ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J3	
Vul: None	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK653	
Board: 376	♠ K94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ7	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ97	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J7	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 373

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AK86

♥ AK10763

♦ 97

♣ Q

South:

♠ 95

♥ QJ5

♦ KQ2

♣ AK732

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 374

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K74

♥ KQ82

♦ Q82

♣ AK2

South:

♠ J8

♥ AJ963

♦ AKJ73

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 375

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQ95

♥ J3

♦ 9

♣ AK653

South:

♠ 1064

♥ AKQ10

♦ A105

♣ Q107

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4♠
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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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 376

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K94

♥ AJ7

♦ AKJ97

♣ J7

South:

♠ AJ73

♥ KQ10852

♦ —

♣ AQ8

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹

Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 373	♠ 95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ5	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK732	
Board: 374	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ963	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	
Board: 375	♠ 1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ10	
Vul: None	♦ A105	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q107	
Board: 376	♠ AJ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ10852	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ8	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 373

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ AK86

♥ AK10763

♦ 97

♣ Q

South:

♠ 95

♥ QJ5

♦ KQ2

♣ AK732

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 374

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K74

♥ KQ82

♦ Q82

♣ AK2

South:

♠ J8

♥ AJ963

♦ AKJ73

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 375

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AKQ95

♥ J3

♦ 9

♣ AK653

South:

♠ 1064

♥ AKQ10

♦ A105

♣ Q107

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4♠
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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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 376

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K94

♥ AJ7

♦ AKJ97

♣ J7

South:

♠ AJ73

♥ KQ10852

♦ —

♣ AQ8

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹

Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 377	♠ AQ8764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ K1076	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK5	

Board: 378	♠ KQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q54	
Vul: NS	♦ A87	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ2	

Board: 379	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK74	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ9874	

Board: 380	♠ K64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ83	
Vul: Both	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ52	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 377

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AQ8764

♥ —

♦ K1076

♣ AK5

South:

♠ K5

♥ A75

♦ AQ95

♣ Q643

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
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Pass	7♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 378

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ KQ84

♥ Q54

♦ A87

♣ AJ2

South:

♠ 73

♥ AKJ109

♦ KQ653

♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 379

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♣ N

North:

♠ 3

♥ AK74

♦ A7

♣ AQ9874

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ Q102

♦ KJ3

♣ KJ10

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4♣
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	7♣	AP	
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1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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

Board: 380

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K64

♥ KQ83

♦ K6

♣ KQ52

South:

♠ A10853

♥ J

♦ AQJ982

♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 377	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A75	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ95	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q643	

Board: 378	♠ 73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ109	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 379	♠ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q102	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ10	

Board: 380	♠ A10853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 377

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ AQ8764

♥ —

♦ K1076

♣ AK5

South:

♠ K5

♥ A75

♦ AQ95

♣ Q643

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
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Pass	7♠	AP	
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1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 378

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ KQ84

♥ Q54

♦ A87

♣ AJ2

South:

♠ 73

♥ AKJ109

♦ KQ653

♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 379

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♣ N

North:

♠ 3

♥ AK74

♦ A7

♣ AQ9874

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ Q102

♦ KJ3

♣ KJ10

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4♣
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	7♣	AP	
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1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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

Board: 380

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K64

♥ KQ83

♦ K6

♣ KQ52

South:

♠ A10853

♥ J

♦ AQJ982

♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 381	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ63	
Vul: None	♦ AJ983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q6	
Board: 382	♠ AKJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1072	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A7	
Board: 383	♠ A87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ73	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ652	
Board: 384	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A984	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 381

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K

♥ KQJ63

♦ AJ983

♣ Q6

South:

♠ A986

♥ A952

♦ 74

♣ AK9

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3NT² Pass 4♣³

Pass 4NT⁴ Pass 5♣⁵

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 382

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ AKJ2

♥ Q1072

♦ QJ10

♣ A7

South:

♠ 9

♥ AK983

♦ AK642

♣ QJ

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3NT²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4NT⁴

Pass 5♠⁵ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 383

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ A87

♥ KQ73

♦ —

♣ AKJ652

South:

♠ QJ5

♥ A106

♦ AKQ65

♣ 73

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♦

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦

Pass 6♣ AP

1. Stayman

Board: 384

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AQ10

♥ 82

♦ KQJ6

♣ A984

South:

♠ 8

♥ AKQ94

♦ A9

♣ QJ632

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

AP

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 381	♠ A986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A952	
Vul: None	♦ 74	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK9	

Board: 382	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK983	
Vul: EW	♦ AK642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ	

Board: 383	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A106	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ65	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 73	

Board: 384	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ94	
Vul: None	♦ A9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ632	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 381

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K

♥ KQJ63

♦ AJ983

♣ Q6

South:

♠ A986

♥ A952

♦ 74

♣ AK9

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3NT² Pass 4♣³

Pass 4NT⁴ Pass 5♣⁵

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 382

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ AKJ2

♥ Q1072

♦ QJ10

♣ A7

South:

♠ 9

♥ AK983

♦ AK642

♣ QJ

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3NT²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4NT⁴

Pass 5♠⁵ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

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

Board: 383

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ A87

♥ KQ73

♦ —

♣ AKJ652

South:

♠ QJ5

♥ A106

♦ AKQ65

♣ 73

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♦

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦

Pass 6♣ AP

1. Stayman

Board: 384

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AQ10

♥ 82

♦ KQJ6

♣ A984

South:

♠ 8

♥ AKQ94

♦ A9

♣ QJ632

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

AP

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 385	♠ 8764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK10943	

Board: 386	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q32	
Vul: Both	♦ K1096	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ10	

Board: 387	♠ QJ754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 9	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 385

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 8764

♥ AJ

♦ A

♣ AK10943

South:

♠ AQ2

♥ K5

♦ KJ82

♣ QJ87

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♦ ³	Pass	5NT ⁴
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Pass	6♣ ⁵	Pass	6NT
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AP

1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=0

Board: 386

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ KQ3

♥ Q32

♦ K1096

♣ KQ10

South:

♠ 9

♥ AKJ7

♦ AQJ543

♣ A5

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♣ ¹
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
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AP

1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 387

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ QJ754

♥ AK

♦ AQ863

♣ 9

South:

♠ A92

♥ QJ7

♦ KJ105

♣ A63

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 385	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ82	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ87	

Board: 386	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ A5	

Board: 387	♠ A92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ7	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ105	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A63	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 385

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 8764

♥ AJ

♦ A

♣ AK10943

South:

♠ AQ2

♥ K5

♦ KJ82

♣ QJ87

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♦ ³	Pass	5NT ⁴
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Pass	6♣ ⁵	Pass	6NT
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AP

1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=0

Board: 386

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ KQ3

♥ Q32

♦ K1096

♣ KQ10

South:

♠ 9

♥ AKJ7

♦ AQJ543

♣ A5

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♣ ¹
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
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AP

1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 387

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ QJ754

♥ AK

♦ AQ863

♣ 9

South:

♠ A92

♥ QJ7

♦ KJ105

♣ A63

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 388	♠ KQ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A75	
Vul: EW	♦ K65	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ3	

Board: 389	♠ KQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ K85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ943	

Board: 390	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K102	
Vul: NS	♦ J854	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ	

Board: 391	♠ 43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1032	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ96	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 388
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ KQ64
♥ A75
♦ K65
♣ KQ3

South:
♠ A
♥ K
♦ AQJ872
♣ A8652

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹

Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
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Pass	5♥ ⁴	Pass	7NT
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AP

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

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

Board: 389
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KQJ2
♥ —
♦ K85
♣ AQJ943

South:
♠ 10987
♥ AQ76
♦ AQ
♣ K65

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

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

Board: 390
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ QJ5
♥ K102
♦ J854
♣ AKJ

South:
♠ AK93
♥ A93
♦ AQ9763
♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹

Pass	2♦	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
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AP

1. Stayman

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 391
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ 43
♥ AK1032
♦ Q
♣ AKQ96

South:
♠ AQ1062
♥ QJ5
♦ AK9
♣ 107

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
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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=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 388	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A8652	

Board: 389	♠ 10987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ76	
Vul: None	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K65	

Board: 390	♠ AK93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A93	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ9763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ —	

Board: 391	♠ AQ1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ AK9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 107	

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 388
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7N N

North:
♠ KQ64
♥ A75
♦ K65
♣ KQ3

South:
♠ A
♥ K
♦ AQJ872
♣ A8652

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

1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

Board: 389
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KQJ2
♥ —
♦ K85
♣ AQJ943

South:
♠ 10987
♥ AQ76
♦ AQ
♣ K65

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

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

Board: 390
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ QJ5
♥ K102
♦ J854
♣ AKJ

South:
♠ AK93
♥ A93
♦ AQ9763
♣ —

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

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

Board: 391
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 16
Contract: 7♥ S

North:
♠ 43
♥ AK1032
♦ Q
♣ AKQ96

South:
♠ AQ1062
♥ QJ5
♦ AK9
♣ 107

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 392

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

HCP: 16

♠ Q108

♥ 962

♦ AKQ

♣ AJ107

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 392

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q108

♥ 962

♦ AKQ

♣ AJ107

South:

♠ AJ

♥ AKJ83

♦ 2

♣ K9654

West	North	East	South
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	1NT	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Quantitative 4NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N.

Board: 392

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

HCP: 16

♠ AJ

♥ AKJ83

♦ 2

♣ K9654

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Ned's 3-Level Response to 1N. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 392

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q108

♥ 962

♦ AKQ

♣ AJ107

South:

♠ AJ

♥ AKJ83

♦ 2

♣ K9654

West	North	East	South
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	1NT	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Quantitative 4NT