

<b>Board: 1</b>	♠ K2	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 9763	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A4	
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<b>Board: 2</b>	♠ T	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ J8	West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A8764	East (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ A8642	West (RHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.
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<b>Board: 3</b>	♠ AQT97643	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K	
HCP: 17+4	♣ AJ	
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<b>Board: 4</b>	♠ KJT94	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J9	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AQ975	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 1

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K2

♥ AKQ42

♦ 9763

♣ A4

South:

♠ J9654

♥ 7

♦ AJ

♣ KQJT2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 2

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 5+1

Contract: 5 ♣X South

North:

♠ T

♥ J8

♦ A8764

♣ A8642

South:

♠ 982

♥ Q73

♦ 93

♣ QJ953

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2NT<sup>2</sup> 3 ♠ 5 ♣

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

### Board: 3

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+4

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQT97643

♥ K4

♦ K

♣ AJ

South:

♠ 2

♥ Q7

♦ AJ943

♣ QT854

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

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

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5 ♦<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

6. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 4

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KJT94

♥ 9

♦ J9

♣ AQ975

South:

♠ 86

♥ AQ3

♦ AKQ32

♣ K32

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 1</b>	♠ J9654	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ	
HCP: 12+2	♣ KQJT2	
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<b>Board: 2</b>	♠ 982	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ Q73	West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 93	East (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 5+1	♣ QJ953	West (LHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.
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<b>Board: 3</b>	♠ 2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ943	
HCP: 9+2	♣ QT854	
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<b>Board: 4</b>	♠ 86	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ32	
HCP: 18+1	♣ K32	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 1

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K2

♥ AKQ42

♦ 9763

♣ A4

South:

♠ J9654

♥ 7

♦ AJ

♣ KQJT2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 2

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 5+1

Contract: 5 ♣X South

North:

♠ T

♥ J8

♦ A8764

♣ A8642

South:

♠ 982

♥ Q73

♦ 93

♣ QJ953

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2NT<sup>2</sup> 3 ♠ 5 ♣

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

### Board: 3

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+4

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQT97643

♥ K4

♦ K

♣ AJ

South:

♠ 2

♥ Q7

♦ AJ943

♣ QT854

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

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

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5 ♦<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

6. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 4

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KJT94

♥ 9

♦ J9

♣ AQ975

South:

♠ 86

♥ AQ3

♦ AKQ32

♣ K32

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 5**      ♠ AQ972      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 7      West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AJ653  
HCP: 11+2      ♣ 93

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**Board: 6**      ♠ -      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AQJ3      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AQJT743  
HCP: 17+3      ♣ K9

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**Board: 7**      ♠ K32      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ K7      West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AQJ53  
HCP: 19+1      ♣ AQ7

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**Board: 8**      ♠ T8732      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKQJ3      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ AQ5  
HCP: 16+2      ♣ -

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 5

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ AQ972

♥ 7

♦ AJ653

♣ 93

South:

♠ J3

♥ AQJ9

♦ K84

♣ AKT7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ Pass Pass X

Pass 2 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 3 ♥

Pass 6 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

### Board: 6

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 7 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AQJ3

♦ AQJT743

♣ K9

South:

♠ AKT76

♥ KT754

♦ 8

♣ A7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 7 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 7

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ K32

♥ K7

♦ AQJ53

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ QJ875

♥ Q4

♦ K

♣ K9643

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

X 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 8

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T8732

♥ AKQJ3

♦ AQ5

♣ -

South:

♠ K

♥ 7

♦ 98643

♣ AKT763

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 3 ♣

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 5**

♠ J3

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQJ9

West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ K84

HCP: 18

♣ AKT7

**Board: 6**

♠ AKT76

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT754

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 8

HCP: 14+2

♣ A7

**Board: 7**

♠ QJ875

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q4

West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ K

HCP: 11+2

♣ K9643

**Board: 8**

♠ K

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 7

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 98643

HCP: 10+3

♣ AKT763

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 5

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ AQ972

♥ 7

♦ AJ653

♣ 93

South:

♠ J3

♥ AQJ9

♦ K84

♣ AKT7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ Pass Pass X

Pass 2 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 3 ♥

Pass 6 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

### Board: 6

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 7 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AQJ3

♦ AQJT743

♣ K9

South:

♠ AKT76

♥ KT754

♦ 8

♣ A7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 7 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 7

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ K32

♥ K7

♦ AQJ53

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ QJ875

♥ Q4

♦ K

♣ K9643

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

X 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 8

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T8732

♥ AKQJ3

♦ AQ5

♣ -

South:

♠ K

♥ 7

♦ 98643

♣ AKT763

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 3 ♣

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 9</b>	♠ A3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K	
HCP: 20+4	♣ AKQ76543	

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<b>Board: 10</b>	♠ QJT	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJT6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ	
HCP: 18+1	♣ Q94	

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<b>Board: 11</b>	♠ AKQJT532	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQT	West (RHO) bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 6	
HCP: 16+4	♣ 8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 9

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20+4

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 7♣ North

North:

♠ A3

♥ A4

♦ K

♣ AKQ76543

South:

♠ 6

♥ KT9653

♦ AQJT5

♣ T

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>7</sup> Pass 6♦<sup>8</sup>

Pass 7♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for !C

6. A=1/5 or 4/5

7. King ask by 5NT

8. K=1

### Board: 10

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJT

♥ AQJT6

♦ AQ

♣ Q94

South:

♠ 84

♥ 5

♦ KJ532

♣ AJ762

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 11

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+4

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ AKQJT532

♥ AQT

♦ 6

♣ 8

South:

♠ 4

♥ J7653

♦ AKJT3

♣ 32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

5♣ 5♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 9**

♠ 6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT9653

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQJT5

HCP: 10+3

♣ T

**Board: 10**

♠ 84

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KJ532

HCP: 9+2

♣ AJ762

**Board: 11**

♠ 4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J7653

West (LHO) bids 5♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AKJT3

HCP: 9+2

♣ 32

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 9

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20+4

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 7♣ North

North:

♠ A3

♥ A4

♦ K

♣ AKQ76543

South:

♠ 6

♥ KT9653

♦ AQJT5

♣ T

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>7</sup> Pass 6♦<sup>8</sup>

Pass 7♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for !C

6. A=1/5 or 4/5

7. King ask by 5NT

8. K=1

### Board: 10

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJT

♥ AQJT6

♦ AQ

♣ Q94

South:

♠ 84

♥ 5

♦ KJ532

♣ AJ762

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 11

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+4

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ AKQJT532

♥ AQT

♦ 6

♣ 8

South:

♠ 4

♥ J7653

♦ AKJT3

♣ 32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

5♣ 5♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 12**

♠ 5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJ762

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJT42

HCP: 9+2

♣ 53

**Board: 13**

♠ AKJ842

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KT

HCP: 18+2

♣ AK9

**Board: 14**

♠ A862

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 842

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KQ3

HCP: 16

♣ AQJ

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 12

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 5

♥ KJ762

♦ AJT42

♣ 53

South:

♠ AKJT763

♥ 8

♦ Q5

♣ AQ6

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 13

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKJ842

♥ T8

♦ KT

♣ AK9

South:

♠ QT

♥ AJ654

♦ AQ982

♣ Q

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

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

Pass 6 ♥<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=2

### Board: 14

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ A862

♥ 842

♦ KQ3

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ KJ

♥ KQJ96

♦ 98542

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 12</b>	♠ AKJT763	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q5	
HCP: 16+3	♣ AQ6	

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<b>Board: 13</b>	♠ QT	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ654	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ982	
HCP: 15+2	♣ Q	

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<b>Board: 14</b>	♠ KJ	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQJ96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 98542	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 12

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 5

♥ KJ762

♦ AJT42

♣ 53

South:

♠ AKJT763

♥ 8

♦ Q5

♣ AQ6

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 13

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKJ842

♥ T8

♦ KT

♣ AK9

South:

♠ QT

♥ AJ654

♦ AQ982

♣ Q

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

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

Pass 6 ♥<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=2

### Board: 14

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ A862

♥ 842

♦ KQ3

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ KJ

♥ KQJ96

♦ 98542

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 15**

♠ KQ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJ84

East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 976

HCP: 16+1

♣ KT3

**Board: 16**

♠ AQJ92

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ T4

HCP: 10+2

♣ J9632

**Board: 17**

♠ QJ832

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ863

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ Q6

HCP: 13+2

♣ K

**Board: 18**

♠ AKQJ8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q6543

HCP: 12+2

♣ 52

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 15

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ KQ

♥ AKJ84

♦ 976

♣ KT3

South:

♠ A8763

♥ Q9

♦ 4

♣ Q7642

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 16

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ92

♥ Q

♦ T4

♣ J9632

South:

♠ K86

♥ K93

♦ K9

♣ AKT84

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 17

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QJ832

♥ KQ863

♦ Q6

♣ K

South:

♠ A974

♥ J5

♦ AJ5

♣ AQ95

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 18

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ 5

♦ Q6543

♣ 52

South:

♠ -

♥ AKQ9872

♦ K7

♣ A864

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. solo suit

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

<b>Board: 15</b>	♠ A8763	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q9	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 4	
HCP: 8+2	♣ Q7642	

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<b>Board: 16</b>	♠ K86	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K9	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKT84	

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<b>Board: 17</b>	♠ A974	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ5	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ95	

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<b>Board: 18</b>	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ9872	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K7	
HCP: 16+3	♣ A864	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 15

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ KQ

♥ AKJ84

♦ 976

♣ KT3

South:

♠ A8763

♥ Q9

♦ 4

♣ Q7642

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 16

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ92

♥ Q

♦ T4

♣ J9632

South:

♠ K86

♥ K93

♦ K9

♣ AKT84

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 17

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QJ832

♥ KQ863

♦ Q6

♣ K

South:

♠ A974

♥ J5

♦ AJ5

♣ AQ95

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 18

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ 5

♦ Q6543

♣ 52

South:

♠ -

♥ AKQ9872

♦ K7

♣ A864

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. solo suit

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

**Board: 19**      ♠ AJ95      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ J      East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ Q4  
HCP: 17+2      ♣ AKQT43

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**Board: 20**      ♠ AK      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KQ965      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ KJT  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ T98

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**Board: 21**      ♠ K9      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ K98      West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AKJT  
HCP: 16      ♣ Q932

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**Board: 22**      ♠ 9      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ K3      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ QT976  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ QJ973

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 19

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 15+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AJ95

♥ J

♦ Q4

♣ AKQT43

South:

♠ K

♥ AKT642

♦ AJ652

♣ 6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠ 3♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. relay

### Board: 20

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ AK

♥ KQ965

♦ KJT

♣ T98

South:

♠ QT742

♥ J

♦ A8532

♣ A3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 21

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ K9

♥ K98

♦ AKJT

♣ Q932

South:

♠ A8753

♥ AT

♦ 9

♣ AK854

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

3♥ 3NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 22

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 9

♥ K3

♦ QT976

♣ QJ973

South:

♠ KQ65

♥ A42

♦ A8

♣ A865

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 19**      ♠ K      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKT642      East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AJ652  
HCP: 15+3      ♣ 6

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**Board: 20**      ♠ QT742      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ J      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ A8532  
HCP: 11+2      ♣ A3

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**Board: 21**      ♠ A8753      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AT      West (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ 9  
HCP: 15+2      ♣ AK854

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**Board: 22**      ♠ KQ65      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A42      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ A8  
HCP: 17      ♣ A865

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 19

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 15+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AJ95

♥ J

♦ Q4

♣ AKQT43

South:

♠ K

♥ AKT642

♦ AJ652

♣ 6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠ 3♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. relay

### Board: 20

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ AK

♥ KQ965

♦ KJT

♣ T98

South:

♠ QT742

♥ J

♦ A8532

♣ A3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 21

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ K9

♥ K98

♦ AKJT

♣ Q932

South:

♠ A8753

♥ AT

♦ 9

♣ AK854

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

3♥ 3NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 22

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 9

♥ K3

♦ QT976

♣ QJ973

South:

♠ KQ65

♥ A42

♦ A8

♣ A865

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 23</b>	♠ 764	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ6	East (LHO) Doubles 5 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJT	West (RHO) Doubles 6 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 18+1	♣ K2	

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<b>Board: 24</b>	♠ Q5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	East (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A9852	
HCP: 11+3	♣ KQT987	

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<b>Board: 25</b>	♠ K97	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQJ83	
HCP: 17+1	♣ KQ5	

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<b>Board: 26</b>	♠ 6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 83	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ JT653	
HCP: 8+2	♣ AK872	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 23

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6♣X South

North:

♠ 764

♥ KQ6

♦ AKQJT

♣ K2

South:

♠ KT9

♥ JT852

♦ -

♣ AJ976

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♥	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>	X	6♣
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Exclusion, for !H
4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 24

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♣ North

North:

♠ Q5

♥ -

♦ A9852

♣ KQT987

South:

♠ KJ732

♥ AQ3

♦ KQJ4

♣ 2

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♥	3♠
Pass	4♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 25

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ K97

♥ K8

♦ KQJ83

♣ KQ5

South:

♠ QJ542

♥ JT642

♦ T6

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 26

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ 6

♥ 83

♦ JT653

♣ AK872

South:

♠ AT3

♥ AKT96

♦ KQ2

♣ Q5

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♠	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 23</b>	♠ KT9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT852	East (RHO) Doubles 5 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ -	West (LHO) Doubles 6 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ AJ976	

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<b>Board: 24</b>	♠ KJ732	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ3	East (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQJ4	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 2	

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<b>Board: 25</b>	♠ QJ542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT642	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T6	
HCP: 8+2	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 26</b>	♠ AT3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT96	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ2	
HCP: 18+1	♣ Q5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 23

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6♣X South

North:

♠ 764

♥ KQ6

♦ AKQJT

♣ K2

South:

♠ KT9

♥ JT852

♦ -

♣ AJ976

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♥	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>	X	6♣
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Exclusion, for !H
4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 24

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♣ North

North:

♠ Q5

♥ -

♦ A9852

♣ KQT987

South:

♠ KJ732

♥ AQ3

♦ KQJ4

♣ 2

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♥	3♠
Pass	4♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 25

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ K97

♥ K8

♦ KQJ83

♣ KQ5

South:

♠ QJ542

♥ JT642

♦ T6

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 26

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ 6

♥ 83

♦ JT653

♣ AK872

South:

♠ AT3

♥ AKT96

♦ KQ2

♣ Q5

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♠	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 27**

♠ AQ62

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A87

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ Q53

HCP: 16

♣ A75

**Board: 28**

♠ AQ874

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K42

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AK83

HCP: 16+1

♣ 3

**Board: 29**

♠ A62

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQ96

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ T

HCP: 17+1

♣ AT87

**Board: 30**

♠ K8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ9532

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J

HCP: 17+2

♣ AQJ6

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 27

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQ62

♥ A87

♦ Q53

♣ A75

South:

♠ K

♥ 6

♦ JT876

♣ KQ9864

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
4. automat

### Board: 28

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AQ874

♥ K42

♦ AK83

♣ 3

South:

♠ 96

♥ AQ753

♦ T

♣ QJ952

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 29

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A62

♥ AKQ96

♦ T

♣ AT87

South:

♠ KJ843

♥ 8

♦ KQ9742

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Rubensohl after 1m
3. relay

### Board: 30

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K8

♥ AQ9532

♦ J

♣ AQJ6

South:

♠ A7

♥ 6

♦ Q7654

♣ K9754

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

**Board: 27**

♠ K

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ JT876

HCP: 9+3

♣ KQ9864

**Board: 28**

♠ 96

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ753

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ T

HCP: 9+2

♣ QJ952

**Board: 29**

♠ KJ843

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 8

East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KQ9742

HCP: 9+3

♣ 5

**Board: 30**

♠ A7

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ Q7654

HCP: 9+2

♣ K9754

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 27

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQ62

♥ A87

♦ Q53

♣ A75

South:

♠ K

♥ 6

♦ JT876

♣ KQ9864

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
4. automat

### Board: 28

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AQ874

♥ K42

♦ AK83

♣ 3

South:

♠ 96

♥ AQ753

♦ T

♣ QJ952

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 29

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A62

♥ AKQ96

♦ T

♣ AT87

South:

♠ KJ843

♥ 8

♦ KQ9742

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Rubensohl after 1m
3. relay

### Board: 30

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K8

♥ AQ9532

♦ J

♣ AQJ6

South:

♠ A7

♥ 6

♦ Q7654

♣ K9754

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

**Board: 31**      ♠ AKQJ9432    You are dealer.  
Dealer: North    ♥ -                    The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S        ♦ KJ  
HCP: 18+4      ♣ A54

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**Board: 32**      ♠ AK32            You are dealer.  
Dealer: North    ♥ T93                The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W        ♦ AKQ63  
HCP: 18+1      ♣ Q

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**Board: 33**      ♠ KJ763          Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South    ♥ QT942            The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None        ♦ 6  
HCP: 8+2        ♣ Q7

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**Board: 34**      ♠ A983            You are dealer.  
Dealer: North    ♥ J2                  The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S        ♦ Q  
HCP: 16+2      ♣ AKQ654

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 31

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+4

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKQJ9432

♥ -

♦ KJ

♣ A54

South:

♠ -

♥ KQ984

♦ Q8632

♣ KJ3

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

3 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass

5 ♥<sup>5</sup>

Pass

5 ♠<sup>6</sup>

Pass

6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. surplus

5. Exclusion, for !S

6. 0 out of 4

### Board: 32

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK32

♥ T93

♦ AKQ63

♣ Q

South:

♠ QT974

♥ Q2

♦ T

♣ AK862

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 33

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJ763

♥ QT942

♦ 6

♣ Q7

South:

♠ T2

♥ AK8

♦ AJ8

♣ KJ965

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 34

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A983

♥ J2

♦ Q

♣ AKQ654

South:

♠ T6

♥ QT865

♦ AKJT2

♣ 7

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

2 ♣

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 31</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ984	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q8632	
HCP: 11+2	♣ KJ3	

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<b>Board: 32</b>	♠ QT974	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AK862	

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<b>Board: 33</b>	♠ T2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ8	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KJ965	

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<b>Board: 34</b>	♠ T6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QT865	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJT2	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 31

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+4

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKQJ9432

♥ -

♦ KJ

♣ A54

South:

♠ -

♥ KQ984

♦ Q8632

♣ KJ3

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

3 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass

5 ♥<sup>5</sup>

Pass

5 ♠<sup>6</sup>

Pass

6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. surplus

5. Exclusion, for !S

6. 0 out of 4

### Board: 32

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK32

♥ T93

♦ AKQ63

♣ Q

South:

♠ QT974

♥ Q2

♦ T

♣ AK862

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 33

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJ763

♥ QT942

♦ 6

♣ Q7

South:

♠ T2

♥ AK8

♦ AJ8

♣ KJ965

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 34

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A983

♥ J2

♦ Q

♣ AKQ654

South:

♠ T6

♥ QT865

♦ AKJT2

♣ 7

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

2 ♣

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 35**      ♠ AQJ7632      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ Q9      East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ KJ  
HCP: 16+3      ♣ K3

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**Board: 36**      ♠ AJT      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AQJ7      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AK8  
HCP: 21      ♣ QT8

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**Board: 37**      ♠ KJ943      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ KJ964      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ K  
HCP: 11+2      ♣ 82

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**Board: 38**      ♠ AJT94      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AJ      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AQ985  
HCP: 16+2      ♣ T

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 35

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQJ7632

♥ Q9

♦ KJ

♣ K3

South:

♠ 4

♥ AK653

♦ Q8

♣ QJ975

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♦ 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 36

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJT

♥ AQJ7

♦ AK8

♣ QT8

South:

♠ KQ862

♥ 3

♦ T4

♣ AKJ95

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♣<sup>2</sup>

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

Pass 5 ♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. surplus

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 37

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJ943

♥ KJ964

♦ K

♣ 82

South:

♠ Q72

♥ AQ83

♦ A7

♣ A974

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 38

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ AJT94

♥ AJ

♦ AQ985

♣ T

South:

♠ 8

♥ KQ942

♦ KJ3

♣ AK95

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 35**      ♠ 4      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AK653      East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ Q8  
HCP: 12+2      ♣ QJ975

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**Board: 36**      ♠ KQ862      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 3      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ T4  
HCP: 13+2      ♣ AKJ95

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**Board: 37**      ♠ Q72      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AQ83      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ A7  
HCP: 16      ♣ A974

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**Board: 38**      ♠ 8      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ KQ942      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ KJ3  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ AK95

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 35

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQJ7632

♥ Q9

♦ KJ

♣ K3

South:

♠ 4

♥ AK653

♦ Q8

♣ QJ975

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♦ 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 36

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJT

♥ AQJ7

♦ AK8

♣ QT8

South:

♠ KQ862

♥ 3

♦ T4

♣ AKJ95

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♣<sup>2</sup>

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

Pass 5 ♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. surplus

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 37

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJ943

♥ KJ964

♦ K

♣ 82

South:

♠ Q72

♥ AQ83

♦ A7

♣ A974

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 38

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ AJT94

♥ AJ

♦ AQ985

♣ T

South:

♠ 8

♥ KQ942

♦ KJ3

♣ AK95

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 39**

♠ A9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJ8

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ K982

HCP: 16

♣ J62

**Board: 40**

♠ KT7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJ852

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A

HCP: 18+2

♣ QJ3

**Board: 41**

♠ K

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJ4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AJ87

HCP: 19

♣ KT85

**Board: 42**

♠ KQ754

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ -

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A83

HCP: 10+2

♣ JT763

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 39

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A9

♥ AKJ8

♦ K982

♣ J62

South:

♠ J8763

♥ -

♦ AQJT76

♣ Q9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 40

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT7

♥ AKJ852

♦ A

♣ QJ3

South:

♠ QJ965

♥ -

♦ JT973

♣ A82

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 41

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K

♥ AKJ4

♦ AJ87

♣ KT85

South:

♠ QJT85

♥ 86

♦ KT962

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 42

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ754

♥ -

♦ A83

♣ JT763

South:

♠ A6

♥ AK95

♦ KJT52

♣ K9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 39**      ♠ J8763      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ -      East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AQJT76  
HCP: 10+3      ♣ Q9

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**Board: 40**      ♠ QJ965      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ -      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ JT973  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ A82

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**Board: 41**      ♠ QJT85      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 86      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ KT962  
HCP: 10+2      ♣ A

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**Board: 42**      ♠ A6      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AK95      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ KJT52  
HCP: 18+1      ♣ K9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 39

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A9

♥ AKJ8

♦ K982

♣ J62

South:

♠ J8763

♥ -

♦ AQJT76

♣ Q9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 40

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT7

♥ AKJ852

♦ A

♣ QJ3

South:

♠ QJ965

♥ -

♦ JT973

♣ A82

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 41

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K

♥ AKJ4

♦ AJ87

♣ KT85

South:

♠ QJT85

♥ 86

♦ KT962

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 42

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ754

♥ -

♦ A83

♣ JT763

South:

♠ A6

♥ AK95

♦ KJT52

♣ K9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 43</b>	♠ AJ985	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q	West (RHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ75	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KJ3	

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<b>Board: 44</b>	♠ QT6542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT632	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ	
HCP: 10+3	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 45</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ872	West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A9654	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
HCP: 10+2	♣ J84	West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
		East (LHO) bids 4♠ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 43

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ985

♥ Q

♦ AJ75

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ QT643

♥ AT954

♦ 3

♣ Q7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>5</sup>
X	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, a !H stopper
5. Cue bid, a !H stopper

### Board: 44

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ QT6542

♥ KT632

♦ KQ

♣ -

South:

♠ AK

♥ J4

♦ AJ95

♣ KT975

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 45

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 5 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AJ872

♦ A9654

♣ J84

South:

♠ A6

♥ QT9

♦ J

♣ AKQT762

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠	X <sup>2</sup>
2 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠	X
Pass	5 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Support double redouble

<b>Board: 43</b>	♠ QT643	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT954	West (LHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 3	
HCP: 8+2	♣ Q7	

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<b>Board: 44</b>	♠ AK	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ95	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KT975	

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<b>Board: 45</b>	♠ A6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT9	West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
HCP: 16+3	♣ AKQT762	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
		East (RHO) bids 4♠ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 43

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ985

♥ Q

♦ AJ75

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ QT643

♥ AT954

♦ 3

♣ Q7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>5</sup>
X	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, a !H stopper
5. Cue bid, a !H stopper

### Board: 44

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ QT6542

♥ KT632

♦ KQ

♣ -

South:

♠ AK

♥ J4

♦ AJ95

♣ KT975

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 45

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 5 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AJ872

♦ A9654

♣ J84

South:

♠ A6

♥ QT9

♦ J

♣ AKQT762

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠	X <sup>2</sup>
2 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠	X
Pass	5 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Support double redouble

<b>Board: 46</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT942	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ T	
HCP: 11+4	♣ AKQ9743	

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<b>Board: 47</b>	♠ 98752	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	
HCP: 14+3	♣ AKQJ32	

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<b>Board: 48</b>	♠ A6	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AQ752	

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<b>Board: 49</b>	♠ K97	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK32	West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 743	
HCP: 17	♣ AK3	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 46

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+4

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 7 ♦ North

North:

♠ -

♥ QT942

♦ T

♣ AKQ9743

South:

♠ AJ83

♥ A6

♦ AQJ7653

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	6 ♣	Pass	6 ♦
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Pass	7 ♦	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 47

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+3

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ 98752

♥ 3

♦ A

♣ AKQJ32

South:

♠ AKJ43

♥ A85

♦ KQ952

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 48

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A6

♥ AQJ53

♦ T

♣ AQ752

South:

♠ T7

♥ 9

♦ AK943

♣ KJT43

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 49

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K97

♥ AK32

♦ 743

♣ AK3

South:

♠ 6

♥ J4

♦ AQJT8

♣ QJT76

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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2 ♠	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 46</b>	♠ AJ83	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ7653	
HCP: 16+3	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 47</b>	♠ AKJ43	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A85	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ952	
HCP: 17+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 48</b>	♠ T7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK943	
HCP: 11+2	♣ KJT43	

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<b>Board: 49</b>	♠ 6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J4	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQJT8	
HCP: 11+2	♣ QJT76	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 46

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+4

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 7 ♦ North

North:

♠ -

♥ QT942

♦ T

♣ AKQ9743

South:

♠ AJ83

♥ A6

♦ AQJ7653

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	6 ♣	Pass	6 ♦
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Pass	7 ♦	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 47

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+3

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ 98752

♥ 3

♦ A

♣ AKQJ32

South:

♠ AKJ43

♥ A85

♦ KQ952

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 48

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A6

♥ AQJ53

♦ T

♣ AQ752

South:

♠ T7

♥ 9

♦ AK943

♣ KJT43

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 49

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K97

♥ AK32

♦ 743

♣ AK3

South:

♠ 6

♥ J4

♦ AQJT8

♣ QJT76

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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2 ♠	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 50**

♠ AK6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ98

HCP: 19

♣ Q32

**Board: 51**

♠ 9

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AT973

West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AJ532

HCP: 10+2

♣ J6

**Board: 52**

♠ 8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQJ

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ8764

HCP: 19+2

♣ K9

**Board: 53**

♠ KQ97542

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ 4

West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 98

HCP: 5+3

♣ 632

**Board: 54**

♠ AQ763

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJT9

HCP: 16+1

♣ 8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 50

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AK6

♥ KQ8

♦ AJ98

♣ Q32

South:

♠ 43

♥ JT432

♦ KQ763

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 51

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ 9

♥ AT973

♦ AJ532

♣ J6

South:

♠ AQJT63

♥ 2

♦ KQ

♣ AK42

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♥	Pass	Pass	3♠
Pass	6NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 52

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 8

♥ AKQJ

♦ AQ8764

♣ K9

South:

♠ QJ763

♥ 753

♦ -

♣ AQ432

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	Pass
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 53

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 5+3

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3♠ North

North:

♠ KQ97542

♥ 4

♦ 98

♣ 632

South:

♠ 63

♥ QT2

♦ Q72

♣ KQ854

W	N	E	S
1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 54

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AQ763

♥ AQ8

♦ KJT9

♣ 8

South:

♠ -

♥ K7543

♦ 73

♣ KQ9543

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**South hands****5/5+ Resp 16+**

**Board: 50**      ♠ 43      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ JT432      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ KQ763  
HCP: 10+2      ♣ A

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**Board: 51**      ♠ AQJT63      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 2      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ KQ  
HCP: 19+2      ♣ AK42

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**Board: 52**      ♠ QJ763      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 753      East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ -  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ AQ432

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**Board: 53**      ♠ 63      LHO is dealer.  
Dealer: West      ♥ QT2      West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ Q72  
HCP: 9+1      ♣ KQ854

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**Board: 54**      ♠ -      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ K7543      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 73  
HCP: 8+3      ♣ KQ9543

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 50

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AK6

♥ KQ8

♦ AJ98

♣ Q32

South:

♠ 43

♥ JT432

♦ KQ763

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 51

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ 9

♥ AT973

♦ AJ532

♣ J6

South:

♠ AQJT63

♥ 2

♦ KQ

♣ AK42

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♥	Pass	Pass	3♠
Pass	6NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 52

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 8

♥ AKQJ

♦ AQ8764

♣ K9

South:

♠ QJ763

♥ 753

♦ -

♣ AQ432

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	Pass
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 53

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 5+3

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3♠ North

North:

♠ KQ97542

♥ 4

♦ 98

♣ 632

South:

♠ 63

♥ QT2

♦ Q72

♣ KQ854

W	N	E	S
1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 54

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AQ763

♥ AQ8

♦ KJT9

♣ 8

South:

♠ -

♥ K7543

♦ 73

♣ KQ9543

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 55**

♠ QJ864

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 7

West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ J9

HCP: 9+2

♣ AJ653

**Board: 56**

♠ JT7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q765

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AQ

HCP: 16

♣ AK62

**Board: 57**

♠ AKQ9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK84

HCP: 24

♣ J76

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 55

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 21

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ QJ864

♥ 7

♦ J9

♣ AJ653

South:

♠ AKT2

♥ AK86

♦ AK8

♣ 92

W N E S

1♥ 1♠ Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup>

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

Pass 5♦<sup>6</sup> Pass 5♥

Pass 5NT<sup>7</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. surplus

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

6. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

### Board: 56

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ JT7

♥ Q765

♦ AQ

♣ AK62

South:

♠ K8543

♥ 8

♦ K8642

♣ Q3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 1♠

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 57

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 24

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AKQ9

♥ AK

♦ AK84

♣ J76

South:

♠ 85432

♥ J98

♦ -

♣ AKT32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Exclusion, for !S

5. 3 out of 4

**Board: 55**

♠ AKT2

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK86

West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AK8

HCP: 21

♣ 92

**Board: 56**

♠ K8543

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 8

East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ K8642

HCP: 8+2

♣ Q3

**Board: 57**

♠ 85432

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J98

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ -

HCP: 8+2

♣ AKT32

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 55

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 21

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ QJ864

♥ 7

♦ J9

♣ AJ653

South:

♠ AKT2

♥ AK86

♦ AK8

♣ 92

W N E S

1♥ 1♠ Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup>

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

Pass 5♦<sup>6</sup> Pass 5♥

Pass 5NT<sup>7</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. surplus

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

6. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

### Board: 56

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ JT7

♥ Q765

♦ AQ

♣ AK62

South:

♠ K8543

♥ 8

♦ K8642

♣ Q3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 1♠

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 57

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 24

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AKQ9

♥ AK

♦ AK84

♣ J76

South:

♠ 85432

♥ J98

♦ -

♣ AKT32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Exclusion, for !S

5. 3 out of 4

<b>Board: 58</b>	♠ 98742	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J52	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ -	
HCP: 8+2	♣ AKT92	
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<b>Board: 59</b>	♠ Q	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A8654	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KT965	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 74	
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<b>Board: 60</b>	♠ K83	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ J83	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ T	West (RHO) Doubles 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 6+2	♣ QT9853	West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♠ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 58

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17+3

Contract: 6♦ South

North:

♠ 98742

♥ J52

♦ -

♣ AKT92

South:

♠ AT6

♥ A64

♦ AKQT642

♣ -

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♦

Pass 5♣ Pass 6♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 59

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ A8654

♦ KT965

♣ 74

South:

♠ AT653

♥ KQJ3

♦ 8

♣ AKQ

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 1♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♣<sup>7</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. surplus

5. Blackwood 0314, for !H

6. A=0/5 or 3/5

7. !H queen and !C king

### Board: 60

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6+2

South HCP: 6+2

Contract: 3♠X North

North:

♠ K83

♥ J83

♦ T

♣ QT9853

South:

♠ QT7542

♥ 62

♦ KJ54

♣ 6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠

X 3♠ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 58</b>	♠ AT6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQT642	
HCP: 17+3	♣ -	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 59</b>	♠ AT653	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ3	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 8	
HCP: 19+1	♣ AKQ	
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<b>Board: 60</b>	♠ QT7542	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 62	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ54	West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 6+2	♣ 6	West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♠ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 58

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17+3

Contract: 6♦ South

North:

♠ 98742

♥ J52

♦ -

♣ AKT92

South:

♠ AT6

♥ A64

♦ AKQT642

♣ -

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♦

Pass 5♣ Pass 6♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 59

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ A8654

♦ KT965

♣ 74

South:

♠ AT653

♥ KQJ3

♦ 8

♣ AKQ

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 1♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♣<sup>7</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. surplus

5. Blackwood 0314, for !H

6. A=0/5 or 3/5

7. !H queen and !C king

### Board: 60

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6+2

South HCP: 6+2

Contract: 3♠X North

North:

♠ K83

♥ J83

♦ T

♣ QT9853

South:

♠ QT7542

♥ 62

♦ KJ54

♣ 6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠

X 3♠ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 61</b>	♠ AK98	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK6	
HCP: 17	♣ T85	

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<b>Board: 62</b>	♠ 8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ QT975	
HCP: 11+4	♣ AKQ9763	

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<b>Board: 63</b>	♠ AT643	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT8654	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 83	
HCP: 8+3	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 64</b>	♠ AT983	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ QT953	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 2	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 61

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK98

♥ K32

♦ AK6

♣ T85

South:

♠ QJT75

♥ T6

♦ QJ982

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 62

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+4

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 8

♥ -

♦ QT975

♣ AKQ9763

South:

♠ AKQJ

♥ AT9763

♦ A6

♣ T

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♥	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 63

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AT643

♥ AT8654

♦ 83

♣ -

South:

♠ 2

♥ Q9

♦ AJ952

♣ AKQT8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 64

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT983

♥ K5

♦ QT953

♣ 2

South:

♠ 2

♥ A72

♦ AK6

♣ AQJ987

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 61</b>	♠ QJT75	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ982	
HCP: 10+2	♣ A	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 62</b>	♠ AKQJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT9763	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A6	
HCP: 18+2	♣ T	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 63</b>	♠ 2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ952	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AKQT8	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 64</b>	♠ 2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A72	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK6	
HCP: 18+2	♣ AQJ987	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 61

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK98

♥ K32

♦ AK6

♣ T85

South:

♠ QJT75

♥ T6

♦ QJ982

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 62

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+4

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 8

♥ -

♦ QT975

♣ AKQ9763

South:

♠ AKQJ

♥ AT9763

♦ A6

♣ T

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♥	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 63

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AT643

♥ AT8654

♦ 83

♣ -

South:

♠ 2

♥ Q9

♦ AJ952

♣ AKQT8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 64

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT983

♥ K5

♦ QT953

♣ 2

South:

♠ 2

♥ A72

♦ AK6

♣ AQJ987

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 65**

♠ KQ4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ9

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KQ

HCP: 23+1

♣ AKJ83

**Board: 66**

♠ KQ872

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 752

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K9863

HCP: 8+2

♣ -

**Board: 67**

♠ KT

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QT65

West (RHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQJ

HCP: 16

♣ KQ83

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 65

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 23+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ4

♥ AJ9

♦ KQ

♣ AKJ83

South:

♠ 3

♥ K3

♦ AJ853

♣ QT752

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

2 ♠	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 66

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQ872

♥ 752

♦ K9863

♣ -

South:

♠ AJ6

♥ KQ8

♦ AJ72

♣ KT7

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 67

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 6 ♣ South

North:

♠ KT

♥ QT65

♦ KQJ

♣ KQ83

South:

♠ AQ542

♥ -

♦ 65

♣ AJ7642

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
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X	XX <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣
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Pass	4 ♠	Pass	6 ♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. artificial

**Board: 65**

♠ 3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K3

West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AJ853

HCP: 10+2

♣ QT752

**Board: 66**

♠ AJ6

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ72

HCP: 18

♣ KT7

**Board: 67**

♠ AQ542

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ -

West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 65

HCP: 11+3

♣ AJ7642

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 65

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 23+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ4

♥ AJ9

♦ KQ

♣ AKJ83

South:

♠ 3

♥ K3

♦ AJ853

♣ QT752

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

2 ♠	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 66

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQ872

♥ 752

♦ K9863

♣ -

South:

♠ AJ6

♥ KQ8

♦ AJ72

♣ KT7

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
------	-----	------	-----

Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
------	-----	------	-----

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 67

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 6 ♣ South

North:

♠ KT

♥ QT65

♦ KQJ

♣ KQ83

South:

♠ AQ542

♥ -

♦ 65

♣ AJ7642

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
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X	XX <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣
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Pass	4 ♠	Pass	6 ♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. artificial

**Board: 68**

♠ A64

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K

HCP: 20+2

♣ AQJT83

**Board: 69**

♠ J

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJ976

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ753

HCP: 10+2

♣ T6

**Board: 70**

♠ KQ976

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ

East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ52

HCP: 16+1

♣ T5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 68

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 7♥ South

North:

♠ A64

♥ AQ7

♦ K

♣ AQJT83

South:

♠ K

♥ KT642

♦ A9764

♣ 92

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♦
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Pass	6♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. !H queen and !D king

### Board: 69

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ J

♥ KJ976

♦ AJ753

♣ T6

South:

♠ AK972

♥ AQ83

♦ 64

♣ A2

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 70

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ976

♥ AJ

♦ AQ52

♣ T5

South:

♠ 42

♥ 4

♦ KJ873

♣ AKJ84

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♥	Pass
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 68**

♠ K

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT642

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A9764

HCP: 10+2

♣ 92

**Board: 69**

♠ AK972

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ83

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 64

HCP: 17+1

♣ A2

**Board: 70**

♠ 42

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 4

East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ873

HCP: 12+2

♣ AKJ84

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 68

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 7♥ South

North:

♠ A64

♥ AQ7

♦ K

♣ AQJT83

South:

♠ K

♥ KT642

♦ A9764

♣ 92

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♦
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Pass	6♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. !H queen and !D king

### Board: 69

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ J

♥ KJ976

♦ AJ753

♣ T6

South:

♠ AK972

♥ AQ83

♦ 64

♣ A2

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 70

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ976

♥ AJ

♦ AQ52

♣ T5

South:

♠ 42

♥ 4

♦ KJ873

♣ AKJ84

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♥	Pass
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 71**

♠ T3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQT63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ QJ9654

HCP: 9+3

♣ -

**Board: 72**

♠ 5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AT752

West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 43

HCP: 10+2

♣ AQ982

**Board: 73**

♠ AKT8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQJ643

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 3

HCP: 17+3

♣ 8

**Board: 74**

♠ QJ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J86

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AQJ932

HCP: 16+2

♣ KQ

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 71

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7♦ North

North:

♠ T3

♥ AQT63

♦ QJ9654

♣ -

South:

♠ AQ52

♥ K5

♦ AKT

♣ K874

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥

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

Pass 7♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 72

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 5

♥ AT752

♦ 43

♣ AQ982

South:

♠ AK62

♥ K9

♦ AKJ85

♣ 74

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♠ X Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 73

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ AKT8

♥ AKQJ643

♦ 3

♣ 8

South:

♠ 9

♥ T

♦ KJ8752

♣ KQJ65

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠

3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 74

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ QJ

♥ J86

♦ AQJ932

♣ KQ

South:

♠ AKT93

♥ K

♦ 75

♣ 98764

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 71</b>	♠ AQ52	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKT	
HCP: 19	♣ K874	

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<b>Board: 72</b>	♠ AK62	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K9	West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ85	
HCP: 18+1	♣ 74	

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<b>Board: 73</b>	♠ 9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ8752	
HCP: 10+3	♣ KQJ65	

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<b>Board: 74</b>	♠ AKT93	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 75	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 98764	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 71

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7♦ North

North:

♠ T3

♥ AQT63

♦ QJ9654

♣ -

South:

♠ AQ52

♥ K5

♦ AKT

♣ K874

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥

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

Pass 7♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 72

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 5

♥ AT752

♦ 43

♣ AQ982

South:

♠ AK62

♥ K9

♦ AKJ85

♣ 74

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♠ X Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 73

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ AKT8

♥ AKQJ643

♦ 3

♣ 8

South:

♠ 9

♥ T

♦ KJ8752

♣ KQJ65

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠

3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 74

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ QJ

♥ J86

♦ AQJ932

♣ KQ

South:

♠ AKT93

♥ K

♦ 75

♣ 98764

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 75**

♠ KT973

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K9872

HCP: 9+2

♣ J

**Board: 76**

♠ AJ62

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKQT74

HCP: 17+2

♣ J

**Board: 77**

♠ QJ543

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K9832

HCP: 13+2

♣ AK

**Board: 78**

♠ AKQ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ63

East (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AQ54

HCP: 18

♣ 8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 75

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT973

♥ Q4

♦ K9872

♣ J

South:

♠ A5

♥ A86

♦ A5

♣ A85432

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 76

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AJ62

♥ Q5

♦ AKQT74

♣ J

South:

♠ K3

♥ KJT762

♦ -

♣ AQ652

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 77

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ QJ543

♥ 8

♦ K9832

♣ AK

South:

♠ AK97

♥ AJT54

♦ AQJ5

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 7 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 78

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AKQ8

♥ QJ63

♦ AQ54

♣ 8

South:

♠ 65

♥ K9872

♦ 9

♣ AKJ73

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♦ 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

<b>Board: 75</b>	♠ A5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A5	
HCP: 16+2	♣ A85432	

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<b>Board: 76</b>	♠ K3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT762	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 13+3	♣ AQ652	

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<b>Board: 77</b>	♠ AK97	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJT54	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ5	
HCP: 19+1	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 78</b>	♠ 65	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K9872	East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 9	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AKJ73	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 75

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT973

♥ Q4

♦ K9872

♣ J

South:

♠ A5

♥ A86

♦ A5

♣ A85432

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 76

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AJ62

♥ Q5

♦ AKQT74

♣ J

South:

♠ K3

♥ KJT762

♦ -

♣ AQ652

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 77

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ QJ543

♥ 8

♦ K9832

♣ AK

South:

♠ AK97

♥ AJT54

♦ AQJ5

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 7 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 78

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AKQ8

♥ QJ63

♦ AQ54

♣ 8

South:

♠ 65

♥ K9872

♦ 9

♣ AKJ73

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♦ 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

**Board: 79**

♠ JT2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ942

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ -

HCP: 9+2

♣ QJ854

**Board: 80**

♠ Q8742

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K9754

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 8

HCP: 9+2

♣ A5

**Board: 81**

♠ J63

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJT52

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KJ863

HCP: 10+2

♣ -

**Board: 82**

♠ AK4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT72

East (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ2

HCP: 23

♣ AK9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 79

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ JT2

♥ AJ942

♦ -

♣ QJ854

South:

♠ 865

♥ T853

♦ AKQ8

♣ AK

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 80

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 20

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q8742

♥ K9754

♦ 8

♣ A5

South:

♠ AK6

♥ AQ3

♦ QJ53

♣ KJ4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 81

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ J63

♥ AJT52

♦ KJ863

♣ -

South:

♠ AK7

♥ K763

♦ AQ7

♣ T62

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 82

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 23

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AK4

♥ KT72

♦ AQ2

♣ AK9

South:

♠ 85

♥ QJ963

♦ KJT84

♣ Q

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♣ 3♥

Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !H

**Board: 79**

♠ 865

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T853

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKQ8

HCP: 16

♣ AK

**Board: 80**

♠ AK6

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ QJ53

HCP: 20

♣ KJ4

**Board: 81**

♠ AK7

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K763

West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AQ7

HCP: 16

♣ T62

**Board: 82**

♠ 85

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ963

East (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ KJT84

HCP: 9+2

♣ Q

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 79

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ JT2

♥ AJ942

♦ -

♣ QJ854

South:

♠ 865

♥ T853

♦ AKQ8

♣ AK

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 80

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 20

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q8742

♥ K9754

♦ 8

♣ A5

South:

♠ AK6

♥ AQ3

♦ QJ53

♣ KJ4

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 81

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ J63

♥ AJT52

♦ KJ863

♣ -

South:

♠ AK7

♥ K763

♦ AQ7

♣ T62

W N E S

1♠ 3♥ Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 82

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 23

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AK4

♥ KT72

♦ AQ2

♣ AK9

South:

♠ 85

♥ QJ963

♦ KJT84

♣ Q

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♣ 3♥

Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !H

**Board: 83**

♠ AJ863

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKT54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ K

HCP: 18+2

♣ K6

**Board: 84**

♠ A9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQ8532

HCP: 16+2

♣ AT6

**Board: 85**

♠ AJT4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ

West (RHO) Doubles 5♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKQ97

HCP: 21+1

♣ J8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 83

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJ863

♥ AKT54

♦ K

♣ K6

South:

♠ Q95

♥ -

♦ J9432

♣ AJT75

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Cue bid, a !H stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper
6. Exclusion, for !S
7. 1 out of 4

### Board: 84

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A9

♥ K5

♦ KQ8532

♣ AT6

South:

♠ KQ652

♥ AQT63

♦ -

♣ J95

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 85

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJT4

♥ AQ

♦ AKQ97

♣ J8

South:

♠ KQ8532

♥ KJ753

♦ T8

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
X	5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. Exclusion, for !S
5. 3 out of 4

**Board: 83**

♠ Q95

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ -

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ J9432

HCP: 8+2

♣ AJT75

**Board: 84**

♠ KQ652

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQT63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ -

HCP: 12+2

♣ J95

**Board: 85**

♠ KQ8532

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ753

West (LHO) Doubles 5♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ T8

HCP: 9+3

♣ -

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 83

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJ863

♥ AKT54

♦ K

♣ K6

South:

♠ Q95

♥ -

♦ J9432

♣ AJT75

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Cue bid, a !H stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper
6. Exclusion, for !S
7. 1 out of 4

### Board: 84

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A9

♥ K5

♦ KQ8532

♣ AT6

South:

♠ KQ652

♥ AQT63

♦ -

♣ J95

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 85

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJT4

♥ AQ

♦ AKQ97

♣ J8

South:

♠ KQ8532

♥ KJ753

♦ T8

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
X	5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. Exclusion, for !S
5. 3 out of 4

<b>Board: 86</b>	♠ AK874	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A	
HCP: 20+1	♣ AKJ5	

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<b>Board: 87</b>	♠ AK7	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A754	East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJT9	
HCP: 19+1	♣ 9	

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<b>Board: 88</b>	♠ K3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J8765	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 8	
HCP: 8+2	♣ AT962	

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<b>Board: 89</b>	♠ AT6	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQJ42	
HCP: 17+1	♣ A92	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 86

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AK874

♥ J93

♦ A

♣ AKJ5

South:

♠ 3

♥ AKT74

♦ QT873

♣ 42

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 87

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AK7

♥ A754

♦ AKJT9

♣ 9

South:

♠ Q9832

♥ J

♦ 76

♣ AQT87

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♦	1♠
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 88

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ K3

♥ J8765

♦ 8

♣ AT962

South:

♠ AQ8762

♥ A

♦ KQJT

♣ K8

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♦	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 89

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AT6

♥ Q2

♦ AQJ42

♣ A92

South:

♠ Q7432

♥ A9875

♦ KT

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 86**

♠ 3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKT74

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ QT873

HCP: 9+2

♣ 42

**Board: 87**

♠ Q9832

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J

East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 76

HCP: 9+2

♣ AQT87

**Board: 88**

♠ AQ8762

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A

West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KQJT

HCP: 19+2

♣ K8

**Board: 89**

♠ Q7432

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A9875

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KT

HCP: 9+2

♣ 5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 86

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AK874

♥ J93

♦ A

♣ AKJ5

South:

♠ 3

♥ AKT74

♦ QT873

♣ 42

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 87

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AK7

♥ A754

♦ AKJT9

♣ 9

South:

♠ Q9832

♥ J

♦ 76

♣ AQT87

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♦	1♠
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 88

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ K3

♥ J8765

♦ 8

♣ AT962

South:

♠ AQ8762

♥ A

♦ KQJT

♣ K8

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♦	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 89

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AT6

♥ Q2

♦ AQJ42

♣ A92

South:

♠ Q7432

♥ A9875

♦ KT

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 90</b>	♠ A5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK9864	
HCP: 20+2	♣ 9	

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<b>Board: 91</b>	♠ AKQ93	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 732	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AQJ5	

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<b>Board: 92</b>	♠ AJT84	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 93	
HCP: 8+2	♣ J7654	

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<b>Board: 93</b>	♠ 3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QJT97	
HCP: 8+2	♣ QJ854	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 90

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A5

♥ AKQ6

♦ AK9864

♣ 9

South:

♠ KQ643

♥ 94

♦ T

♣ AJ863

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 91

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ93

♥ 7

♦ 732

♣ AQJ5

South:

♠ J

♥ KJ532

♦ A9854

♣ 63

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 92

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ AJT84

♥ Q

♦ 93

♣ J7654

South:

♠ 97

♥ AT43

♦ QJ42

♣ AKQ

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	2NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 93

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ 3

♥ Q9

♦ QJT97

♣ QJ854

South:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ AJ862

♦ 6

♣ K6

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 90</b>	♠ KQ643	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 94	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AJ863	

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<b>Board: 91</b>	♠ J	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A9854	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 63	

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<b>Board: 92</b>	♠ 97	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJ42	
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ	

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<b>Board: 93</b>	♠ AKQJ8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ862	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 6	
HCP: 18+2	♣ K6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 90

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A5

♥ AKQ6

♦ AK9864

♣ 9

South:

♠ KQ643

♥ 94

♦ T

♣ AJ863

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 91

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ93

♥ 7

♦ 732

♣ AQJ5

South:

♠ J

♥ KJ532

♦ A9854

♣ 63

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 92

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ AJT84

♥ Q

♦ 93

♣ J7654

South:

♠ 97

♥ AT43

♦ QJ42

♣ AKQ

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	2NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 93

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ 3

♥ Q9

♦ QJT97

♣ QJ854

South:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ AJ862

♦ 6

♣ K6

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 94</b>	♠ K2	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J84	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A43	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AKQT5	

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<b>Board: 95</b>	♠ KQ954	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJ4	
HCP: 18+1	♣ AK9	

---

<b>Board: 96</b>	♠ 8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJT82	
HCP: 8+2	♣ JT752	

---

<b>Board: 97</b>	♠ KT	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ3	West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ76	
HCP: 18	♣ AQ83	

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<b>Board: 98</b>	♠ 7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJ874	
HCP: 8+2	♣ T6432	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 94

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K2

♥ J84

♦ A43

♣ AKQT5

South:

♠ T9753

♥ A

♦ KJ865

♣ 43

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 95

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ954

♥ QJ

♦ QJ4

♣ AK9

South:

♠ T

♥ A3

♦ KT653

♣ QJ642

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 96

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ 8

♥ K7

♦ KJT82

♣ JT752

South:

♠ A7

♥ AJT3

♦ 976

♣ AK93

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 97

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KT

♥ QJ3

♦ AQ76

♣ AQ83

South:

♠ 2

♥ K9874

♦ KJ832

♣ J5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 98

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 7

♥ AJ

♦ QJ874

♣ T6432

South:

♠ AKT53

♥ K93

♦ KT2

♣ AQ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ 2 ♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 94</b>	♠ T9753	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ865	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 43	

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<b>Board: 95</b>	♠ T	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT653	
HCP: 10+2	♣ QJ642	

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<b>Board: 96</b>	♠ A7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 976	
HCP: 16	♣ AK93	

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<b>Board: 97</b>	♠ 2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K9874	West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ832	
HCP: 8+2	♣ J5	

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<b>Board: 98</b>	♠ AKT53	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K93	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT2	
HCP: 19+1	♣ AQ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 94

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K2

♥ J84

♦ A43

♣ AKQT5

South:

♠ T9753

♥ A

♦ KJ865

♣ 43

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 95

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ954

♥ QJ

♦ QJ4

♣ AK9

South:

♠ T

♥ A3

♦ KT653

♣ QJ642

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 96

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ 8

♥ K7

♦ KJT82

♣ JT752

South:

♠ A7

♥ AJT3

♦ 976

♣ AK93

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 97

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KT

♥ QJ3

♦ AQ76

♣ AQ83

South:

♠ 2

♥ K9874

♦ KJ832

♣ J5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 98

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 7

♥ AJ

♦ QJ874

♣ T6432

South:

♠ AKT53

♥ K93

♦ KT2

♣ AQ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ 2 ♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 99**

♠ AK52

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AJ73

HCP: 17

♣ KJ8

**Board: 100**

♠ A5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ53

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKQ7

HCP: 19

♣ J62

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 99

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK52

♥ J7

♦ AJ73

♣ KJ8

South:

♠ QJ643

♥ Q

♦ 54

♣ AT652

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>6</sup>
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Pass	5 ♣ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6. Blackwood 0314, for !S

7. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 100

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ A5

♥ AJ53

♦ AKQ7

♣ J62

South:

♠ KQJ84

♥ -

♦ J54

♣ KQT83

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♣
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

<b>Board: 99</b>	♠ QJ643	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 54	
HCP: 9+2	♣ AT652	

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<b>Board: 100</b>	♠ KQJ84	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J54	
HCP: 12+2	♣ KQT83	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 99

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK52

♥ J7

♦ AJ73

♣ KJ8

South:

♠ QJ643

♥ Q

♦ 54

♣ AT652

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>6</sup>
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Pass	5 ♣ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6. Blackwood 0314, for !S

7. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 100

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ A5

♥ AJ53

♦ AKQ7

♣ J62

South:

♠ KQJ84

♥ -

♦ J54

♣ KQT83

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♣
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

**Board: 101**

♠ AKJ5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 62

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ73

HCP: 18

♣ AT2

**Board: 102**

♠ T8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ532

HCP: 17+2

♣ AKQ72

**Board: 103**

♠ AT82

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ

East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ J9854

HCP: 18+1

♣ AK

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 101

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKJ5

♥ 62

♦ AQ73

♣ AT2

South:

♠ Q8763

♥ AKQ94

♦ 9

♣ 84

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>
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Pass	6 ♣ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=0

### Board: 102

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ T8

♥ A

♦ KJ532

♣ AKQ72

South:

♠ AKQJ9

♥ K8653

♦ T6

♣ T

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 103

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT82

♥ AQ

♦ J9854

♣ AK

South:

♠ 64

♥ KT874

♦ A

♣ J9743

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♥	Pass
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Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 101**      ♠ Q8763      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKQ94      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ 9  
HCP: 11+2      ♣ 84

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**Board: 102**      ♠ AKQJ9      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ K8653      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ T6  
HCP: 13+2      ♣ T

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**Board: 103**      ♠ 64      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KT874      East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ A  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ J9743

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 101

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKJ5

♥ 62

♦ AQ73

♣ AT2

South:

♠ Q8763

♥ AKQ94

♦ 9

♣ 84

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>
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Pass	6 ♣ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=0

### Board: 102

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ T8

♥ A

♦ KJ532

♣ AKQ72

South:

♠ AKQJ9

♥ K8653

♦ T6

♣ T

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 103

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT82

♥ AQ

♦ J9854

♣ AK

South:

♠ 64

♥ KT874

♦ A

♣ J9743

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♥	Pass
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Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 104</b>	♠ QJT53	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQJT3	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 9	

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<b>Board: 105</b>	♠ 3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J5	
HCP: 9+2	♣ Q7632	

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<b>Board: 106</b>	♠ AJ3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QT876	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KQ	

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<b>Board: 107</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJ764	
HCP: 8+2	♣ QT864	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 104

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJT53

♥ T9

♦ AQJT3

♣ 9

South:

♠ A2

♥ AJ83

♦ K76

♣ A753

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 105

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 3

♥ KQJ96

♦ J5

♣ Q7632

South:

♠ AKQ9

♥ 7

♦ AKT43

♣ KJ5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 106

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ3

♥ KJ7

♦ QT876

♣ KQ

South:

♠ KQT84

♥ A

♦ K5

♣ JT862

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 107

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ QT9

♦ KJ764

♣ QT864

South:

♠ AK82

♥ AJ872

♦ 9

♣ AJ9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 104</b>	♠ A2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K76	
HCP: 16	♣ A753	

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<b>Board: 105</b>	♠ AKQ9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKT43	
HCP: 20+1	♣ KJ5	

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<b>Board: 106</b>	♠ KQT84	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K5	
HCP: 13+2	♣ JT862	

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<b>Board: 107</b>	♠ AK82	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ872	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 9	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AJ9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 104

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJT53

♥ T9

♦ AQJT3

♣ 9

South:

♠ A2

♥ AJ83

♦ K76

♣ A753

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 105

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 3

♥ KQJ96

♦ J5

♣ Q7632

South:

♠ AKQ9

♥ 7

♦ AKT43

♣ KJ5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 106

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ3

♥ KJ7

♦ QT876

♣ KQ

South:

♠ KQT84

♥ A

♦ K5

♣ JT862

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 107

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ QT9

♦ KJ764

♣ QT864

South:

♠ AK82

♥ AJ872

♦ 9

♣ AJ9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 108</b>	♠ KJ842	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T3	
HCP: 8+2	♣ K9654	
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<b>Board: 109</b>	♠ Q9	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A98	
HCP: 20+2	♣ AKQ986	
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<b>Board: 110</b>	♠ 7	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 64	
HCP: 19+2	♣ AKQJ83	
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<b>Board: 111</b>	♠ 4	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ KQT6	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 8	West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+3	♣ KJ97652	East (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
		West (RHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 108

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ842

♥ J

♦ T3

♣ K9654

South:

♠ 765

♥ AK3

♦ KQ5

♣ AQ73

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 109

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+2

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q9

♥ KQ

♦ A98

♣ AKQ986

South:

♠ 76532

♥ A4

♦ KQJT74

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 110

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ 7

♥ AKQ2

♦ 64

♣ AKQJ83

South:

♠ Q8

♥ JT964

♦ AQJT3

♣ 7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 111

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 3+1

Contract: 5 ♣X South

North:

♠ 4

♥ KQT6

♦ 8

♣ KJ97652

South:

♠ Q765

♥ -

♦ JT742

♣ T843

W	N	E	S
		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass
1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♣	3 ♦	5 ♣
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 108</b>	♠ 765	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ5	
HCP: 18	♣ AQ73	

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<b>Board: 109</b>	♠ 76532	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJT74	
HCP: 10+3	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 110</b>	♠ Q8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT964	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQJT3	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 7	

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<b>Board: 111</b>	♠ Q765	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ -	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ JT742	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 3+1	♣ T843	East (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
		West (LHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 108

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ842

♥ J

♦ T3

♣ K9654

South:

♠ 765

♥ AK3

♦ KQ5

♣ AQ73

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 109

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+2

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q9

♥ KQ

♦ A98

♣ AKQ986

South:

♠ 76532

♥ A4

♦ KQJT74

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 110

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ 7

♥ AKQ2

♦ 64

♣ AKQJ83

South:

♠ Q8

♥ JT964

♦ AQJT3

♣ 7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 111

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 3+1

Contract: 5 ♣X South

North:

♠ 4

♥ KQT6

♦ 8

♣ KJ97652

South:

♠ Q765

♥ -

♦ JT742

♣ T843

W	N	E	S
		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass
1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♣	3 ♦	5 ♣
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 112**

♠ A6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K8642

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 2

HCP: 13+2

♣ AQ752

**Board: 113**

♠ A986

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ8

West (RHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KQ2

HCP: 17

♣ KT9

**Board: 114**

♠ KT962

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ -

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKT943

HCP: 10+3

♣ T9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 112

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ A6

♥ K8642

♦ 2

♣ AQ752

South:

♠ KQJ43

♥ AJ

♦ AJT87

♣ 4

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 113

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ A986

♥ AJ8

♦ KQ2

♣ KT9

South:

♠ QT753

♥ 74

♦ -

♣ AQJ873

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

X 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 114

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT962

♥ -

♦ AKT943

♣ T9

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ AQ63

♦ Q82

♣ K62

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4 ♠

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

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 1 out of 4

<b>Board: 112</b>	♠ KQJ43	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJT87	
HCP: 16+2	♣ 4	

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<b>Board: 113</b>	♠ QT753	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 74	West (LHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 9+3	♣ AQJ873	

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<b>Board: 114</b>	♠ AJ8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q82	
HCP: 16	♣ K62	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 112

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ A6

♥ K8642

♦ 2

♣ AQ752

South:

♠ KQJ43

♥ AJ

♦ AJT87

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 113

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ A986

♥ AJ8

♦ KQ2

♣ KT9

South:

♠ QT753

♥ 74

♦ -

♣ AQJ873

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

X 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 114

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT962

♥ -

♦ AKT943

♣ T9

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ AQ63

♦ Q82

♣ K62

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4 ♠

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

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 1 out of 4

**Board: 115**

♠ K952

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KT92

HCP: 17

♣ AKT8

**Board: 116**

♠ K6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ84

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQJ8

HCP: 16

♣ Q74

**Board: 117**

♠ AQ9874

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 7

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQJ85

HCP: 13+3

♣ 6

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 115

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ K952

♥ A

♦ KT92

♣ AKT8

South:

♠ AT873

♥ KT874

♦ Q53

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. Cue bid, a !H stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

### Board: 116

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K6

♥ KQ84

♦ KQJ8

♣ Q74

South:

♠ 98542

♥ AJ762

♦ 64

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 117

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+3

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 7♠ North

North:

♠ AQ9874

♥ 7

♦ AQJ85

♣ 6

South:

♠ KJ2

♥ A9

♦ T97

♣ AKQ95

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♠	2♥	3♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	7♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 115</b>	♠ AT873	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT874	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q53	
HCP: 9+2	♣ -	
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<b>Board: 116</b>	♠ 98542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ762	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 64	
HCP: 9+2	♣ A	
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<b>Board: 117</b>	♠ KJ2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A9	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T97	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AKQ95	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 115

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ K952

♥ A

♦ KT92

♣ AKT8

South:

♠ AT873

♥ KT874

♦ Q53

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. Cue bid, a !H stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

### Board: 116

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ K6

♥ KQ84

♦ KQJ8

♣ Q74

South:

♠ 98542

♥ AJ762

♦ 64

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 117

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+3

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQ9874

♥ 7

♦ AQJ85

♣ 6

South:

♠ KJ2

♥ A9

♦ T97

♣ AKQ95

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	2 ♥	3 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

**Board: 118**

♠ A95

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 43

West (RHO) Doubles 5♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKJ8

HCP: 19

♣ AK85

**Board: 119**

♠ J

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K8763

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AKQT7

HCP: 16+2

♣ K6

**Board: 120**

♠ KQ5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ

West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KT974

HCP: 17+1

♣ K52

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 118

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 5♥X South

North:

♠ A95

♥ 43

♦ AKJ8

♣ AK85

South:

♠ KQ742

♥ KT9762

♦ 3

♣ 7

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♥
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X	All Pass		
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 119

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 14+4

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ J

♥ K8763

♦ AKQT7

♣ K6

South:

♠ AK972

♥ -

♦ 3

♣ AQJT852

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	2NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♠
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
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Pass	5♣	Pass	6♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. relay

### Board: 120

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQ5

♥ AQ

♦ KT974

♣ K52

South:

♠ AJ8432

♥ JT873

♦ 8

♣ Q

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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2♣	3NT	Pass	4♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 118**      ♠ KQ742      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KT9762      West (LHO) Doubles 5♥ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 3  
HCP: 8+3      ♣ 7

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**Board: 119**      ♠ AK972      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ -      East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ 3  
HCP: 14+4      ♣ AQJT852

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**Board: 120**      ♠ AJ8432      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ JT873      West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ 8  
HCP: 8+3      ♣ Q

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 118

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 5♥X South

North:

♠ A95

♥ 43

♦ AKJ8

♣ AK85

South:

♠ KQ742

♥ KT9762

♦ 3

♣ 7

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♥
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X	All Pass		
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 119

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 14+4

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ J

♥ K8763

♦ AKQT7

♣ K6

South:

♠ AK972

♥ -

♦ 3

♣ AQJT852

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	2NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♠
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
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Pass	5♣	Pass	6♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. relay

### Board: 120

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQ5

♥ AQ

♦ KT974

♣ K52

South:

♠ AJ8432

♥ JT873

♦ 8

♣ Q

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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2♣	3NT	Pass	4♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 121</b>	♠ K9765	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K7432	
HCP: 8+2	♣ Q8	
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<b>Board: 122</b>	♠ 764	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ T7	West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ T642	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 1	♣ J653	
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<b>Board: 123</b>	♠ KJ	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ975	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KT982	
HCP: 12+2	♣ 4	
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<b>Board: 124</b>	♠ 98654	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ AK83	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ T	West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 7+1	♣ T94	East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.
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<b>Board: 125</b>	♠ K9642	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ JT6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A9543	
HCP: 8+2	♣ -	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 121

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ K9765

♥ 3

♦ K7432

♣ Q8

South:

♠ A83

♥ AKQ852

♦ 9

♣ KT5

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 122

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 1

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ 764

♥ T7

♦ T642

♣ J653

South:

♠ AKJT832

♥ Q98

♦ 9

♣ QT

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> 3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 123

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KJ

♥ KQ975

♦ KT982

♣ 4

South:

♠ T7

♥ JT4

♦ AQ53

♣ AKQ5

W N E S

Pass 2 ♥<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 124

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 7+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♠ X North

North:

♠ 98654

♥ AK83

♦ T

♣ T94

South:

♠ KJT72

♥ 65

♦ 54

♣ KQ86

W N E S

2 ♥<sup>1</sup> 4 ♠<sup>1</sup> 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠

2 ♥ 4 ♠ X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 125

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ K9642

♥ JT6

♦ A9543

♣ -

South:

♠ A3

♥ AQ854

♦ K82

♣ AKJ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 121**      ♠ A83      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ852      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 9  
HCP: 16+2      ♣ KT5

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**Board: 122**      ♠ AKJT832      LHO is dealer.  
Dealer: West      ♥ Q98      West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ 9      East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
HCP: 12+3      ♣ QT

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**Board: 123**      ♠ T7      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ JT4      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ AQ53  
HCP: 16      ♣ AKQ5

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**Board: 124**      ♠ KJT72      RHO is dealer. You bid second.  
Dealer: East      ♥ 65      East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 54      West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.  
HCP: 9+1      ♣ KQ86      East (RHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

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**Board: 125**      ♠ A3      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AQ854      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ K82  
HCP: 21+1      ♣ AKJ

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 121

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ K9765

♥ 3

♦ K7432

♣ Q8

South:

♠ A83

♥ AKQ852

♦ 9

♣ KT5

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 122

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 1

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ 764

♥ T7

♦ T642

♣ J653

South:

♠ AKJT832

♥ Q98

♦ 9

♣ QT

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> 3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 123

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KJ

♥ KQ975

♦ KT982

♣ 4

South:

♠ T7

♥ JT4

♦ AQ53

♣ AKQ5

W N E S

Pass 2 ♥<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 124

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 7+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♠ X North

North:

♠ 98654

♥ AK83

♦ T

♣ T94

South:

♠ KJT72

♥ 65

♦ 54

♣ KQ86

W N E S

2 ♥<sup>1</sup> 4 ♠<sup>1</sup> 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠

2 ♥ 4 ♠ X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 125

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ K9642

♥ JT6

♦ A9543

♣ -

South:

♠ A3

♥ AQ854

♦ K82

♣ AKJ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 126</b>	♠ KT842	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KT742	
HCP: 11+2	♣ J	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 127</b>	♠ AK642	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AK76	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 128</b>	♠ KT5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ J9865	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ A9543	West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
		East (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 126

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KT842

♥ A7

♦ KT742

♣ J

South:

♠ AQJ6

♥ KT4

♦ A63

♣ K65

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 127

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6 ♣ North

North:

♠ AK642

♥ K65

♦ T

♣ AK76

South:

♠ J

♥ Q2

♦ AK754

♣ QJT98

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♣

Pass 6 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Crosswood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 128

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT5

♥ -

♦ J9865

♣ A9543

South:

♠ AQJ86

♥ KQ3

♦ A4

♣ J62

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦ Pass 1 ♥ 1 ♠

2 ♥ 3 ♦<sup>2</sup> 3 ♥ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

<b>Board: 126</b>	♠ AQJ6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A63	
HCP: 17	♣ K65	

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<b>Board: 127</b>	♠ J	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK754	
HCP: 13+2	♣ QJT98	

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<b>Board: 128</b>	♠ AQJ86	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ3	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A4	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 17+1	♣ J62	West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
		East (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 126

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KT842

♥ A7

♦ KT742

♣ J

South:

♠ AQJ6

♥ KT4

♦ A63

♣ K65

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 127

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6 ♣ North

North:

♠ AK642

♥ K65

♦ T

♣ AK76

South:

♠ J

♥ Q2

♦ AK754

♣ QJT98

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♣

Pass 6 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Crosswood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 128

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT5

♥ -

♦ J9865

♣ A9543

South:

♠ AQJ86

♥ KQ3

♦ A4

♣ J62

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦ Pass 1 ♥ 1 ♠

2 ♥ 3 ♦<sup>2</sup> 3 ♥ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

<b>Board: 129</b>	♠ KQ986	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ4	East (LHO) Doubles 6♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 43	
HCP: 21+1	♣ AK	

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<b>Board: 130</b>	♠ Q8643	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A52	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 8+2	♣ QT963	

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<b>Board: 131</b>	♠ AK973	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKT96	
HCP: 14+2	♣ T6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 129

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 6 ♠ X South

North:

♠ KQ986

♥ AKQ4

♦ 43

♣ AK

South:

♠ 743

♥ -

♦ KQJ98

♣ Q9764

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Cue bid, a !C stopper
- surplus
- Exclusion, for !S
- 2 out of 4

### Board: 130

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q8643

♥ A52

♦ -

♣ QT963

South:

♠ KJT5

♥ K73

♦ AK

♣ K542

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 131

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK973

♥ 2

♦ AKT96

♣ T6

South:

♠ QJT2

♥ KQT83

♦ 2

♣ AKQ

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- Blackwood 0314, for !S
- A=1/5 or 4/5

<b>Board: 129</b>	♠ 743	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	East (RHO) Doubles 6♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQJ98	
HCP: 8+2	♣ Q9764	

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<b>Board: 130</b>	♠ KJT5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK	
HCP: 17	♣ K542	

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<b>Board: 131</b>	♠ QJT2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 2	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AKQ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 129

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 6 ♠ X South

North:

♠ KQ986

♥ AKQ4

♦ 43

♣ AK

South:

♠ 743

♥ -

♦ KQJ98

♣ Q9764

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. surplus
5. Exclusion, for !S
6. 2 out of 4

### Board: 130

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q8643

♥ A52

♦ -

♣ QT963

South:

♠ KJT5

♥ K73

♦ AK

♣ K542

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 131

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK973

♥ 2

♦ AKT96

♣ T6

South:

♠ QJT2

♥ KQT83

♦ 2

♣ AKQ

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

**Board: 132**      ♠ AK9653      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 5      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AJ7  
HCP: 18+2      ♣ AQ4

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**Board: 133**      ♠ K2      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AK875      East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ K72  
HCP: 17+1      ♣ KJ5

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**Board: 134**      ♠ A53      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AQ7532      East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ K9  
HCP: 17+2      ♣ A6

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**Board: 135**      ♠ J      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A3      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ KQT64  
HCP: 17+2      ♣ AQJT3

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 132

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AK9653

♥ 5

♦ AJ7

♣ AQ4

South:

♠ Q

♥ QJT864

♦ 9

♣ KJ765

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 133

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ K2

♥ AK875

♦ K72

♣ KJ5

South:

♠ QT865

♥ T

♦ A4

♣ AQT97

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 134

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2♦ South

North:

♠ A53

♥ AQ7532

♦ K9

♣ A6

South:

♠ 82

♥ 9

♦ AQJ53

♣ QJ532

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 2♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 135

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7♦ North

North:

♠ J

♥ A3

♦ KQT64

♣ AQJT3

South:

♠ AKQT

♥ K96

♦ AJ87

♣ K8

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

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

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠<sup>5</sup>

Pass 7♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Crosswood 0314, for !D

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

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=3

**Board: 132**

♠ Q

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJT864

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 9

HCP: 9+3

♣ KJ765

**Board: 133**

♠ QT865

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T

East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ A4

HCP: 12+2

♣ AQT97

**Board: 134**

♠ 82

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 9

East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQJ53

HCP: 10+2

♣ QJ532

**Board: 135**

♠ AKQT

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K96

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ87

HCP: 20

♣ K8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 132

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AK9653

♥ 5

♦ AJ7

♣ AQ4

South:

♠ Q

♥ QJT864

♦ 9

♣ KJ765

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 133

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ K2

♥ AK875

♦ K72

♣ KJ5

South:

♠ QT865

♥ T

♦ A4

♣ AQT97

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 134

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2♦ South

North:

♠ A53

♥ AQ7532

♦ K9

♣ A6

South:

♠ 82

♥ 9

♦ AQJ53

♣ QJ532

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 2♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 135

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7♦ North

North:

♠ J

♥ A3

♦ KQT64

♣ AQJT3

South:

♠ AKQT

♥ K96

♦ AJ87

♣ K8

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

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

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠<sup>5</sup>

Pass 7♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Crosswood 0314, for !D

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

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=3

<b>Board: 136</b>	♠ AK6	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ4	East (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ96	
HCP: 16	♣ 432	

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<b>Board: 137</b>	♠ 543	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ652	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 8+2	♣ KT864	

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<b>Board: 138</b>	♠ A96	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T	
HCP: 22+1	♣ AKQ4	

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<b>Board: 139</b>	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJT82	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ97	
HCP: 16+2	♣ K64	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 136

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK6

♥ AJ4

♦ KJ96

♣ 432

South:

♠ Q9832

♥ Q9

♦ QT843

♣ K

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♣	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

### Board: 137

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 543

♥ AJ652

♦ -

♣ KT864

South:

♠ KJ97

♥ K

♦ AKQ975

♣ 95

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 138

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 22+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ A96

♥ AKQ82

♦ T

♣ AKQ4

South:

♠ QJ853

♥ 5

♦ AKQ92

♣ T7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠

Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
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Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 139

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AKJT82

♦ AJ97

♣ K64

South:

♠ AQ962

♥ 9

♦ T6

♣ QJT87

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♠	Pass

Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 136</b>	♠ Q9832	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q9	East (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ QT843	
HCP: 9+2	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 137</b>	♠ KJ97	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQ975	
HCP: 16+2	♣ 95	

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<b>Board: 138</b>	♠ QJ853	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ92	
HCP: 12+2	♣ T7	

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<b>Board: 139</b>	♠ AQ962	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ T6	
HCP: 9+2	♣ QJT87	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 136

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK6

♥ AJ4

♦ KJ96

♣ 432

South:

♠ Q9832

♥ Q9

♦ QT843

♣ K

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♣	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

### Board: 137

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 543

♥ AJ652

♦ -

♣ KT864

South:

♠ KJ97

♥ K

♦ AKQ975

♣ 95

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 138

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 22+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ A96

♥ AKQ82

♦ T

♣ AKQ4

South:

♠ QJ853

♥ 5

♦ AKQ92

♣ T7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠

Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
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Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 139

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AKJT82

♦ AJ97

♣ K64

South:

♠ AQ962

♥ 9

♦ T6

♣ QJT87

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♠	Pass

Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 140</b>	♠ AQ952	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 7	
HCP: 10+2	♣ JT942	
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<b>Board: 141</b>	♠ AK643	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 96	
HCP: 10+3	♣ QJT962	
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<b>Board: 142</b>	♠ AKQJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K5	
HCP: 17+2	♣ A97654	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 143</b>	♠ 63	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT843	East (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 8	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AKT76	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 140

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AQ952

♥ K6

♦ 7

♣ JT942

South:

♠ -

♥ A32

♦ AKQJ983

♣ Q63

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT Pass 3♦

Pass 5♣ Pass 4♦

Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 141

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AK643

♥ -

♦ 96

♣ QJT962

South:

♠ QJ985

♥ AQ5

♦ T7

♣ AK3

W N E S

1♦ 1♠ Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♠ All Pass 2♠

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 142

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQJ

♥ 8

♦ K5

♣ A97654

South:

♠ 5

♥ AQJ42

♦ J9873

♣ JT

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 143

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 63

♥ AT843

♦ 8

♣ AKT76

South:

♠ AKQJT9

♥ KQ6

♦ K74

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♦ 1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 140**      ♠ -      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A32      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQJ983  
HCP: 16+3      ♣ Q63

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**Board: 141**      ♠ QJ985      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AQ5      West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ T7  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ AK3

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**Board: 142**      ♠ 5      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AQJ42      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ J9873  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ JT

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**Board: 143**      ♠ AKQJT9      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ KQ6      East (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ K74  
HCP: 18+2      ♣ 9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 140

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AQ952

♥ K6

♦ 7

♣ JT942

South:

♠ -

♥ A32

♦ AKQJ983

♣ Q63

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♦

Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT

Pass 4♦

Pass 5♣

Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 141

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AK643

♥ -

♦ 96

♣ QJT962

South:

♠ QJ985

♥ AQ5

♦ T7

♣ AK3

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 1♠ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 142

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQJ

♥ 8

♦ K5

♣ A97654

South:

♠ 5

♥ AQJ42

♦ J9873

♣ JT

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 143

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 63

♥ AT843

♦ 8

♣ AKT76

South:

♠ AKQJT9

♥ KQ6

♦ K74

♣ 9

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♦ 3♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 144**

♠ AJ4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQT3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ QJ

HCP: 20

♣ AQJ3

**Board: 145**

♠ J9875

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ Q5

HCP: 10+2

♣ AQJ87

**Board: 146**

♠ QJT85

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ653

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 93

HCP: 11+2

♣ K

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 144

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ KQT3

♦ QJ

♣ AQJ3

South:

♠ Q7653

♥ AJ4

♦ AK653

♣ -

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♠ Pass 5♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 1 out of 4

### Board: 145

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 23+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ J9875

♥ 8

♦ Q5

♣ AQJ87

South:

♠ AKT

♥ AKQ52

♦ A3

♣ K96

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♥

Pass 5♠<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5. no !S queen

### Board: 146

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QJT85

♥ KQ653

♦ 93

♣ K

South:

♠ AK63

♥ AJT9

♦ AQ

♣ 762

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

<b>Board: 144</b>	♠ Q7653	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK653	
HCP: 14+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 145</b>	♠ AKT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ52	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A3	
HCP: 23+1	♣ K96	

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<b>Board: 146</b>	♠ AK63	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJT9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ	
HCP: 18	♣ 762	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 144

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ KQT3

♦ QJ

♣ AQJ3

South:

♠ Q7653

♥ AJ4

♦ AK653

♣ -

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♠ Pass 5♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 1 out of 4

### Board: 145

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 23+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ J9875

♥ 8

♦ Q5

♣ AQJ87

South:

♠ AKT

♥ AKQ52

♦ A3

♣ K96

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♥

Pass 5♠<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5. no !S queen

### Board: 146

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QJT85

♥ KQ653

♦ 93

♣ K

South:

♠ AK63

♥ AJT9

♦ AQ

♣ 762

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

**Board: 147**

♠ K

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT754

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK843

HCP: 13+2

♣ 86

**Board: 148**

♠ AKQ53

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT943

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ -

HCP: 16+2

♣ A87

**Board: 149**

♠ 97

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQJ74

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ A5

HCP: 17+1

♣ AK85

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 147

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ K

♥ KT754

♦ AK843

♣ 86

South:

♠ A

♥ AQ983

♦ QT96

♣ A53

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 7♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

### Board: 148

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ AKQ53

♥ KT943

♦ -

♣ A87

South:

♠ T

♥ J8765

♦ AK865

♣ 53

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 0 out of 4

### Board: 149

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ 97

♥ KQJ74

♦ A5

♣ AK85

South:

♠ KQJ85

♥ AT986

♦ 9

♣ 63

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ X

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 6♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !H queen and !C king

**Board: 147**

♠ A

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ983

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ QT96

HCP: 16+1

♣ A53

**Board: 148**

♠ T

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J8765

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AK865

HCP: 8+2

♣ 53

**Board: 149**

♠ KQJ85

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AT986

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 9

HCP: 10+2

♣ 63

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 147

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ K

♥ KT754

♦ AK843

♣ 86

South:

♠ A

♥ AQ983

♦ QT96

♣ A53

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 7♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

### Board: 148

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ AKQ53

♥ KT943

♦ -

♣ A87

South:

♠ T

♥ J8765

♦ AK865

♣ 53

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 0 out of 4

### Board: 149

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ 97

♥ KQJ74

♦ A5

♣ AK85

South:

♠ KQJ85

♥ AT986

♦ 9

♣ 63

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ X

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 6♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !H queen and !C king

<b>Board: 150</b>	♠ AK54	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ9843	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AJ2	

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<b>Board: 151</b>	♠ KQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ43	
HCP: 17+1	♣ 94	

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<b>Board: 152</b>	♠ J	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A9732	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 72	
HCP: 8+2	♣ QJ842	

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<b>Board: 153</b>	♠ Q9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q	West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ J7432	
HCP: 9+2	♣ A9632	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 150

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK54

♥ -

♦ KJ9843

♣ AJ2

South:

♠ QJ982

♥ AKT43

♦ AT

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 151

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ

♥ KQ53

♦ AQJ43

♣ 94

South:

♠ AT632

♥ J

♦ T9

♣ KQ862

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 152

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ J

♥ A9732

♦ 72

♣ QJ842

South:

♠ AQ76542

♥ K

♦ KQJ3

♣ K

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦ 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 153

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q9

♥ Q

♦ J7432

♣ A9632

South:

♠ AKJ752

♥ 8654

♦ KQ

♣ K

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 150**      ♠ QJ982      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKT43      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AT  
HCP: 14+2      ♣ 4

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**Board: 151**      ♠ AT632      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ J      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ T9  
HCP: 10+2      ♣ KQ862

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**Board: 152**      ♠ AQ76542      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ K      West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ KQJ3  
HCP: 18+3      ♣ K

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**Board: 153**      ♠ AKJ752      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 8654      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ KQ  
HCP: 16+2      ♣ K

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 150

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK54

♥ -

♦ KJ9843

♣ AJ2

South:

♠ QJ982

♥ AKT43

♦ AT

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 151

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ

♥ KQ53

♦ AQJ43

♣ 94

South:

♠ AT632

♥ J

♦ T9

♣ KQ862

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 152

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ J

♥ A9732

♦ 72

♣ QJ842

South:

♠ AQ76542

♥ K

♦ KQJ3

♣ K

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦ 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 153

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q9

♥ Q

♦ J7432

♣ A9632

South:

♠ AKJ752

♥ 8654

♦ KQ

♣ K

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 154**

♠ K

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKJ83

HCP: 16+2

♣ J8763

**Board: 155**

♠ AK532

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AQ7

HCP: 19+1

♣ AQ92

**Board: 156**

♠ AJ652

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 85

West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AT952

HCP: 9+2

♣ 7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 154

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K

♥ A3

♦ AKJ83

♣ J8763

South:

♠ Q9852

♥ QT864

♦ -

♣ AKT

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 155

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 7♠ South

North:

♠ AK532

♥ 4

♦ AQ7

♣ AQ92

South:

♠ QJ986

♥ AQ862

♦ 53

♣ 4

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	4♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>7</sup>
Pass	5♦ <sup>8</sup>	Pass	7♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. surplus

5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

6. Cue bid, a !D stopper

7. Blackwood 0314, for !S

8. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 156

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AJ652

♥ 85

♦ AT952

♣ 7

South:

♠ K

♥ AQ9

♦ KJ8743

♣ AQT

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♥	X	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

**Board: 154**      ♠ Q9852      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ QT864      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ -  
HCP: 11+2      ♣ AKT

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**Board: 155**      ♠ QJ986      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AQ862      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ 53  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ 4

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**Board: 156**      ♠ K      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AQ9      West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ KJ8743  
HCP: 19+2      ♣ AQT

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 154

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K

♥ A3

♦ AKJ83

♣ J8763

South:

♠ Q9852

♥ QT864

♦ -

♣ AKT

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 155

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 7♠ South

North:

♠ AK532

♥ 4

♦ AQ7

♣ AQ92

South:

♠ QJ986

♥ AQ862

♦ 53

♣ 4

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	4♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>7</sup>
Pass	5♦ <sup>8</sup>	Pass	7♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. surplus

5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

6. Cue bid, a !D stopper

7. Blackwood 0314, for !S

8. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 156

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AJ652

♥ 85

♦ AT952

♣ 7

South:

♠ K

♥ AQ9

♦ KJ8743

♣ AQT

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♥	X	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

<b>Board: 157</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ8653	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ83	
HCP: 11+3	♣ 92	
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<b>Board: 158</b>	♠ QJ974	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KT7532	
HCP: 10+3	♣ K	
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<b>Board: 159</b>	♠ AQ9874	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK6	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q2	West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 19+2	♣ A9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 157

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ QJ8653

♦ AKJ83

♣ 92

South:

♠ AKQT5

♥ AK2

♦ 764

♣ T3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

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

Pass 5♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 158

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QJ974

♥ J

♦ KT7532

♣ K

South:

♠ AK6

♥ K98

♦ J9

♣ AQT96

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 159

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ9874

♥ AK6

♦ Q2

♣ A9

South:

♠ T3

♥ J

♦ KJ976

♣ QJT75

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 2♦

2♥ 3♠ Pass 4♣

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 157</b>	♠ AKQT5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 764	
HCP: 16+1	♣ T3	

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<b>Board: 158</b>	♠ AK6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J9	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQT96	

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<b>Board: 159</b>	♠ T3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ976	West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ QJT75	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 157

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ QJ8653

♦ AKJ83

♣ 92

South:

♠ AKQT5

♥ AK2

♦ 764

♣ T3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

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

Pass 5♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 158

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QJ974

♥ J

♦ KT7532

♣ K

South:

♠ AK6

♥ K98

♦ J9

♣ AQT96

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 159

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ9874

♥ AK6

♦ Q2

♣ A9

South:

♠ T3

♥ J

♦ KJ976

♣ QJT75

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 2♦

2♥ 3♠ Pass 4♣

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 160**      ♠ K8643      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AKQJ86      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 9  
HCP: 16+3      ♣ K

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**Board: 161**      ♠ K84      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKQT      West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ T3  
HCP: 17      ♣ KQ82

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**Board: 162**      ♠ A932      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ K82      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQ42  
HCP: 17+1      ♣ J

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**Board: 163**      ♠ AQ6543      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 7      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 7  
HCP: 10+3      ♣ KJ962

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 160

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ K8643

♥ AKQJ86

♦ 9

♣ K

South:

♠ AQJT2

♥ 2

♦ A82

♣ AQ73

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 161

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K84

♥ AKQT

♦ T3

♣ KQ82

South:

♠ 2

♥ 87543

♦ AQJ54

♣ AT

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

2♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 162

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ A932

♥ K82

♦ AKQ42

♣ J

South:

♠ QJ4

♥ T6543

♦ -

♣ AK973

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 163

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ6543

♥ 7

♦ 7

♣ KJ962

South:

♠ K9

♥ AKT42

♦ A32

♣ A85

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 160</b>	♠ AQJT2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A82	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQ73	

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<b>Board: 161</b>	♠ 2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 87543	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ54	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AT	

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<b>Board: 162</b>	♠ QJ4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T6543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AK973	

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<b>Board: 163</b>	♠ K9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A32	
HCP: 18+1	♣ A85	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 160

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ K8643

♥ AKQJ86

♦ 9

♣ K

South:

♠ AQJT2

♥ 2

♦ A82

♣ AQ73

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 161

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K84

♥ AKQT

♦ T3

♣ KQ82

South:

♠ 2

♥ 87543

♦ AQJ54

♣ AT

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

2♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 162

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ A932

♥ K82

♦ AKQ42

♣ J

South:

♠ QJ4

♥ T6543

♦ -

♣ AK973

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 163

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ6543

♥ 7

♦ 7

♣ KJ962

South:

♠ K9

♥ AKT42

♦ A32

♣ A85

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 164</b>	♠ KT963	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q6	
HCP: 9+2	♣ AT875	
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<b>Board: 165</b>	♠ AKQJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 86	
HCP: 21	♣ KJ94	
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<b>Board: 166</b>	♠ J	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J8	East (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ975	
HCP: 10+2	♣ QJ974	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 167</b>	♠ KQT73	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ87	
HCP: 20+1	♣ AKQ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 164

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ KT963

♥ 4

♦ Q6

♣ AT875

South:

♠ A

♥ AK965

♦ J

♣ KQJ943

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♥

Pass 5♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 165

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AKQJ

♥ AK2

♦ 86

♣ KJ94

South:

♠ T

♥ 9

♦ KQ954

♣ AT7632

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♣ Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Minor Suit Transfers after 2NT

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 166

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J

♥ J8

♦ KQ975

♣ QJ974

South:

♠ A5

♥ KQ9

♦ AJ42

♣ K863

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♠ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 167

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQT73

♥ K

♦ QJ87

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ 85

♥ QJT43

♦ AK653

♣ 5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 164</b>	♠ A	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK965	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J	
HCP: 18+3	♣ KQJ943	

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<b>Board: 165</b>	♠ T	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ954	
HCP: 9+3	♣ AT7632	

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<b>Board: 166</b>	♠ A5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ9	East (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ42	
HCP: 17	♣ K863	

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<b>Board: 167</b>	♠ 85	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJT43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK653	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 164

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ KT963

♥ 4

♦ Q6

♣ AT875

South:

♠ A

♥ AK965

♦ J

♣ KQJ943

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♥

Pass 5♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 165

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AKQJ

♥ AK2

♦ 86

♣ KJ94

South:

♠ T

♥ 9

♦ KQ954

♣ AT7632

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♣ Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Minor Suit Transfers after 2NT

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 166

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J

♥ J8

♦ KQ975

♣ QJ974

South:

♠ A5

♥ KQ9

♦ AJ42

♣ K863

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♠ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 167

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQT73

♥ K

♦ QJ87

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ 85

♥ QJT43

♦ AK653

♣ 5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 168**

♠ AJ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T9743

West (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AK

HCP: 19+1

♣ AK2

**Board: 169**

♠ A87

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ97

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ6

HCP: 16

♣ A97

**Board: 170**

♠ QT8532

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ Q87

East (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ T3

HCP: 4+2

♣ 97

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 168

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ AJ8

♥ T9743

♦ AK

♣ AK2

South:

♠ Q5

♥ AKQ82

♦ 98732

♣ 9

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
3♣	3NT	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

### Board: 169

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ A87

♥ KJ97

♦ KJ6

♣ A97

South:

♠ KT632

♥ -

♦ 854

♣ KQT63

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 170

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 4+2

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ QT8532

♥ Q87

♦ T3

♣ 97

South:

♠ J7

♥ AJT9432

♦ K5

♣ 52

W	N	E	S
		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

<b>Board: 168</b>	♠ Q5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ82	West (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 98732	
HCP: 11+2	♣ 9	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 169</b>	♠ KT632	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 854	
HCP: 8+2	♣ KQT63	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 170</b>	♠ J7	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ AJT9432	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K5	
HCP: 9+3	♣ 52	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 168

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ AJ8

♥ T9743

♦ AK

♣ AK2

South:

♠ Q5

♥ AKQ82

♦ 98732

♣ 9

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
3♣	3NT	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 169

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ A87

♥ KJ97

♦ KJ6

♣ A97

South:

♠ KT632

♥ -

♦ 854

♣ KQT63

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 170

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 4+2

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ QT8532

♥ Q87

♦ T3

♣ 97

South:

♠ J7

♥ AJT9432

♦ K5

♣ 52

W	N	E	S
		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

<b>Board: 171</b>	♠ AQ632	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 86432	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 8	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 172</b>	♠ QT	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K9863	East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 8	
HCP: 9+2	♣ A9843	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 173</b>	♠ AKT	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q876	West (RHO) bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 18+1	♣ AKQ95	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 171

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ AQ632

♥ 86432

♦ AT

♣ 8

South:

♠ 7

♥ AKQJT

♦ Q542

♣ AT7

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6♣ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	7♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=0/5 or 3/5
7. King ask by 5NT
8. K=0

### Board: 172

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ QT

♥ K9863

♦ 8

♣ A9843

South:

♠ A53

♥ J5

♦ AQJ7

♣ KJ75

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	2♥	Pass
Pass	3♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 173

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ AKT

♥ 3

♦ Q876

♣ AKQ95

South:

♠ Q4

♥ -

♦ AJT93

♣ JT6432

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	2NT <sup>2</sup>
4♥	5♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Rubensohl after 1m

**Board: 171**

♠ 7

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKQJT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ Q542

HCP: 16+1

♣ AT7

**Board: 172**

♠ A53

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J5

East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQJ7

HCP: 16

♣ KJ75

**Board: 173**

♠ Q4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ -

East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AJT93

West (LHO) bids 4♥ if possible.

HCP: 8+3

♣ JT6432

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 171

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ AQ632

♥ 86432

♦ AT

♣ 8

South:

♠ 7

♥ AKQJT

♦ Q542

♣ AT7

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6♣ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	7♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=0/5 or 3/5
7. King ask by 5NT
8. K=0

### Board: 172

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ QT

♥ K9863

♦ 8

♣ A9843

South:

♠ A53

♥ J5

♦ AQJ7

♣ KJ75

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	2♥	Pass
Pass	3♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 173

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ AKT

♥ 3

♦ Q876

♣ AKQ95

South:

♠ Q4

♥ -

♦ AJT93

♣ JT6432

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	2NT <sup>2</sup>
4♥	5♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Rubensohl after 1m

<b>Board: 174</b>	♠ 3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJT7	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 84	
HCP: 9+2	♣ QT964	

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<b>Board: 175</b>	♠ AKQJ5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 74	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A4	
HCP: 19+1	♣ KQ65	

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<b>Board: 176</b>	♠ A4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQJ53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 19+3	♣ AJT72	

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<b>Board: 177</b>	♠ 63	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKT9	
HCP: 16	♣ Q54	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 174

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 3

♥ AQJT7

♦ 84

♣ QT964

South:

♠ AQJT7

♥ 92

♦ AKJ3

♣ J3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 175

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AKQJ5

♥ 74

♦ A4

♣ KQ65

South:

♠ T4

♥ J9862

♦ KJ932

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 176

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+3

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ A4

♥ AKQJ53

♦ -

♣ AJT72

South:

♠ KQ962

♥ 96

♦ AJ652

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 177

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 63

♥ AK76

♦ AKT9

♣ Q54

South:

♠ AK854

♥ -

♦ J32

♣ KJ987

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 174</b>	♠ AQJT7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 92	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ3	
HCP: 16+1	♣ J3	

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<b>Board: 175</b>	♠ T4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J9862	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ932	
HCP: 9+2	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 176</b>	♠ KQ962	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ652	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 4	

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<b>Board: 177</b>	♠ AK854	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J32	
HCP: 12+2	♣ KJ987	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 174

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 3

♥ AQJT7

♦ 84

♣ QT964

South:

♠ AQJT7

♥ 92

♦ AKJ3

♣ J3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 175

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AKQJ5

♥ 74

♦ A4

♣ KQ65

South:

♠ T4

♥ J9862

♦ KJ932

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 176

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+3

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ A4

♥ AKQJ53

♦ -

♣ AJT72

South:

♠ KQ962

♥ 96

♦ AJ652

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 177

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 63

♥ AK76

♦ AKT9

♣ Q54

South:

♠ AK854

♥ -

♦ J32

♣ KJ987

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 178</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ964	East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T8742	West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 11+2	♣ AJ5	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 179</b>	♠ AJT9843	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ 5	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T52	West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 8+3	♣ K4	West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♠ if possible.
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 180</b>	♠ AKJ86	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K2	
HCP: 25+1	♣ AK	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 181</b>	♠ AK6	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ53	
HCP: 24	♣ AKJ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 178

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AQ964

♦ T8742

♣ AJ5

South:

♠ Q74

♥ K

♦ KQJ6

♣ KQ982

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ 3♣<sup>1</sup>

3♠ 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !C

4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 179

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 4

Contract: 3♠X North

North:

♠ AJT9843

♥ 5

♦ T52

♣ K4

South:

♠ K6

♥ 8764

♦ J874

♣ T32

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass

2♥ 3♠ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 180

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 25+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ AKJ86

♥ AK95

♦ K2

♣ AK

South:

♠ -

♥ Q7432

♦ A7643

♣ Q54

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

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

Pass 5♠ Pass 5NT<sup>5</sup>

Pass 7♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

### Board: 181

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 24

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AK6

♥ AT8

♦ AJ53

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ Q4

♥ QJ972

♦ K

♣ 98654

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 178</b>	♠ Q74	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQJ6	West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 16+1	♣ KQ982	
<b>Board: 179</b>	♠ K6	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 8764	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ J874	West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 4	♣ T32	West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♠ if possible.
<b>Board: 180</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q7432	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A7643	
HCP: 8+2	♣ Q54	
<b>Board: 181</b>	♠ Q4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ972	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 98654	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 178

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AQ964

♦ T8742

♣ AJ5

South:

♠ Q74

♥ K

♦ KQJ6

♣ KQ982

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ 3♣<sup>1</sup>

3♠ 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !C

4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 179

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 4

Contract: 3♠X North

North:

♠ AJT9843

♥ 5

♦ T52

♣ K4

South:

♠ K6

♥ 8764

♦ J874

♣ T32

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass

2♥ 3♠ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 180

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 25+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ AKJ86

♥ AK95

♦ K2

♣ AK

South:

♠ -

♥ Q7432

♦ A7643

♣ Q54

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

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

Pass 5♠ Pass 5NT<sup>5</sup>

Pass 7♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

### Board: 181

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 24

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AK6

♥ AT8

♦ AJ53

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ Q4

♥ QJ972

♦ K

♣ 98654

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 182**

♠ KT

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKT5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQ84

HCP: 18

♣ K32

**Board: 183**

♠ KT

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ653

West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KQT984

HCP: 11+3

♣ -

**Board: 184**

♠ QT54

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ J8732

West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ Q865

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 5+1

♣ -

West (RHO) bids 3NT if possible.

West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

**Board: 185**

♠ 7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQT5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ J8

HCP: 16+2

♣ AQT64

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 182

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ KT

♥ AKT5

♦ KQ84

♣ K32

South:

♠ AQJ62

♥ Q8763

♦ 5

♣ T7

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 183

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 20+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KT

♥ QJ653

♦ KQT984

♣ -

South:

♠ AJ3

♥ AK7

♦ J

♣ AQJT32

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♠	3♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

### Board: 184

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 5+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 4♠X North

North:

♠ QT54

♥ J8732

♦ Q865

♣ -

South:

♠ KJ87632

♥ Q54

♦ -

♣ JT8

W	N	E	S
1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♠
3NT	4♠	Pass	Pass
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 185

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 7

♥ AKQT5

♦ J8

♣ AQT64

South:

♠ QJ865

♥ 42

♦ AKQT6

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 183</b>	♠ AJ3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK7	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J	
HCP: 20+2	♣ AQJT32	

<b>Board: 185</b>	♠ QJ865	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQT6	
HCP: 12+2	♣ 5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 182

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ KT

♥ AKT5

♦ KQ84

♣ K32

South:

♠ AQJ62

♥ Q8763

♦ 5

♣ T7

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 183

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 20+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KT

♥ QJ653

♦ KQT984

♣ -

South:

♠ AJ3

♥ AK7

♦ J

♣ AQJT32

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♠	3♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

### Board: 184

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 5+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 4♠X North

North:

♠ QT54

♥ J8732

♦ Q865

♣ -

South:

♠ KJ87632

♥ Q54

♦ -

♣ JT8

W	N	E	S
1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♠
3NT	4♠	Pass	Pass
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 185

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 7

♥ AKQT5

♦ J8

♣ AQT64

South:

♠ QJ865

♥ 42

♦ AKQT6

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 186</b>	♠ K9732	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ975	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 6	
HCP: 9+2	♣ T9	

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<b>Board: 187</b>	♠ A8	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ54	
HCP: 18	♣ A852	

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<b>Board: 188</b>	♠ AK53	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T654	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	
HCP: 18	♣ AK43	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 186

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K9732

♥ AQ975

♦ 6

♣ T9

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ K6

♦ AKQ

♣ KJ543

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 187

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ A8

♥ AT4

♦ AQ54

♣ A852

South:

♠ KJT973

♥ Q2

♦ KT632

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 188

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AK53

♥ T654

♦ A

♣ AK43

South:

♠ J

♥ AQJ732

♦ J9864

♣ Q

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 4 ♦<sup>3</sup>

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

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

**Board: 186**

♠ AJ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKQ

HCP: 21+1

♣ KJ543

**Board: 187**

♠ KJT973

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KT632

HCP: 9+3

♣ -

**Board: 188**

♠ J

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ732

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ J9864

HCP: 11+3

♣ Q

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 186

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K9732

♥ AQ975

♦ 6

♣ T9

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ K6

♦ AKQ

♣ KJ543

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 187

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ A8

♥ AT4

♦ AQ54

♣ A852

South:

♠ KJT973

♥ Q2

♦ KT632

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 188

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AK53

♥ T654

♦ A

♣ AK43

South:

♠ J

♥ AQJ732

♦ J9864

♣ Q

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 4 ♦<sup>3</sup>

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

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

**Board: 189**

♠ AJ2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AK83

HCP: 23

♣ AQJT

**Board: 190**

♠ Q86

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ JT864

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KQT73

HCP: 8+2

♣ -

**Board: 191**

♠ 643

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ KJ7542

West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ K82

East (LHO) Doubles 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 8+2

♣ J

**Board: 192**

♠ Q

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJT64

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQT63

HCP: 11+2

♣ T4

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 189

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 23

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AJ2

♥ A5

♦ AK83

♣ AQJT

South:

♠ 6

♥ KQT43

♦ J5

♣ K6543

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 190

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ Q86

♥ JT864

♦ KQT73

♣ -

South:

♠ AK

♥ KQ

♦ J642

♣ KT763

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 191

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 4+2

Contract: 3 ♥ South

North:

♠ 643

♥ KJ7542

♦ K82

♣ J

South:

♠ 72

♥ Q86

♦ Q3

♣ T96542

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ X 3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 192

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ KJT64

♦ KQT63

♣ T4

South:

♠ KJ643

♥ -

♦ A8

♣ AKJ865

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♠

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 189</b>	♠ 6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQT43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J5	
HCP: 9+2	♣ K6543	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 190</b>	♠ AK	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J642	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KT763	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 191</b>	♠ 72	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ Q86	West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q3	East (RHO) Doubles 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 4+2	♣ T96542	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 192</b>	♠ KJ643	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A8	
HCP: 16+3	♣ AKJ865	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 189

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 23

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AJ2

♥ A5

♦ AK83

♣ AQJT

South:

♠ 6

♥ KQT43

♦ J5

♣ K6543

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 190

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ Q86

♥ JT864

♦ KQT73

♣ -

South:

♠ AK

♥ KQ

♦ J642

♣ KT763

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 191

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 4+2

Contract: 3 ♥ South

North:

♠ 643

♥ KJ7542

♦ K82

♣ J

South:

♠ 72

♥ Q86

♦ Q3

♣ T96542

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ X 3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 192

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ KJT64

♦ KQT63

♣ T4

South:

♠ KJ643

♥ -

♦ A8

♣ AKJ865

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♠

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 193</b>	♠ KQJ32	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A8754	
HCP: 13+2	♣ K9	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 194</b>	♠ 853	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A63	East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ2	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ85	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 195</b>	♠ AT	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K9	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQJ6	
HCP: 19+1	♣ QT32	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 196</b>	♠ KT973	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJT53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A	
HCP: 10+2	♣ T7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 193

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6♦ South

North:

♠ KQJ32

♥ 6

♦ A8754

♣ K9

South:

♠ 7

♥ AQ743

♦ KJT6

♣ AQJ

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♦

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♥ Pass 6♦<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !D queen

### Board: 194

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 853

♥ A63

♦ AQ2

♣ AQ85

South:

♠ AQJ62

♥ KT972

♦ T6

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 195

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT

♥ K9

♦ AKQJ6

♣ QT32

South:

♠ KQJ92

♥ Q7

♦ 5

♣ J9875

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 196

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KT973

♥ QJT53

♦ A

♣ T7

South:

♠ A64

♥ AK72

♦ J94

♣ AK6

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♥ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 193</b>	♠ 7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ743	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJT6	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQJ	

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<b>Board: 194</b>	♠ AQJ62	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT972	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T6	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 9	

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<b>Board: 195</b>	♠ KQJ92	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q7	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 5	
HCP: 9+2	♣ J9875	

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<b>Board: 196</b>	♠ A64	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK72	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J94	
HCP: 19	♣ AK6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 193

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6♦ South

North:

♠ KQJ32

♥ 6

♦ A8754

♣ K9

South:

♠ 7

♥ AQ743

♦ KJT6

♣ AQJ

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♦

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♥ Pass 6♦<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !D queen

### Board: 194

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 853

♥ A63

♦ AQ2

♣ AQ85

South:

♠ AQJ62

♥ KT972

♦ T6

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 195

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT

♥ K9

♦ AKQJ6

♣ QT32

South:

♠ KQJ92

♥ Q7

♦ 5

♣ J9875

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 196

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KT973

♥ QJT53

♦ A

♣ T7

South:

♠ A64

♥ AK72

♦ J94

♣ AK6

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♥ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 197</b>	♠ AK	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q97	East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJT865	
HCP: 17+3	♣ 5	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 198</b>	♠ AQT97	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q	West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ J9865	West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ 95	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 199</b>	♠ QT5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQT2	West (RHO) Doubles 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K5	
HCP: 17	♣ AQ96	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 200</b>	♠ AQT96	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J	East (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J9763	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 64	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 197

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ AK

♥ Q97

♦ AKJT865

♣ 5

South:

♠ J9842

♥ 65

♦ -

♣ AKQ983

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 198

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ AQT97

♥ Q

♦ J9865

♣ 95

South:

♠ K3

♥ 742

♦ AK

♣ AQJ863

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♥ 1♠ Pass 2♣

2♥ 3♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

### Board: 199

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QT5

♥ AQT2

♦ K5

♣ AQ96

South:

♠ AJ974

♥ -

♦ J9832

♣ KT7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

X 2♠ Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 200

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 22+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQT96

♥ J

♦ J9763

♣ 64

South:

♠ K4

♥ K7

♦ AKQ842

♣ AKT

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♥ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 197</b>	♠ J9842	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 65	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 10+3	♣ AKQ983	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 198</b>	♠ K3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 742	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK	West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 17+2	♣ AQJ863	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 199</b>	♠ AJ974	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J9832	
HCP: 9+2	♣ KT7	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 200</b>	♠ K4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K7	East (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKQ842	
HCP: 22+2	♣ AKT	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 197

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ AK

♥ Q97

♦ AKJT865

♣ 5

South:

♠ J9842

♥ 65

♦ -

♣ AKQ983

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 198

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ AQT97

♥ Q

♦ J9865

♣ 95

South:

♠ K3

♥ 742

♦ AK

♣ AQJ863

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♥ 1♠ Pass 2♣

2♥ 3♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

### Board: 199

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QT5

♥ AQT2

♦ K5

♣ AQ96

South:

♠ AJ974

♥ -

♦ J9832

♣ KT7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

X 2♠ Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 200

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 22+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQT96

♥ J

♦ J9763

♣ 64

South:

♠ K4

♥ K7

♦ AKQ842

♣ AKT

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♥ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 201</b>	♠ Q76	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A9752	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ972	
HCP: 11+2	♣ -	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 202</b>	♠ 93	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ AT	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ T853	West (RHO) Doubles 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 7+1	♣ K9764	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 203</b>	♠ A9642	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ JT8632	
HCP: 8+3	♣ 6	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 204</b>	♠ AK4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT9	East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ K543	West (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ K76	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 201

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ Q76

♥ A9752

♦ AJ972

♣ -

South:

♠ K853

♥ KQ3

♦ K

♣ AQJ65

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

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

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 202

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7+1

South HCP: 6+2

Contract: 2♠ X South

North:

♠ 93

♥ AT

♦ T853

♣ K9764

South:

♠ Q87652

♥ 987

♦ 97

♣ A5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 203

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ A9642

♥ K

♦ JT8632

♣ 6

South:

♠ KQJ3

♥ AQT3

♦ K7

♣ J97

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♥ 2NT

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 204

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AK4

♥ KT9

♦ K543

♣ K76

South:

♠ T9863

♥ AQJ85

♦ -

♣ JT5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

2♦ X<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Support double redouble

<b>Board: 201</b>	♠ K853	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K	
HCP: 18+1	♣ AQJ65	
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<b>Board: 202</b>	♠ Q87652	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 987	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 97	West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 6+2	♣ A5	
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<b>Board: 203</b>	♠ KQJ3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT3	East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K7	
HCP: 16	♣ J97	
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<b>Board: 204</b>	♠ T9863	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ85	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	West (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ JT5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 201

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ Q76

♥ A9752

♦ AJ972

♣ -

South:

♠ K853

♥ KQ3

♦ K

♣ AQJ65

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

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

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 202

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7+1

South HCP: 6+2

Contract: 2♠ X South

North:

♠ 93

♥ AT

♦ T853

♣ K9764

South:

♠ Q87652

♥ 987

♦ 97

♣ A5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 203

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ A9642

♥ K

♦ JT8632

♣ 6

South:

♠ KQJ3

♥ AQT3

♦ K7

♣ J97

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♥ 2NT

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 204

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AK4

♥ KT9

♦ K543

♣ K76

South:

♠ T9863

♥ AQJ85

♦ -

♣ JT5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

2♦ X<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Support double redouble

<b>Board: 205</b>	♠ KQT754	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ976	
HCP: 11+3	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 206</b>	♠ K94	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A86	
HCP: 19	♣ KQ6	

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<b>Board: 207</b>	♠ AK6	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT9	
HCP: 17+1	♣ T8752	

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<b>Board: 208</b>	♠ J9652	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K4	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQT	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 205

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQT754

♥ 93

♦ AQ976

♣ -

South:

♠ A8

♥ KQJ76

♦ -

♣ AQT875

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 206

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ K94

♥ AQJ8

♦ A86

♣ KQ6

South:

♠ A5

♥ 97432

♦ T

♣ AJT85

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 207

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AK6

♥ AQ

♦ AT9

♣ T8752

South:

♠ 7

♥ JT874

♦ KJ765

♣ QJ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 208

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J9652

♥ AKT

♦ K4

♣ AQT

South:

♠ A

♥ J4

♦ T9652

♣ K9542

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 205</b>	♠ A8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ -	
HCP: 16+3	♣ AQT875	

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<b>Board: 206</b>	♠ A5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 97432	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ T	
HCP: 9+2	♣ AJT85	

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<b>Board: 207</b>	♠ 7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT874	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ765	
HCP: 8+2	♣ QJ	

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<b>Board: 208</b>	♠ A	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T9652	
HCP: 8+2	♣ K9542	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 205

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQT754

♥ 93

♦ AQ976

♣ -

South:

♠ A8

♥ KQJ76

♦ -

♣ AQT875

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 206

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ K94

♥ AQJ8

♦ A86

♣ KQ6

South:

♠ A5

♥ 97432

♦ T

♣ AJT85

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 207

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AK6

♥ AQ

♦ AT9

♣ T8752

South:

♠ 7

♥ JT874

♦ KJ765

♣ QJ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 208

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J9652

♥ AKT

♦ K4

♣ AQT

South:

♠ A

♥ J4

♦ T9652

♣ K9542

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 209</b>	♠ A5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 643	West (RHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KT4	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKQ96	

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<b>Board: 210</b>	♠ 72	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ754	East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ QT962	
HCP: 8+2	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 211</b>	♠ K3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT9872	
HCP: 10+3	♣ A8642	

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<b>Board: 212</b>	♠ T3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ652	West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 3	
HCP: 14+2	♣ AKQ92	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 209

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A5

♥ 643

♦ KT4

♣ AKQ96

South:

♠ QT8732

♥ -

♦ AJ953

♣ J8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup>

X 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 210

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 72

♥ AJ754

♦ QT962

♣ J

South:

♠ A4

♥ KQ8

♦ A4

♣ KQ8653

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> 2 ♠ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 211

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K3

♥ -

♦ KT9872

♣ A8642

South:

♠ AJ9

♥ AKT43

♦ J

♣ KT73

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 212

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6 ♣ South

North:

♠ T3

♥ KQ652

♦ 3

♣ AKQ92

South:

♠ A4

♥ A98

♦ AKJ6

♣ J865

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠ X Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

<b>Board: 209</b>	♠ QT8732	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	West (LHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ953	
HCP: 8+3	♣ J8	

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<b>Board: 210</b>	♠ A4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ8	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A4	
HCP: 18+2	♣ KQ8653	

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<b>Board: 211</b>	♠ AJ9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KT73	

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<b>Board: 212</b>	♠ A4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A98	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ6	
HCP: 17	♣ J865	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 209

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A5

♥ 643

♦ KT4

♣ AKQ96

South:

♠ QT8732

♥ -

♦ AJ953

♣ J8

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
X	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 210

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 72

♥ AJ754

♦ QT962

♣ J

South:

♠ A4

♥ KQ8

♦ A4

♣ KQ8653

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♠	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 211

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K3

♥ -

♦ KT9872

♣ A8642

South:

♠ AJ9

♥ AKT43

♦ J

♣ KT73

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 212

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6 ♣ South

North:

♠ T3

♥ KQ652

♦ 3

♣ AKQ92

South:

♠ A4

♥ A98

♦ AKJ6

♣ J865

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	X	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

<b>Board: 213</b>	♠ 3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ982	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ986	
HCP: 13+2	♣ KJ	

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<b>Board: 214</b>	♠ QT652	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJT2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A6	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJ	

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<b>Board: 215</b>	♠ AJT	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J84	
HCP: 19	♣ AKJ	

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<b>Board: 216</b>	♠ K98	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K9854	
HCP: 8+2	♣ QT543	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 213

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 3

♥ KJ982

♦ KQ986

♣ KJ

South:

♠ AKT84

♥ AQ3

♦ J2

♣ Q43

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 214

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ QT652

♥ AJT2

♦ A6

♣ AJ

South:

♠ -

♥ KQ853

♦ T9

♣ KQT854

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 215

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AJT

♥ KQ82

♦ J84

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ K7642

♥ JT

♦ A

♣ Q9432

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 216

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K98

♥ -

♦ K9854

♣ QT543

South:

♠ A765

♥ KQ52

♦ AQ

♣ K76

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 213</b>	♠ AKT84	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J2	
HCP: 16+1	♣ Q43	

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<b>Board: 214</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ853	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T9	
HCP: 10+3	♣ KQT854	

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<b>Board: 215</b>	♠ K7642	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A	
HCP: 10+2	♣ Q9432	

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<b>Board: 216</b>	♠ A765	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ52	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ	
HCP: 18	♣ K76	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 213

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 3

♥ KJ982

♦ KQ986

♣ KJ

South:

♠ AKT84

♥ AQ3

♦ J2

♣ Q43

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 214

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ QT652

♥ AJT2

♦ A6

♣ AJ

South:

♠ -

♥ KQ853

♦ T9

♣ KQT854

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 215

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AJT

♥ KQ82

♦ J84

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ K7642

♥ JT

♦ A

♣ Q9432

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 216

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K98

♥ -

♦ K9854

♣ QT543

South:

♠ A765

♥ KQ52

♦ AQ

♣ K76

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 217**

♠ K432

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKT

HCP: 19

♣ KQJ2

**Board: 218**

♠ A85

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ T5

HCP: 16+1

♣ KJ983

**Board: 219**

♠ AQJT9532

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ -

West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 752

East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 7+4

♣ T9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 217

	North:	South:
Dealer: North	♠ K432	♠ A9875
Vul: E-W	♥ K5	♥ A9643
North HCP: 19	♦ AKT	♦ 54
South HCP: 8+2	♣ KQJ2	♣ 9
Contract: 6 ♠ South		

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

### Board: 218

	North:	South:
Dealer: North	♠ A85	♠ Q7632
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ	♥ 7
North HCP: 16+1	♦ T5	♦ AKQJ86
South HCP: 12+3	♣ KJ983	♣ 6
Contract: 5 ♠ South		

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

### Board: 219

	North:	South:
Dealer: West	♠ AQJT9532	♠ 87
Vul: None	♥ -	♥ J965
North HCP: 7+4	♦ 752	♦ QJ94
South HCP: 4	♣ T9	♣ 765
Contract: 4 ♠ X North		

W	N	E	S
1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	4 ♠	X	All Pass
1. 16+ HCP			

<b>Board: 217</b>	♠ A9875	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A9643	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 54	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 9	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 218</b>	♠ Q7632	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJ86	
HCP: 12+3	♣ 6	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 219</b>	♠ 87	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ J965	West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ QJ94	East (RHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 4	♣ 765	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 217

	North:	South:
Dealer: North	♠ K432	♠ A9875
Vul: E-W	♥ K5	♥ A9643
North HCP: 19	♦ AKT	♦ 54
South HCP: 8+2	♣ KQJ2	♣ 9
Contract: 6 ♠ South		

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

### Board: 218

	North:	South:
Dealer: North	♠ A85	♠ Q7632
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ	♥ 7
North HCP: 16+1	♦ T5	♦ AKQJ86
South HCP: 12+3	♣ KJ983	♣ 6
Contract: 5 ♠ South		

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

### Board: 219

	North:	South:
Dealer: West	♠ AQJT9532	♠ 87
Vul: None	♥ -	♥ J965
North HCP: 7+4	♦ 752	♦ QJ94
South HCP: 4	♣ T9	♣ 765
Contract: 4 ♠ X North		

W	N	E	S
1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	4 ♠	X	All Pass
1. 16+ HCP			

<b>Board: 220</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 97532	West (RHO) Doubles 6♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 2	
HCP: 10+4	♣ AKQJ862	

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<b>Board: 221</b>	♠ KJ985	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J	
HCP: 9+2	♣ A6543	

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<b>Board: 222</b>	♠ Q	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ653	
HCP: 18+3	♣ AQ95	

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<b>Board: 223</b>	♠ AKJ963	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ4	East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 5	
HCP: 18+2	♣ A93	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 220

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+4

South HCP: 16+4

Contract: 6 ♠ X South

North:

♠ -

♥ 97532

♦ 2

♣ AKQJ862

South:

♠ AKQ87432

♥ A

♦ KT65

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 5 ♦<sup>6</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>5</sup>

X All Pass 6 ♠

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Exclusion, for !S

6. 0 out of 4

### Board: 221

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJ985

♥ 87

♦ J

♣ A6543

South:

♠ AT

♥ AT9652

♦ KQT8

♣ K

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass 3 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 222

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+3

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ 9

♦ AKQJ653

♣ AQ95

South:

♠ AJT94

♥ KJT843

♦ T

♣ 4

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 223

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ AKJ963

♥ AQ4

♦ 5

♣ A93

South:

♠ -

♥ KJT82

♦ J9

♣ QJT765

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♠ 2NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

**Board: 220**      ♠ AKQ87432    You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A                      West (LHO) Doubles 6♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S            ♦ KT65  
HCP: 16+4        ♣ -

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**Board: 221**      ♠ AT                      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AT9652              The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both           ♦ KQT8  
HCP: 16+2        ♣ K

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**Board: 222**      ♠ AJT94                Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KJT843              The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None           ♦ T  
HCP: 9+3          ♣ 4

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**Board: 223**      ♠ -                        Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KJT82                East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S            ♦ J9  
HCP: 8+3          ♣ QJT765

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 220

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+4

South HCP: 16+4

Contract: 6 ♠ X South

North:

♠ -

♥ 97532

♦ 2

♣ AKQJ862

South:

♠ AKQ87432

♥ A

♦ KT65

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 5 ♦<sup>6</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>5</sup>

Pass 6 ♠

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Exclusion, for !S

6. 0 out of 4

### Board: 221

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJ985

♥ 87

♦ J

♣ A6543

South:

♠ AT

♥ AT9652

♦ KQT8

♣ K

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 222

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+3

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ 9

♦ AKQJ653

♣ AQ95

South:

♠ AJT94

♥ KJT843

♦ T

♣ 4

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 223

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ AKJ963

♥ AQ4

♦ 5

♣ A93

South:

♠ -

♥ KJT82

♦ J9

♣ QJT765

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♠ 2NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

**Board: 224**

♠ AQT84

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A6

HCP: 19+1

♣ A82

**Board: 225**

♠ 65

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 8

West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ QJT43

HCP: 12+2

♣ AKQ74

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 224

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AQT84

♥ KQ9

♦ A6

♣ A82

South:

♠ K

♥ AT543

♦ KT972

♣ 75

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5♠
Pass	5NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Cue bid, a !S stopper
- Cue bid, a !C stopper
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=1/5 or 4/5
- !H queen no !C king no !D king

### Board: 225

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ 65

♥ 8

♦ QJT43

♣ AKQ74

South:

♠ KJT8732

♥ AK2

♦ A5

♣ J

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♥	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♠	Pass	6♠
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- Rubensohl after 1m
- Blackwood 0314, for !S
- A=0/5 or 3/5

**Board: 224**

♠ K

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AT543

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KT972

HCP: 10+2

♣ 75

**Board: 225**

♠ KJT8732

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK2

West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ A5

HCP: 16+3

♣ J

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 224

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AQT84

♥ KQ9

♦ A6

♣ A82

South:

♠ K

♥ AT543

♦ KT972

♣ 75

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5♠
Pass	5NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Cue bid, a !S stopper
- Cue bid, a !C stopper
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=1/5 or 4/5
- !H queen no !C king no !D king

### Board: 225

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ 65

♥ 8

♦ QJT43

♣ AKQ74

South:

♠ KJT8732

♥ AK2

♦ A5

♣ J

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♥	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♠	Pass	6♠
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- Rubensohl after 1m
- Blackwood 0314, for !S
- A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 226</b>	♠ AT832	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT9752	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q	
HCP: 9+3	♣ 7	

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<b>Board: 227</b>	♠ K4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ853	
HCP: 15+3	♣ AT874	

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<b>Board: 228</b>	♠ AQJT98	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ92	
HCP: 17+2	♣ K	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 226

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 19

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT832

♥ KT9752

♦ Q

♣ 7

South:

♠ K64

♥ Q8

♦ AK85

♣ AK65

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♥

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 227

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+3

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 7 ♦ South

North:

♠ K4

♥ -

♦ AKJ853

♣ AT874

South:

♠ A3

♥ AKQ632

♦ Q97

♣ K5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

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

Pass 6 ♦<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=1

### Board: 228

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQJT98

♥ J8

♦ AQ92

♣ K

South:

♠ 74

♥ KQT54

♦ 6

♣ AJ952

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 226</b>	♠ K64	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK85	
HCP: 19	♣ AK65	

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<b>Board: 227</b>	♠ A3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ632	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q97	
HCP: 18+2	♣ K5	

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<b>Board: 228</b>	♠ 74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQT54	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 6	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AJ952	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 226

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 19

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT832

♥ KT9752

♦ Q

♣ 7

South:

♠ K64

♥ Q8

♦ AK85

♣ AK65

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♥

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 227

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+3

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 7 ♦ South

North:

♠ K4

♥ -

♦ AKJ853

♣ AT874

South:

♠ A3

♥ AKQ632

♦ Q97

♣ K5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

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

Pass 6 ♦<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=1

### Board: 228

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQJT98

♥ J8

♦ AQ92

♣ K

South:

♠ 74

♥ KQT54

♦ 6

♣ AJ952

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 229**      ♠ -      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A8532      West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AKT7532  
HCP: 11+4      ♣ 2

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**Board: 230**      ♠ AJ42      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ Q74      East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AQ95  
HCP: 18      ♣ AJ

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**Board: 231**      ♠ Q3      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKJ2      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ J84  
HCP: 16      ♣ KQT6

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**Board: 232**      ♠ K876      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKJ      East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ AK73  
HCP: 18      ♣ 43

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 229

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+4

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ -

♥ A8532

♦ AKT7532

♣ 2

South:

♠ A2

♥ K

♦ Q9864

♣ AKJ93

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠ 6 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 230

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ AJ42

♥ Q74

♦ AQ95

♣ AJ

South:

♠ K

♥ A5

♦ J8632

♣ 98632

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 2 ♦

Pass 3 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 231

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q3

♥ AKJ2

♦ J84

♣ KQT6

South:

♠ AKT65

♥ 65

♦ AK653

♣ 8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 232

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ K876

♥ AKJ

♦ AK73

♣ 43

South:

♠ AQT93

♥ 8

♦ 42

♣ QJT82

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♦ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 229</b>	♠ A2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q9864	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AKJ93	

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<b>Board: 230</b>	♠ K	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A5	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ J8632	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 98632	

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<b>Board: 231</b>	♠ AKT65	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK653	
HCP: 14+2	♣ 8	

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<b>Board: 232</b>	♠ AQT93	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 8	East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 42	
HCP: 9+2	♣ QJT82	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 229

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+4

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ -

♥ A8532

♦ AKT7532

♣ 2

South:

♠ A2

♥ K

♦ Q9864

♣ AKJ93

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠ 6 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 230

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ AJ42

♥ Q74

♦ AQ95

♣ AJ

South:

♠ K

♥ A5

♦ J8632

♣ 98632

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 2 ♦

Pass 3 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 231

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q3

♥ AKJ2

♦ J84

♣ KQT6

South:

♠ AKT65

♥ 65

♦ AK653

♣ 8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 232

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ K876

♥ AKJ

♦ AK73

♣ 43

South:

♠ AQT93

♥ 8

♦ 42

♣ QJT82

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♦ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 233**

♠ 8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K9543

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q7

HCP: 10+2

♣ AJ952

**Board: 234**

♠ 93

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A7

West (RHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ82

HCP: 16+1

♣ KQJ92

**Board: 235**

♠ KQT642

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ Q8752

HCP: 10+3

♣ K

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 233

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 8

♥ K9543

♦ Q7

♣ AJ952

South:

♠ 7652

♥ AQ6

♦ AKJ83

♣ Q

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

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

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 234

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2♥XX South

North:

♠ 93

♥ A7

♦ AQ82

♣ KQJ92

South:

♠ KT764

♥ QJ953

♦ KJ

♣ 4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

X XX<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. artificial

### Board: 235

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ KQT642

♥ 4

♦ Q8752

♣ K

South:

♠ -

♥ AKQ6

♦ K963

♣ AQJT8

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 233</b>	♠ 7652	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ83	
HCP: 16+1	♣ Q	

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<b>Board: 234</b>	♠ KT764	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ953	West (LHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 4	

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<b>Board: 235</b>	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K963	
HCP: 19+1	♣ AQJT8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 233

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 8

♥ K9543

♦ Q7

♣ AJ952

South:

♠ 7652

♥ AQ6

♦ AKJ83

♣ Q

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

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

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 234

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2♥XX South

North:

♠ 93

♥ A7

♦ AQ82

♣ KQJ92

South:

♠ KT764

♥ QJ953

♦ KJ

♣ 4

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

X XX<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. artificial

### Board: 235

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ KQT642

♥ 4

♦ Q8752

♣ K

South:

♠ -

♥ AKQ6

♦ K963

♣ AQJT8

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 236**

♠ K8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKQ53

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ JT763

HCP: 13+2

♣ T

**Board: 237**

♠ AKQJ92

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K95

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A

HCP: 17+2

♣ 642

**Board: 238**

♠ 942

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AQ6

HCP: 18

♣ AQ54

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 236

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ K8

♥ AKQ53

♦ JT763

♣ T

South:

♠ AQT432

♥ 9

♦ AQ54

♣ AQ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6 ♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6 ♦<sup>6</sup>

Pass 7 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

5. King ask by available bid

6. K=0

### Board: 237

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKQJ92

♥ K95

♦ A

♣ 642

South:

♠ -

♥ AT843

♦ KJ764

♣ QT3

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 238

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ 942

♥ AQ3

♦ AQ6

♣ AQ54

South:

♠ KQJ65

♥ J2

♦ KJT95

♣ J

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♠

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

Pass 5 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

<b>Board: 236</b>	♠ AQT432	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ54	
HCP: 18+2	♣ AQ	

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<b>Board: 237</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT843	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ764	
HCP: 10+2	♣ QT3	

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<b>Board: 238</b>	♠ KQJ65	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJT95	
HCP: 12+2	♣ J	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 236

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ K8

♥ AKQ53

♦ JT763

♣ T

South:

♠ AQT432

♥ 9

♦ AQ54

♣ AQ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6 ♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6 ♦<sup>6</sup>

Pass 7 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

5. King ask by available bid

6. K=0

### Board: 237

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKQJ92

♥ K95

♦ A

♣ 642

South:

♠ -

♥ AT843

♦ KJ764

♣ QT3

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 238

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ 942

♥ AQ3

♦ AQ6

♣ AQ54

South:

♠ KQJ65

♥ J2

♦ KJT95

♣ J

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♠

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

Pass 5 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

**Board: 239**      ♠ QJT82      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KQJ2      West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ KQ      East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ Q6

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**Board: 240**      ♠ 73      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AJ8      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ A76  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ AK963

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**Board: 241**      ♠ 7      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ K8762      West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ Q  
HCP: 9+3      ♣ A98732

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**Board: 242**      ♠ J3      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKJ862      East (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AK3  
HCP: 18+2      ♣ Q9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 239

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ QJT82

♥ KQJ2

♦ KQ

♣ Q6

South:

♠ AK543

♥ -

♦ T9543

♣ KT4

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1♥<sup>2</sup>

2♥

2♠

3♥

3♠

Pass

4♠

Pass

4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass

5♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass

6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 240

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 73

♥ AJ8

♦ A76

♣ AK963

South:

♠ AQ985

♥ QT7653

♦ 9

♣ T

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

4♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 241

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 7

♥ K8762

♦ Q

♣ A98732

South:

♠ KJT3

♥ AT

♦ AKJ76

♣ K5

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠

3♥

Pass

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 242

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J3

♥ AKJ862

♦ AK3

♣ Q9

South:

♠ KQ875

♥ Q

♦ 92

♣ KJ543

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦

1♠

Pass

2♥

Pass

3♣

Pass

3♥

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 239**      ♠ AK543      Partner is dealer.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ -      West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ T9543      East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.  
 HCP: 10+2      ♣ KT4

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**Board: 240**      ♠ AQ985      Partner is dealer.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ QT7653      The opponents are silent.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ 9  
 HCP: 8+3      ♣ T

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**Board: 241**      ♠ KJT3      You are dealer.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ AT      West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ AKJ76  
 HCP: 19+1      ♣ K5

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**Board: 242**      ♠ KQ875      Partner is dealer.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ Q      East (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ 92  
 HCP: 11+2      ♣ KJ543

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 239

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ QJT82

♥ KQJ2

♦ KQ

♣ Q6

South:

♠ AK543

♥ -

♦ T9543

♣ KT4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

2♥ 2♠ 3♥ 3♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 240

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 73

♥ AJ8

♦ A76

♣ AK963

South:

♠ AQ985

♥ QT7653

♦ 9

♣ T

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 241

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 7

♥ K8762

♦ Q

♣ A98732

South:

♠ KJT3

♥ AT

♦ AKJ76

♣ K5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 242

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J3

♥ AKJ862

♦ AK3

♣ Q9

South:

♠ KQ875

♥ Q

♦ 92

♣ KJ543

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 243</b>	♠ 6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 82	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AJ753	

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<b>Board: 244</b>	♠ QT953	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K8743	
HCP: 9+2	♣ A73	

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<b>Board: 245</b>	♠ T	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T8653	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J2	
HCP: 8+2	♣ AK984	

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<b>Board: 246</b>	♠ 63	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT932	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K9542	
HCP: 9+2	♣ Q	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 243

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ KQJ43

♦ 82

♣ AJ753

South:

♠ AKT75

♥ AT7

♦ AJ643

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 244

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QT953

♥ -

♦ K8743

♣ A73

South:

♠ A4

♥ AK86

♦ QT2

♣ KQ52

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 245

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ T

♥ T8653

♦ J2

♣ AK984

South:

♠ KJ

♥ AKJ

♦ AK6543

♣ 75

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 246

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ 63

♥ AT932

♦ K9542

♣ Q

South:

♠ AKQJ5

♥ K8

♦ A763

♣ 72

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

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

Pass 5♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

<b>Board: 243</b>	♠ AKT75	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ643	
HCP: 16+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 244</b>	♠ A4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QT2	
HCP: 18	♣ KQ52	

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<b>Board: 245</b>	♠ KJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK6543	
HCP: 19+2	♣ 75	

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<b>Board: 246</b>	♠ AKQJ5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A763	
HCP: 17+1	♣ 72	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 243

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ KQJ43

♦ 82

♣ AJ753

South:

♠ AKT75

♥ AT7

♦ AJ643

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 244

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QT953

♥ -

♦ K8743

♣ A73

South:

♠ A4

♥ AK86

♦ QT2

♣ KQ52

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 245

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ T

♥ T8653

♦ J2

♣ AK984

South:

♠ KJ

♥ AKJ

♦ AK6543

♣ 75

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 246

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ 63

♥ AT932

♦ K9542

♣ Q

South:

♠ AKQJ5

♥ K8

♦ A763

♣ 72

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

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

Pass 5♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

**Board: 247**

♠ 96

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJT63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AJT94

HCP: 11+2

♣ Q

**Board: 248**

♠ A6532

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K84

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ JT842

HCP: 8+2

♣ -

**Board: 249**

♠ J97652

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ JT

East (LHO) Doubles 5♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQJ97

HCP: 9+3

♣ -

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 247

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 96

♥ KJT63

♦ AJT94

♣ Q

South:

♠ A8

♥ AQ987

♦ K7

♣ K974

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♠<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 248

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ A6532

♥ K84

♦ JT842

♣ -

South:

♠ QT8

♥ AQT6

♦ K97

♣ AQ6

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 2♠

Pass 2NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 249

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ J97652

♥ JT

♦ AQJ97

♣ -

South:

♠ AK84

♥ AK964

♦ 84

♣ A7

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

Pass 6♠ X 5♥<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

<b>Board: 247</b>	♠ A8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ987	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K7	
HCP: 16+1	♣ K974	

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<b>Board: 248</b>	♠ QT8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K97	
HCP: 17	♣ AQ6	

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<b>Board: 249</b>	♠ AK84	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK964	East (RHO) Doubles 5♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 84	
HCP: 18+1	♣ A7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 247

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 96

♥ KJT63

♦ AJT94

♣ Q

South:

♠ A8

♥ AQ987

♦ K7

♣ K974

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Cue bid, a !S stopper
- Cue bid, a !C stopper
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

### Board: 248

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ A6532

♥ K84

♦ JT842

♣ -

South:

♠ QT8

♥ AQT6

♦ K97

♣ AQ6

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	2NT	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- artificial

### Board: 249

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ J97652

♥ JT

♦ AQJ97

♣ -

South:

♠ AK84

♥ AK964

♦ 84

♣ A7

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	X	5♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♠	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Exclusion, for !S
- 3 out of 4

<b>Board: 250</b>	♠ 98765	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ94	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 7	

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<b>Board: 251</b>	♠ AKJT85	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A985	
HCP: 16+2	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 252</b>	♠ 97654	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJT2	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 7	

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<b>Board: 253</b>	♠ Q5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AT842	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AT852	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 250

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 98765

♥ T4

♦ AKQ94

♣ 7

South:

♠ KQ

♥ KQJ

♦ J62

♣ KJT92

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 251

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ AKJT85

♥ T8

♦ A985

♣ A

South:

♠ Q

♥ KQJ94

♦ Q7

♣ KQJ92

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 252

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 97654

♥ K2

♦ AQJT2

♣ 7

South:

♠ AK3

♥ A7

♦ K865

♣ AT63

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 253

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q5

♥ 5

♦ AT842

♣ AT852

South:

♠ A986

♥ AKQ64

♦ QJ6

♣ Q

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 250</b>	♠ KQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J62	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KJT92	

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<b>Board: 251</b>	♠ Q	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQJ94	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q7	
HCP: 16+2	♣ KQJ92	

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<b>Board: 252</b>	♠ AK3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K865	
HCP: 18	♣ AT63	

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<b>Board: 253</b>	♠ A986	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ6	
HCP: 18+1	♣ Q	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 250

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 98765

♥ T4

♦ AKQ94

♣ 7

South:

♠ KQ

♥ KQJ

♦ J62

♣ KJT92

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 251

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ AKJT85

♥ T8

♦ A985

♣ A

South:

♠ Q

♥ KQJ94

♦ Q7

♣ KQJ92

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 252

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 97654

♥ K2

♦ AQJT2

♣ 7

South:

♠ AK3

♥ A7

♦ K865

♣ AT63

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 253

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q5

♥ 5

♦ AT842

♣ AT852

South:

♠ A986

♥ AKQ64

♦ QJ6

♣ Q

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 254</b>	♠ 64	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ Q874	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 5	West (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ AQJ973	West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.

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<b>Board: 255</b>	♠ AJ864	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK984	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 75	
HCP: 12+2	♣ 2	

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<b>Board: 256</b>	♠ AKJ85	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 75	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ954	
HCP: 13+2	♣ 8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 254

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 3+2

Contract: 4♥X North

North:

♠ 64

♥ Q874

♦ 5

♣ AQJ973

South:

♠ T73

♥ K96532

♦ T973

♣ -

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♥

2NT<sup>2</sup> 4♥ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

### Board: 255

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AJ864

♥ AK984

♦ 75

♣ 2

South:

♠ KQ975

♥ -

♦ A943

♣ AKT8

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 256

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AKJ85

♥ 75

♦ AJ954

♣ 8

South:

♠ Q2

♥ AKT92

♦ KT2

♣ AK5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

<b>Board: 254</b>	♠ T73	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ K96532	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ T973	West (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.
HCP: 3+2	♣ -	West (LHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.

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<b>Board: 255</b>	♠ KQ975	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A943	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKT8	

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<b>Board: 256</b>	♠ Q2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT2	
HCP: 19+1	♣ AK5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 254

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 3+2

Contract: 4♥X North

North:

♠ 64

♥ Q874

♦ 5

♣ AQJ973

South:

♠ T73

♥ K96532

♦ T973

♣ -

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♥

2NT<sup>2</sup> 4♥ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

### Board: 255

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AJ864

♥ AK984

♦ 75

♣ 2

South:

♠ KQ975

♥ -

♦ A943

♣ AKT8

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 256

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AKJ85

♥ 75

♦ AJ954

♣ 8

South:

♠ Q2

♥ AKT92

♦ KT2

♣ AK5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

<b>Board: 257</b>	♠ 852	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQT5	
HCP: 16	♣ A65	
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<b>Board: 258</b>	♠ Q83	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ QT2	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 8764	West (RHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 6	♣ Q85	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 259</b>	♠ J4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ JT953	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T	
HCP: 8+2	♣ AQ954	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 260</b>	♠ AK73	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A92	
HCP: 17	♣ KJT4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 257

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 852

♥ AQ9

♦ AQT5

♣ A65

South:

♠ AKQT63

♥ T7642

♦ 9

♣ 4

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 258

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 6+4

Contract: 5 ♣ X North

North:

♠ Q83

♥ QT2

♦ 8764

♣ Q85

South:

♠ 6

♥ 96

♦ J3

♣ AJT97432

W	N	E	S
		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	4 ♣
Pass	5 ♣	Pass	Pass
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 259

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 21

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ J4

♥ JT953

♦ T

♣ AQ954

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ KQ76

♦ AKQ4

♣ J2

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6. !H queen and !D king

### Board: 260

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK73

♥ Q5

♦ A92

♣ KJT4

South:

♠ QT542

♥ A

♦ QT763

♣ A6

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 257</b>	♠ AKQT63	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T7642	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 9	
HCP: 9+3	♣ 4	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 258</b>	♠ 6	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 96	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ J3	West (LHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 6+4	♣ AJT97432	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 259</b>	♠ AQ9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQ4	
HCP: 21	♣ J2	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 260</b>	♠ QT542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QT763	
HCP: 12+2	♣ A6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 257

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 852

♥ AQ9

♦ AQT5

♣ A65

South:

♠ AKQT63

♥ T7642

♦ 9

♣ 4

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 258

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 6+4

Contract: 5 ♣ X North

North:

♠ Q83

♥ QT2

♦ 8764

♣ Q85

South:

♠ 6

♥ 96

♦ J3

♣ AJT97432

W	N	E	S
		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	4 ♣
Pass	5 ♣	Pass	Pass
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 259

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 21

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ J4

♥ JT953

♦ T

♣ AQ954

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ KQ76

♦ AKQ4

♣ J2

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6. !H queen and !D king

### Board: 260

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK73

♥ Q5

♦ A92

♣ KJT4

South:

♠ QT542

♥ A

♦ QT763

♣ A6

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 261</b>	♠ AJT532	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ5	
HCP: 17+2	♣ Q2	

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<b>Board: 262</b>	♠ AQ6	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K	East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A74	
HCP: 17+2	♣ KJT974	

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<b>Board: 263</b>	♠ K74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJ92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T5432	
HCP: 10+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 264</b>	♠ AK642	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QT986	
HCP: 11+2	♣ Q	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 261

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ AJT532

♥ KQ

♦ AJ5

♣ Q2

South:

♠ -

♥ AJ863

♦ K3

♣ AJT954

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 262

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ6

♥ K

♦ A74

♣ KJT974

South:

♠ J8742

♥ AQ652

♦ 96

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♦	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	4♥
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 263

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K74

♥ AQJ92

♦ T5432

♣ -

South:

♠ QT65

♥ K85

♦ AJ8

♣ AK5

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 264

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AK642

♥ 96

♦ QT986

♣ Q

South:

♠ JT98

♥ QJ5

♦ AJ3

♣ AK7

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 261</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ863	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K3	
HCP: 13+3	♣ AJT954	

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<b>Board: 262</b>	♠ J8742	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ652	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 96	
HCP: 11+2	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 263</b>	♠ QT65	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K85	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ8	
HCP: 17	♣ AK5	

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<b>Board: 264</b>	♠ JT98	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ3	
HCP: 16	♣ AK7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 261

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ AJT532

♥ KQ

♦ AJ5

♣ Q2

South:

♠ -

♥ AJ863

♦ K3

♣ AJT954

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 262

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ6

♥ K

♦ A74

♣ KJT974

South:

♠ J8742

♥ AQ652

♦ 96

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♦	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	4♥
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 263

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K74

♥ AQJ92

♦ T5432

♣ -

South:

♠ QT65

♥ K85

♦ AJ8

♣ AK5

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 264

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AK642

♥ 96

♦ QT986

♣ Q

South:

♠ JT98

♥ QJ5

♦ AJ3

♣ AK7

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 265**

♠ 6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQJ92

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 2

HCP: 10+3

♣ KJ9643

**Board: 266**

♠ AQT983

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQ864

HCP: 11+3

♣ 6

**Board: 267**

♠ 76

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ632

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AK752

HCP: 13+2

♣ 6

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 265

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 6

♥ KQJ92

♦ 2

♣ KJ9643

South:

♠ JT42

♥ AT7

♦ AK73

♣ AT

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 266

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ AQT983

♥ T

♦ KQ864

♣ 6

South:

♠ J74

♥ AQJ2

♦ A2

♣ KQ84

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 267

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 76

♥ AQ632

♦ AK752

♣ 6

South:

♠ AK2

♥ T94

♦ J

♣ AKQJT4

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

<b>Board: 265</b>	♠ JT42	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK73	
HCP: 16	♣ AT	

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<b>Board: 266</b>	♠ J74	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A2	
HCP: 17	♣ KQ84	

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<b>Board: 267</b>	♠ AK2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T94	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J	
HCP: 18+2	♣ AKQJT4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 265

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 6

♥ KQJ92

♦ 2

♣ KJ9643

South:

♠ JT42

♥ AT7

♦ AK73

♣ AT

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♥

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

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 266

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ AQT983

♥ T

♦ KQ864

♣ 6

South:

♠ J74

♥ AQJ2

♦ A2

♣ KQ84

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

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

Pass 5♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 267

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 76

♥ AQ632

♦ AK752

♣ 6

South:

♠ AK2

♥ T94

♦ J

♣ AKQJT4

W N E S

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup>

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

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

**Board: 268**

♠ AJ762

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ QT8764

HCP: 9+3

♣ Q

**Board: 269**

♠ K98643

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ -

HCP: 12+3

♣ AK652

**Board: 270**

♠ T3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 5

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ Q8732

HCP: 9+2

♣ AK763

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 268

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 22+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AJ762

♥ 4

♦ QT8764

♣ Q

South:

♠ Q

♥ AKJ96

♦ AK2

♣ AJ87

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 269

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ K98643

♥ Q3

♦ -

♣ AK652

South:

♠ J5

♥ KJ

♦ AKJ865

♣ QJ4

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 270

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ T3

♥ 5

♦ Q8732

♣ AK763

South:

♠ A6

♥ AJT7642

♦ AK5

♣ T

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	2 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 268**

♠ Q

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJ96

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AK2

HCP: 22+1

♣ AJ87

**Board: 269**

♠ J5

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKJ865

HCP: 16+2

♣ QJ4

**Board: 270**

♠ A6

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJT7642

West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AK5

HCP: 16+3

♣ T

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 268

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 22+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AJ762

♥ 4

♦ QT8764

♣ Q

South:

♠ Q

♥ AKJ96

♦ AK2

♣ AJ87

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 269

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ K98643

♥ Q3

♦ -

♣ AK652

South:

♠ J5

♥ KJ

♦ AKJ865

♣ QJ4

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 270

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ T3

♥ 5

♦ Q8732

♣ AK763

South:

♠ A6

♥ AJT7642

♦ AK5

♣ T

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	2 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 271**

♠ Q

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ952

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 92

HCP: 11+2

♣ AT952

**Board: 272**

♠ K63

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ6

East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q53

West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 17

♣ AK98

**Board: 273**

♠ K652

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQT

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AKT

HCP: 16

♣ J97

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 271

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ AJ952

♦ 92

♣ AT952

South:

♠ AK52

♥ K863

♦ AK65

♣ 7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♥<sup>3</sup>

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

Pass 4♦<sup>6</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>7</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>8</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

6. surplus

7. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 272

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ K63

♥ AJ6

♦ Q53

♣ AK98

South:

♠ JT742

♥ -

♦ AK642

♣ J73

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 1♠

3♥ 3♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 273

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K652

♥ KQT

♦ AKT

♣ J97

South:

♠ -

♥ 32

♦ J9652

♣ AKQT63

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

2♠ 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 271</b>	♠ AK52	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K863	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK65	
HCP: 17	♣ 7	

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<b>Board: 272</b>	♠ JT742	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK642	West (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ J73	

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<b>Board: 273</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 32	West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J9652	
HCP: 10+3	♣ AKQT63	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 271

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ AJ952

♦ 92

♣ AT952

South:

♠ AK52

♥ K863

♦ AK65

♣ 7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♥<sup>3</sup>

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

Pass 4♦<sup>6</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>7</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>8</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

6. surplus

7. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 272

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ K63

♥ AJ6

♦ Q53

♣ AK98

South:

♠ JT742

♥ -

♦ AK642

♣ J73

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 1♠

3♥ 3♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 273

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K652

♥ KQT

♦ AKT

♣ J97

South:

♠ -

♥ 32

♦ J9652

♣ AKQT63

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

2♠ 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 274</b>	♠ AQJ64	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT652	
HCP: 11+2	♣ J5	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 275</b>	♠ AQJT73	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ6	East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ QJ6	West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 16+2	♣ 3	West (RHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.
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<b>Board: 276</b>	♠ Q9862	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T	West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AK752	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 93	
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<b>Board: 277</b>	♠ K9765	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ932	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 9	
HCP: 9+2	♣ Q5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 274

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQJ64

♥ 8

♦ KT652

♣ J5

South:

♠ K8

♥ AJ3

♦ AJ73

♣ A872

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 275

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQJT73

♥ AQ6

♦ QJ6

♣ 3

South:

♠ K8

♥ T

♦ AT872

♣ QJT94

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 2♦

2♥ 2♠ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

X 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

### Board: 276

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ Q9862

♥ T

♦ AK752

♣ 93

South:

♠ AK73

♥ QJ6

♦ 6

♣ AKQT7

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♥ X Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 277

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K9765

♥ KJ932

♦ 9

♣ Q5

South:

♠ 83

♥ AQ86

♦ AKJ83

♣ A7

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 274</b>	♠ K8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ73	
HCP: 17	♣ A872	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 275</b>	♠ K8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT872	West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 10+2	♣ QJT94	West (LHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 276</b>	♠ AK73	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ6	West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 6	
HCP: 19+1	♣ AKQT7	
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<b>Board: 277</b>	♠ 83	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJ83	
HCP: 18+1	♣ A7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 274

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQJ64

♥ 8

♦ KT652

♣ J5

South:

♠ K8

♥ AJ3

♦ AJ73

♣ A872

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 275

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQJT73

♥ AQ6

♦ QJ6

♣ 3

South:

♠ K8

♥ T

♦ AT872

♣ QJT94

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 2♦

2♥ 2♠ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

X 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

### Board: 276

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ Q9862

♥ T

♦ AK752

♣ 93

South:

♠ AK73

♥ QJ6

♦ 6

♣ AKQT7

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♥ X Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 277

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K9765

♥ KJ932

♦ 9

♣ Q5

South:

♠ 83

♥ AQ86

♦ AKJ83

♣ A7

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 278</b>	♠ KJ84	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A7	
HCP: 20	♣ AKJ3	

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<b>Board: 279</b>	♠ 97654	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT643	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q2	
HCP: 8+2	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 280</b>	♠ 73	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK652	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 7	
HCP: 11+2	♣ KJ974	

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<b>Board: 281</b>	♠ A93	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ754	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ742	
HCP: 14+2	♣ -	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 278

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ KJ84

♥ A43

♦ A7

♣ AKJ3

South:

♠ A62

♥ KJ987

♦ K6543

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

### Board: 279

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ 97654

♥ QT643

♦ Q2

♣ A

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ KJ9

♦ AJT4

♣ K82

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♦	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 280

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 21

Contract: 7NT North

North:

♠ 73

♥ AK652

♦ 7

♣ KJ974

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ J3

♦ AK85

♣ AQ62

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

### Board: 281

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A93

♥ AJ754

♦ KQ742

♣ -

South:

♠ J65

♥ K8

♦ AT

♣ AKQ842

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 278</b>	♠ A62	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ987	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K6543	
HCP: 11+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 279</b>	♠ AJ8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ9	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AJT4	
HCP: 17	♣ K82	

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<b>Board: 280</b>	♠ AQJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK85	
HCP: 21	♣ AQ62	

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<b>Board: 281</b>	♠ J65	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AKQ842	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 278

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ KJ84

♥ A43

♦ A7

♣ AKJ3

South:

♠ A62

♥ KJ987

♦ K6543

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

### Board: 279

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ 97654

♥ QT643

♦ Q2

♣ A

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ KJ9

♦ AJT4

♣ K82

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♦	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 280

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 21

Contract: 7NT North

North:

♠ 73

♥ AK652

♦ 7

♣ KJ974

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ J3

♦ AK85

♣ AQ62

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

### Board: 281

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A93

♥ AJ754

♦ KQ742

♣ -

South:

♠ J65

♥ K8

♦ AT

♣ AKQ842

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 282</b>	♠ KQ853	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ -	
HCP: 14+2	♣ K96	

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<b>Board: 283</b>	♠ AT	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQJ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q75	
HCP: 16	♣ A532	

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<b>Board: 284</b>	♠ Q87532	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QT876	
HCP: 9+3	♣ A	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 282

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ KQ853

♥ KQJ84

♦ -

♣ K96

South:

♠ AJ

♥ 2

♦ AJ94

♣ AQJT53

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 4♥ Pass 4♠

Pass 6♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 283

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT

♥ KQJ7

♦ Q75

♣ A532

South:

♠ QJ983

♥ 9

♦ AT862

♣ KJ

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 284

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ Q87532

♥ J

♦ QT876

♣ A

South:

♠ AKJ9

♥ A83

♦ J4

♣ KQT9

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

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

Pass 6♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 282</b>	♠ AJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ94	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AQJT53	

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<b>Board: 283</b>	♠ QJ983	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT862	
HCP: 11+2	♣ KJ	

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<b>Board: 284</b>	♠ AKJ9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J4	
HCP: 18	♣ KQT9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 282

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ KQ853

♥ KQJ84

♦ -

♣ K96

South:

♠ AJ

♥ 2

♦ AJ94

♣ AQJT53

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 4♥ Pass 4♠

Pass 6♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 283

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT

♥ KQJ7

♦ Q75

♣ A532

South:

♠ QJ983

♥ 9

♦ AT862

♣ KJ

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 284

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ Q87532

♥ J

♦ QT876

♣ A

South:

♠ AKJ9

♥ A83

♦ J4

♣ KQT9

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

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

Pass 6♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 285</b>	♠ KQ763	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A8543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K8	
HCP: 15+2	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 286</b>	♠ K	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A72	
HCP: 17+1	♣ K9754	

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<b>Board: 287</b>	♠ T9832	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJ54	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q5	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 4	

---

<b>Board: 288</b>	♠ KQ843	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 98753	West (RHO) bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 285

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ763

♥ A8543

♦ K8

♣ K

South:

♠ J42

♥ QJT9

♦ AQ

♣ AQ62

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 286

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K

♥ AKT3

♦ A72

♣ K9754

South:

♠ A9873

♥ 96

♦ QJT54

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 287

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ T9832

♥ AKJ54

♦ Q5

♣ 4

South:

♠ KQ

♥ 9

♦ KT92

♣ AKJ932

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 288

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4 ♦ South

North:

♠ KQ843

♥ 98753

♦ KQ

♣ 8

South:

♠ A6

♥ AJ

♦ AJ6543

♣ QJ9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

4 ♣ Pass Pass 4 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 285</b>	♠ J42	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJT9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ62	

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<b>Board: 286</b>	♠ A9873	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QJT54	
HCP: 11+2	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 287</b>	♠ KQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT92	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AKJ932	

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<b>Board: 288</b>	♠ A6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ	West (LHO) bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ6543	
HCP: 17+2	♣ QJ9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 285

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ763

♥ A8543

♦ K8

♣ K

South:

♠ J42

♥ QJT9

♦ AQ

♣ AQ62

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 286

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K

♥ AKT3

♦ A72

♣ K9754

South:

♠ A9873

♥ 96

♦ QJT54

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 287

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ T9832

♥ AKJ54

♦ Q5

♣ 4

South:

♠ KQ

♥ 9

♦ KT92

♣ AKJ932

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 288

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4 ♦ South

North:

♠ KQ843

♥ 98753

♦ KQ

♣ 8

South:

♠ A6

♥ AJ

♦ AJ6543

♣ QJ9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

4 ♣ Pass Pass 4 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 289**      ♠ T9632      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ -      East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ AJT96      West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ K98

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**Board: 290**      ♠ AT875      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ J8      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ KQ976  
HCP: 10+2      ♣ 2

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**Board: 291**      ♠ T6      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ KQJ92      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 5  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ Q9765

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**Board: 292**      ♠ A      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 87      West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ Q7653  
HCP: 10+2      ♣ KJ952

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 289

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ T9632

♥ -

♦ AJT96

♣ K98

South:

♠ KJ54

♥ AT9

♦ Q

♣ AQ754

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> 2 ♥ 3 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥ 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 290

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT875

♥ J8

♦ KQ976

♣ 2

South:

♠ K6

♥ -

♦ AJ52

♣ AKQJ986

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 291

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ T6

♥ KQJ92

♦ 5

♣ Q9765

South:

♠ A52

♥ AT5

♦ AKT3

♣ A83

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 292

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A

♥ 87

♦ Q7653

♣ KJ952

South:

♠ KJ752

♥ KT

♦ AJ8

♣ A63

W N E S

2 ♥ 3 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT<sup>1</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

<b>Board: 289</b>	♠ KJ54	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT9	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q	West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 16+1	♣ AQ754	

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<b>Board: 290</b>	♠ K6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ52	
HCP: 18+3	♣ AKQJ986	

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<b>Board: 291</b>	♠ A52	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKT3	
HCP: 19	♣ A83	

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<b>Board: 292</b>	♠ KJ752	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT	West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ8	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A63	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 289

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ T9632

♥ -

♦ AJT96

♣ K98

South:

♠ KJ54

♥ AT9

♦ Q

♣ AQ754

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> 2 ♥ 3 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥ 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 290

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT875

♥ J8

♦ KQ976

♣ 2

South:

♠ K6

♥ -

♦ AJ52

♣ AKQJ986

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 291

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ T6

♥ KQJ92

♦ 5

♣ Q9765

South:

♠ A52

♥ AT5

♦ AKT3

♣ A83

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 292

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A

♥ 87

♦ Q7653

♣ KJ952

South:

♠ KJ752

♥ KT

♦ AJ8

♣ A63

W N E S

2 ♥ 3 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT<sup>1</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

<b>Board: 293</b>	♠ AQJ872	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K62	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJ	
HCP: 18+2	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 294</b>	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT74	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQJ	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AQ843	

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<b>Board: 295</b>	♠ AT843	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ -	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AQ765	

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<b>Board: 296</b>	♠ J62	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT852	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AKJ74	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 293

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ872

♥ K62

♦ AQJ

♣ J

South:

♠ 63

♥ 3

♦ KT982

♣ KQ863

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 294

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ -

♥ KJT74

♦ AQJ

♣ AQ843

South:

♠ KJT92

♥ 9

♦ KT543

♣ J7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
1 ♠	3 ♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 295

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 22+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT843

♥ J76

♦ -

♣ AQ765

South:

♠ J9

♥ AKQ

♦ AKQ9854

♣ K

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 296

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ J62

♥ QT852

♦ -

♣ AKJ74

South:

♠ AKQ94

♥ K6

♦ A95

♣ T85

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 2 out of 4

<b>Board: 293</b>	♠ 63	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT982	
HCP: 8+2	♣ KQ863	
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<b>Board: 294</b>	♠ KJT92	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT543	
HCP: 8+2	♣ J7	
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<b>Board: 295</b>	♠ J9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ9854	
HCP: 22+3	♣ K	
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<b>Board: 296</b>	♠ AKQ94	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A95	
HCP: 16+1	♣ T85	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 293

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ872

♥ K62

♦ AQJ

♣ J

South:

♠ 63

♥ 3

♦ KT982

♣ KQ863

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 294

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ -

♥ KJT74

♦ AQJ

♣ AQ843

South:

♠ KJT92

♥ 9

♦ KT543

♣ J7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
1 ♠	3 ♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 295

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 22+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT843

♥ J76

♦ -

♣ AQ765

South:

♠ J9

♥ AKQ

♦ AKQ9854

♣ K

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 296

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ J62

♥ QT852

♦ -

♣ AKJ74

South:

♠ AKQ94

♥ K6

♦ A95

♣ T85

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 2 out of 4

<b>Board: 297</b>	♠ JT987	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ9653	
HCP: 10+3	♣ -	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 298</b>	♠ AKT642	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ	
HCP: 18+2	♣ Q	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 299</b>	♠ Q8	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J64	East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK984	West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 16+1	♣ AQ9	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 300</b>	♠ A8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ JT952	
HCP: 8+2	♣ QJ976	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 297

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ JT987

♥ A3

♦ KQ9653

♣ -

South:

♠ AQ

♥ KT9862

♦ -

♣ AQJT5

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 298

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AKT642

♥ Q87

♦ AQJ

♣ Q

South:

♠ -

♥ AKJ642

♦ 76542

♣ T2

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 299

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+4

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ Q8

♥ J64

♦ AK984

♣ AQ9

South:

♠ -

♥ KQT97

♦ 7

♣ K876432

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ 2♠<sup>2</sup>

3♠ Pass Pass 4♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

### Board: 300

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A8

♥ 8

♦ JT952

♣ QJ976

South:

♠ KJ92

♥ KQ32

♦ AQ

♣ A43

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 297</b>	♠ AQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT9862	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 16+3	♣ AQJT5	

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<b>Board: 298</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ642	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 76542	
HCP: 8+3	♣ T2	

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<b>Board: 299</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQT97	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 7	West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 8+4	♣ K876432	

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<b>Board: 300</b>	♠ KJ92	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ	
HCP: 19	♣ A43	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 297

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ JT987

♥ A3

♦ KQ9653

♣ -

South:

♠ AQ

♥ KT9862

♦ -

♣ AQJT5

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 298

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AKT642

♥ Q87

♦ AQJ

♣ Q

South:

♠ -

♥ AKJ642

♦ 76542

♣ T2

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 299

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+4

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ Q8

♥ J64

♦ AK984

♣ AQ9

South:

♠ -

♥ KQT97

♦ 7

♣ K876432

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ 2♠<sup>2</sup>

3♠ Pass Pass 4♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

### Board: 300

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A8

♥ 8

♦ JT952

♣ QJ976

South:

♠ KJ92

♥ KQ32

♦ AQ

♣ A43

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 301</b>	♠ K4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ654	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AQJ43	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 302</b>	♠ AK5432	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT	East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K82	
HCP: 19+2	♣ KQ	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 303</b>	♠ J	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT64	West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 75	
HCP: 12+2	♣ A9532	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 304</b>	♠ AK85	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q98	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK543	
HCP: 20+1	♣ A	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 301

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ K4

♥ J

♦ AJ654

♣ AQJ43

South:

♠ AQ32

♥ AQ5

♦ Q982

♣ K7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦

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

Pass 6 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Crosswood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 302

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK5432

♥ AT

♦ K82

♣ KQ

South:

♠ 86

♥ 3

♦ AQJT7

♣ JT543

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ 3 ♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♦

Pass 5 ♠<sup>5</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. no !S queen

### Board: 303

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J

♥ AKT64

♦ 75

♣ A9532

South:

♠ KQ984

♥ Q73

♦ AK8

♣ KT

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦ 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 304

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AK85

♥ Q98

♦ AK543

♣ A

South:

♠ 4

♥ AKJT2

♦ 2

♣ QT8764

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

<b>Board: 301</b>	♠ AQ32	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q982	
HCP: 17	♣ K7	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 302</b>	♠ 86	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQJT7	
HCP: 8+2	♣ JT543	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 303</b>	♠ KQ984	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q73	West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK8	
HCP: 17+1	♣ KT	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 304</b>	♠ 4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJT2	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 2	
HCP: 10+3	♣ QT8764	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 301

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ K4

♥ J

♦ AJ654

♣ AQJ43

South:

♠ AQ32

♥ AQ5

♦ Q982

♣ K7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦

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

Pass 6 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Crosswood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 302

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK5432

♥ AT

♦ K82

♣ KQ

South:

♠ 86

♥ 3

♦ AQJT7

♣ JT543

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ 3 ♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♦

Pass 5 ♠<sup>5</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. no !S queen

### Board: 303

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J

♥ AKT64

♦ 75

♣ A9532

South:

♠ KQ984

♥ Q73

♦ AK8

♣ KT

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦ 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 304

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AK85

♥ Q98

♦ AK543

♣ A

South:

♠ 4

♥ AKJT2

♦ 2

♣ QT8764

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

**Board: 305**

♠ AQ3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K42

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ QJ42

HCP: 16

♣ A87

**Board: 306**

♠ AQ754

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK432

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 2

HCP: 16+2

♣ KT

**Board: 307**

♠ AJ

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQT87

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q7432

HCP: 12+2

♣ 7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 305

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AQ3

♥ K42

♦ QJ42

♣ A87

South:

♠ T9864

♥ AJ

♦ -

♣ KQT652

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♠	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Exclusion, for !S
4. 2 out of 4

### Board: 306

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQ754

♥ AK432

♦ 2

♣ KT

South:

♠ K3

♥ -

♦ AQJ73

♣ J86543

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 307

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ AJ

♥ KQT87

♦ Q7432

♣ 7

South:

♠ KT3

♥ J63

♦ AKT85

♣ AK

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

<b>Board: 305</b>	♠ T9864	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 10+3	♣ KQT652	

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<b>Board: 306</b>	♠ K3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJ73	
HCP: 11+3	♣ J86543	

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<b>Board: 307</b>	♠ KT3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKT85	
HCP: 18+1	♣ AK	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 305

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AQ3

♥ K42

♦ QJ42

♣ A87

South:

♠ T9864

♥ AJ

♦ -

♣ KQT652

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♠	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Exclusion, for !S
4. 2 out of 4

### Board: 306

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQ754

♥ AK432

♦ 2

♣ KT

South:

♠ K3

♥ -

♦ AQJ73

♣ J86543

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 307

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ AJ

♥ KQT87

♦ Q7432

♣ 7

South:

♠ KT3

♥ J63

♦ AKT85

♣ AK

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

**Board: 308**

♠ 876

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKT65

West (RHO) Doubles 3♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ2

HCP: 16+1

♣ K3

**Board: 309**

♠ T

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 86

West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKT96

HCP: 11+2

♣ KJ876

**Board: 310**

♠ KT732

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJT54

HCP: 10+2

♣ 4

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 308

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 876

♥ AKT65

♦ AQ2

♣ K3

South:

♠ 2

♥ QJ873

♦ KJT97

♣ Q7

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>
X	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 309

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ T

♥ 86

♦ AKT96

♣ KJ876

South:

♠ AQJ852

♥ AQ42

♦ -

♣ AQ5

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♥	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Rubensohl after 1m
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 310

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KT732

♥ K7

♦ KJT54

♣ 4

South:

♠ A64

♥ AQJ6

♦ A8

♣ A982

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

<b>Board: 308</b>	♠ 2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ873	West (LHO) Doubles 3♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJT97	
HCP: 9+2	♣ Q7	

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<b>Board: 309</b>	♠ AQJ852	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ42	West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 19+2	♣ AQ5	

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<b>Board: 310</b>	♠ A64	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJ6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A8	
HCP: 19	♣ A982	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 308

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 876

♥ AKT65

♦ AQ2

♣ K3

South:

♠ 2

♥ QJ873

♦ KJT97

♣ Q7

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>
X	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Splinter
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 309

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ T

♥ 86

♦ AKT96

♣ KJ876

South:

♠ AQJ852

♥ AQ42

♦ -

♣ AQ5

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♥	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Rubensohl after 1m
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 310

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KT732

♥ K7

♦ KJT54

♣ 4

South:

♠ A64

♥ AQJ6

♦ A8

♣ A982

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

**Board: 311**

♠ JT

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKJ9765

HCP: 19+3

♣ K8

**Board: 312**

♠ AKT64

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ87

East (LHO) Doubles 4♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AT

HCP: 19+1

♣ K9

**Board: 313**

♠ AT753

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T7652

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 9

HCP: 8+2

♣ A5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 311

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+3

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ JT

♥ AK

♦ AKJ9765

♣ K8

South:

♠ Q5

♥ QJ432

♦ -

♣ AT6543

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 312

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ AKT64

♥ AJ87

♦ AT

♣ K9

South:

♠ Q

♥ KQ932

♦ KQJ84

♣ 63

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥

Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	X	4NT <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 313

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AT753

♥ T7652

♦ 9

♣ A5

South:

♠ QJ6

♥ AKQJ

♦ Q752

♣ J9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 311**

♠ Q5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ432

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ -

HCP: 9+3

♣ AT6543

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**Board: 312**

♠ Q

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ932

East (RHO) Doubles 4♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KQJ84

HCP: 13+2

♣ 63

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**Board: 313**

♠ QJ6

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKQJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q752

HCP: 16

♣ J9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 311

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+3

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ JT

♥ AK

♦ AKJ9765

♣ K8

South:

♠ Q5

♥ QJ432

♦ -

♣ AT6543

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 312

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ AKT64

♥ AJ87

♦ AT

♣ K9

South:

♠ Q

♥ KQ932

♦ KQJ84

♣ 63

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥

Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	X	4NT <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 313

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AT753

♥ T7652

♦ 9

♣ A5

South:

♠ QJ6

♥ AKQJ

♦ Q752

♣ J9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 314</b>	♠ K43	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A862	East (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ7	
HCP: 16	♣ A65	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 315</b>	♠ K754	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK2	
HCP: 19	♣ A8	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 316</b>	♠ KT52	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A94	West (RHO) bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKQ96	West (RHO) Doubles 5♥ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 314

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ K43

♥ A862

♦ AJ7

♣ A65

South:

♠ AQJT85

♥ KT943

♦ Q3

♣ -

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2NT<sup>2</sup> 3♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 315

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ K754

♥ AJ86

♦ AK2

♣ A8

South:

♠ A3

♥ 9

♦ J8754

♣ KQT74

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Minors

### Board: 316

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ KT52

♥ 3

♦ A94

♣ AKQ96

South:

♠ AJ8743

♥ -

♦ KQJ76

♣ 87

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♥ 3♠

4♥ 4♠ Pass 5♥<sup>2</sup>

X 5NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 3 out of 4

<b>Board: 314</b>	♠ AQJT85	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT943	East (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q3	
HCP: 12+3	♣ -	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 315</b>	♠ A3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J8754	
HCP: 10+2	♣ KQT74	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 316</b>	♠ AJ8743	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQJ76	West (LHO) bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 11+3	♣ 87	West (LHO) Doubles 5♥ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 314

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ K43

♥ A862

♦ AJ7

♣ A65

South:

♠ AQJT85

♥ KT943

♦ Q3

♣ -

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2NT<sup>2</sup> 3♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 315

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ K754

♥ AJ86

♦ AK2

♣ A8

South:

♠ A3

♥ 9

♦ J8754

♣ KQT74

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Minors

### Board: 316

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ KT52

♥ 3

♦ A94

♣ AKQ96

South:

♠ AJ8743

♥ -

♦ KQJ76

♣ 87

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♥ 3♠

4♥ 4♠ Pass 5♥<sup>2</sup>

X 5NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 3 out of 4

<b>Board: 317</b>	♠ T6532	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQJT7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ -	
HCP: 10+3	♣ 82	

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<b>Board: 318</b>	♠ A9	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJT53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ7	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A98	

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<b>Board: 319</b>	♠ K8432	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K74	
HCP: 13+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 320</b>	♠ QJ63	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ8	
HCP: 20	♣ AK9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 317

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ T6532

♥ AKQJT7

♦ -

♣ 82

South:

♠ A97

♥ 32

♦ AKT3

♣ AQT5

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 318

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ A9

♥ QJT53

♦ AJ7

♣ A98

South:

♠ QJT87

♥ 642

♦ -

♣ KQJT6

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 319

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ K8432

♥ AQJT5

♦ K74

♣ -

South:

♠ AQ7

♥ K973

♦ 83

♣ AQJ8

W N E S

Pass 1♠ Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 320

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ QJ63

♥ AJ2

♦ KQ8

♣ AK9

South:

♠ T2

♥ KQ653

♦ J9765

♣ Q

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 317</b>	♠ A97	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKT3	
HCP: 17	♣ AQT5	

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<b>Board: 318</b>	♠ QJT87	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 642	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 9+2	♣ KQJT6	

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<b>Board: 319</b>	♠ AQ7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K973	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 83	
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ8	

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<b>Board: 320</b>	♠ T2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ653	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J9765	
HCP: 8+2	♣ Q	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 317

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ T6532

♥ AKQJT7

♦ -

♣ 82

South:

♠ A97

♥ 32

♦ AKT3

♣ AQT5

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 318

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ A9

♥ QJT53

♦ AJ7

♣ A98

South:

♠ QJT87

♥ 642

♦ -

♣ KQJT6

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 319

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ K8432

♥ AQJT5

♦ K74

♣ -

South:

♠ AQ7

♥ K973

♦ 83

♣ AQJ8

W N E S

Pass 1♠ Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 320

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ QJ63

♥ AJ2

♦ KQ8

♣ AK9

South:

♠ T2

♥ KQ653

♦ J9765

♣ Q

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 321</b>	♠ 5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q76532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 5	
HCP: 9+3	♣ AK865	

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<b>Board: 322</b>	♠ A732	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A8	East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A4	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A9762	

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<b>Board: 323</b>	♠ KQ754	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ JT743	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K4	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 6	

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<b>Board: 324</b>	♠ 9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ7432	
HCP: 9+3	♣ AT832	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 321

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 5

♥ Q76532

♦ 5

♣ AK865

South:

♠ KQ76

♥ A8

♦ AQT63

♣ J4

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 322

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 7♦ North

North:

♠ A732

♥ A8

♦ A4

♣ A9762

South:

♠ 4

♥ KQ752

♦ KQT965

♣ 3

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ 3♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥ Pass 6♦

Pass 7♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 323

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQ754

♥ JT743

♦ K4

♣ 6

South:

♠ A82

♥ Q

♦ AQ73

♣ A9872

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 324

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 9

♥ 4

♦ KQ7432

♣ AT832

South:

♠ KQ743

♥ AQT

♦ J8

♣ KQ4

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 321</b>	♠ KQ76	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQT63	
HCP: 16+1	♣ J4	

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<b>Board: 322</b>	♠ 4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ752	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQT965	
HCP: 10+3	♣ 3	

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<b>Board: 323</b>	♠ A82	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ73	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A9872	

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<b>Board: 324</b>	♠ KQ743	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J8	
HCP: 17+1	♣ KQ4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 321

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 5

♥ Q76532

♦ 5

♣ AK865

South:

♠ KQ76

♥ A8

♦ AQT63

♣ J4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 322

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 7♦ North

North:

♠ A732

♥ A8

♦ A4

♣ A9762

South:

♠ 4

♥ KQ752

♦ KQT965

♣ 3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ 3♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥ Pass 6♦

Pass 7♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 323

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQ754

♥ JT743

♦ K4

♣ 6

South:

♠ A82

♥ Q

♦ AQ73

♣ A9872

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 324

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 9

♥ 4

♦ KQ7432

♣ AT832

South:

♠ KQ743

♥ AQT

♦ J8

♣ KQ4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 325**      ♠ KJ98      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ Q5      East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQ  
HCP: 20      ♣ AJ96

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**Board: 326**      ♠ -      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ64      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 7  
HCP: 12+4      ♣ QJ97652

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**Board: 327**      ♠ -      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AT972      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ Q95  
HCP: 15+2      ♣ AKQ95

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**Board: 328**      ♠ AK854      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 6      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ KT  
HCP: 13+2      ♣ KT983

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 325

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ98

♥ Q5

♦ AKQ

♣ AJ96

South:

♠ AQ653

♥ 3

♦ T9862

♣ K2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ X

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. surplus

### Board: 326

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+4

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ -

♥ AKQ64

♦ 7

♣ QJ97652

South:

♠ AQJ8642

♥ 8

♦ AQ96

♣ K

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 327

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7 ♥ South

North:

♠ -

♥ AT972

♦ Q95

♣ AKQ95

South:

♠ A53

♥ KJ4

♦ AKJT3

♣ 74

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

Pass 5 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 6 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ Pass 7 ♥<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 2 out of 4

4. no !H queen

### Board: 328

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK854

♥ 6

♦ KT

♣ KT983

South:

♠ J

♥ KJ532

♦ AQJ5

♣ A52

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 325</b>	♠ AQ653	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T9862	
HCP: 9+2	♣ K2	

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<b>Board: 326</b>	♠ AQJ8642	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ96	
HCP: 16+3	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 327</b>	♠ A53	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJT3	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 74	

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<b>Board: 328</b>	♠ J	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ5	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A52	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 325

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ98

♥ Q5

♦ AKQ

♣ AJ96

South:

♠ AQ653

♥ 3

♦ T9862

♣ K2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ X

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. surplus

### Board: 326

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+4

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ -

♥ AKQ64

♦ 7

♣ QJ97652

South:

♠ AQJ8642

♥ 8

♦ AQ96

♣ K

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 327

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7 ♥ South

North:

♠ -

♥ AT972

♦ Q95

♣ AKQ95

South:

♠ A53

♥ KJ4

♦ AKJT3

♣ 74

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

Pass 5 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 6 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ Pass 7 ♥<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 2 out of 4

4. no !H queen

### Board: 328

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK854

♥ 6

♦ KT

♣ KT983

South:

♠ J

♥ KJ532

♦ AQJ5

♣ A52

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 329**

♠ 64

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ987

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ T9643

HCP: 9+2

♣ K

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**Board: 330**

♠ AQJ94

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK8

East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 954

HCP: 21+1

♣ AK

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**Board: 331**

♠ 943

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A3

HCP: 17+1

♣ AK532

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**Board: 332**

♠ Q98

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ76

West (RHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AT53

HCP: 17

♣ KQ

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 329

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 2♥ North

North:

♠ 64

♥ AQ987

♦ T9643

♣ K

South:

♠ KQJT93

♥ K32

♦ J

♣ AQ4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 330

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ AQJ94

♥ AK8

♦ 954

♣ AK

South:

♠ 7

♥ J

♦ AT8732

♣ QJ543

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♥ 4♦

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 331

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ 943

♥ AQ8

♦ A3

♣ AK532

South:

♠ AJ872

♥ 94

♦ KT852

♣ 6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 332

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q98

♥ AQ76

♦ AT53

♣ KQ

South:

♠ K

♥ KJ8532

♦ 2

♣ J9642

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup>

X XX<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

**Board: 329**      ♠ KQJT93      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ K32      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ J  
HCP: 16+2      ♣ AQ4

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**Board: 330**      ♠ 7      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ J      East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AT8732  
HCP: 8+3      ♣ QJ543

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**Board: 331**      ♠ AJ872      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 94      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ KT852  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ 6

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**Board: 332**      ♠ K      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KJ8532      West (LHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ 2  
HCP: 8+3      ♣ J9642

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 329

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 2♥ North

North:

♠ 64

♥ AQ987

♦ T9643

♣ K

South:

♠ KQJT93

♥ K32

♦ J

♣ AQ4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 330

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ AQJ94

♥ AK8

♦ 954

♣ AK

South:

♠ 7

♥ J

♦ AT8732

♣ QJ543

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♥ 4♦

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 331

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ 943

♥ AQ8

♦ A3

♣ AK532

South:

♠ AJ872

♥ 94

♦ KT852

♣ 6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 332

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q98

♥ AQ76

♦ AT53

♣ KQ

South:

♠ K

♥ KJ8532

♦ 2

♣ J9642

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup>

X XX<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

**Board: 333**

♠ A4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K9764

HCP: 10+2

♣ QJ972

**Board: 334**

♠ 98654

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ987

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A7

HCP: 10+2

♣ 5

**Board: 335**

♠ AK4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QT643

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q3

HCP: 17+1

♣ AQ3

**Board: 336**

♠ AJ73

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQJ93

HCP: 18+1

♣ A

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 333

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A4

♥ 4

♦ K9764

♣ QJ972

South:

♠ K95

♥ AQJT83

♦ AJ

♣ A5

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 334

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 98654

♥ AQ987

♦ A7

♣ 5

South:

♠ AK7

♥ J5

♦ KQT84

♣ AT3

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♥ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 335

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK4

♥ QT643

♦ Q3

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ QJ7532

♥ -

♦ AKJ85

♣ 52

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ 3 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♠ Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 336

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AJ73

♥ KT9

♦ KQJ93

♣ A

South:

♠ 98

♥ AQJ54

♦ 6

♣ J9654

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 333</b>	♠ K95	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJT83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ	
HCP: 19+2	♣ A5	

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<b>Board: 334</b>	♠ AK7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQT84	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AT3	

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<b>Board: 335</b>	♠ QJ7532	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJ85	
HCP: 11+3	♣ 52	

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<b>Board: 336</b>	♠ 98	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ54	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 6	
HCP: 8+2	♣ J9654	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 333

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A4

♥ 4

♦ K9764

♣ QJ972

South:

♠ K95

♥ AQJT83

♦ AJ

♣ A5

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 334

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 98654

♥ AQ987

♦ A7

♣ 5

South:

♠ AK7

♥ J5

♦ KQT84

♣ AT3

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♥ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 335

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK4

♥ QT643

♦ Q3

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ QJ7532

♥ -

♦ AKJ85

♣ 52

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ 3 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♠ Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 336

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AJ73

♥ KT9

♦ KQJ93

♣ A

South:

♠ 98

♥ AQJ54

♦ 6

♣ J9654

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 337</b>	♠ 74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KT985	
HCP: 8+2	♣ AJ742	
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<b>Board: 338</b>	♠ T	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ6542	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K	
HCP: 18+3	♣ AKQ63	
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<b>Board: 339</b>	♠ A97654	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ KJ42	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ J8	West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ 4	East (LHO) Doubles 2 ♠ if possible.
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<b>Board: 340</b>	♠ A3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ963	
HCP: 10+2	♣ K8642	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 337

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 74

♥ 8

♦ KT985

♣ AJ742

South:

♠ AT6

♥ AKQ76

♦ 72

♣ KQ6

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 338

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+3

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ T

♥ AQ6542

♦ K

♣ AKQ63

South:

♠ K87652

♥ 8

♦ AQ974

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 339

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 4+1

Contract: 2 ♠ X North

North:

♠ A97654

♥ KJ42

♦ J8

♣ 4

South:

♠ 2

♥ Q986

♦ 76432

♣ Q73

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass

1 ♥<sup>2</sup> 2 ♠ X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 340

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ A3

♥ 5

♦ QJ963

♣ K8642

South:

♠ KJT8

♥ A7

♦ A52

♣ AT53

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4 ♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Minors

<b>Board: 337</b>	♠ AT6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 72	
HCP: 18+1	♣ KQ6	

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<b>Board: 338</b>	♠ K87652	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ974	
HCP: 9+3	♣ 9	

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<b>Board: 339</b>	♠ 2	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ Q986	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 76432	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 4+1	♣ Q73	East (RHO) Doubles 2 ♠ if possible.

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<b>Board: 340</b>	♠ KJT8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A52	
HCP: 16	♣ AT53	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 337

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 74

♥ 8

♦ KT985

♣ AJ742

South:

♠ AT6

♥ AKQ76

♦ 72

♣ KQ6

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 338

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+3

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ T

♥ AQ6542

♦ K

♣ AKQ63

South:

♠ K87652

♥ 8

♦ AQ974

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 339

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 4+1

Contract: 2 ♠ X North

North:

♠ A97654

♥ KJ42

♦ J8

♣ 4

South:

♠ 2

♥ Q986

♦ 76432

♣ Q73

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass

1 ♥<sup>2</sup> 2 ♠ X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 340

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ A3

♥ 5

♦ QJ963

♣ K8642

South:

♠ KJT8

♥ A7

♦ A52

♣ AT53

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4 ♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Minors

**Board: 341**

♠ 2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKQ9

HCP: 20+2

♣ AJ6542

**Board: 342**

♠ AQJ86

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 3

West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ J2

HCP: 8+2

♣ T8542

**Board: 343**

♠ A7652

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q

West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ Q9543

HCP: 10+2

♣ QT

**Board: 344**

♠ AKT3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KQ42

HCP: 16

♣ K8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 341

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 2

♥ AQ

♦ AKQ9

♣ AJ6542

South:

♠ KJT63

♥ KT

♦ J8764

♣ 3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 342

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 20+4

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ AQJ86

♥ 3

♦ J2

♣ T8542

South:

♠ -

♥ AKQ6

♦ AKQ98653

♣ Q

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♦

Pass 5 ♦ Pass 6 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 343

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A7652

♥ Q

♦ Q9543

♣ QT

South:

♠ KT3

♥ A92

♦ A7

♣ AJ643

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 344

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 5 ♥ South

North:

♠ AKT3

♥ J63

♦ KQ42

♣ K8

South:

♠ J

♥ KQ742

♦ AJ753

♣ 92

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♥ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

**Board: 341**      ♠ KJT63      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KT      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ J8764  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ 3

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**Board: 342**      ♠ -      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ6      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AKQ98653  
HCP: 20+4      ♣ Q

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**Board: 343**      ♠ KT3      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A92      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ A7  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ AJ643

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**Board: 344**      ♠ J      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KQ742      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ AJ753  
HCP: 11+2      ♣ 92

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 341

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 2

♥ AQ

♦ AKQ9

♣ AJ6542

South:

♠ KJT63

♥ KT

♦ J8764

♣ 3

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 342

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 20+4

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ AQJ86

♥ 3

♦ J2

♣ T8542

South:

♠ -

♥ AKQ6

♦ AKQ98653

♣ Q

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1 ♥	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♦
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Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 343

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A7652

♥ Q

♦ Q9543

♣ QT

South:

♠ KT3

♥ A92

♦ A7

♣ AJ643

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1 ♥	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 344

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 5 ♥ South

North:

♠ AKT3

♥ J63

♦ KQ42

♣ K8

South:

♠ J

♥ KQ742

♦ AJ753

♣ 92

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
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Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

**Board: 345**

♠ A9

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ653

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQT42

HCP: 17+2

♣ Q

**Board: 346**

♠ K73

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ9

HCP: 17+1

♣ AQT98

**Board: 347**

♠ KJ873

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ632

East (LHO) Doubles 5♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 864

HCP: 9+2

♣ -

**Board: 348**

♠ QT

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K

East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ KJ652

HCP: 9+2

♣ 75432

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 345

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ A9

♥ KQ653

♦ AQT42

♣ Q

South:

♠ QT5

♥ A84

♦ K6

♣ AK943

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 7♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 346

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ K73

♥ QJ

♦ AJ9

♣ AQT98

South:

♠ AQT85

♥ KT753

♦ 5

♣ K5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 347

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ KJ873

♥ AJ632

♦ 864

♣ -

South:

♠ A5

♥ KQT98

♦ AQ2

♣ KJ3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> X 5♥<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 348

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3♠ South

North:

♠ QT

♥ K

♦ KJ652

♣ 75432

South:

♠ AKJ85

♥ Q5

♦ AT943

♣ K

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♥ 3♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 345</b>	♠ QT5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K6	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK943	

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<b>Board: 346</b>	♠ AQT85	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT753	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 5	
HCP: 12+2	♣ K5	

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<b>Board: 347</b>	♠ A5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT98	East (RHO) Doubles 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ2	
HCP: 19+1	♣ KJ3	

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<b>Board: 348</b>	♠ AKJ85	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q5	East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT943	
HCP: 17+2	♣ K	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 345

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ A9

♥ KQ653

♦ AQT42

♣ Q

South:

♠ QT5

♥ A84

♦ K6

♣ AK943

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 7♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 346

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ K73

♥ QJ

♦ AJ9

♣ AQT98

South:

♠ AQT85

♥ KT753

♦ 5

♣ K5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 347

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ KJ873

♥ AJ632

♦ 864

♣ -

South:

♠ A5

♥ KQT98

♦ AQ2

♣ KJ3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> X 5♥<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 348

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3♠ South

North:

♠ QT

♥ K

♦ KJ652

♣ 75432

South:

♠ AKJ85

♥ Q5

♦ AT943

♣ K

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♥ 3♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 349</b>	♠ AKQ5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ853	
HCP: 20+1	♣ AQ3	

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<b>Board: 350</b>	♠ 85	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ765	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKQ53	
HCP: 17+2	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 351</b>	♠ A	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT853	
HCP: 12+2	♣ QJ965	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 349

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKQ5

♥ 9

♦ AJ853

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ J8743

♥ AKQ863

♦ -

♣ J7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♥

Pass 5NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

### Board: 350

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 85

♥ AJ765

♦ AKQ53

♣ K

South:

♠ KQJT4

♥ 3

♦ J8

♣ Q9653

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 351

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ A

♥ Q6

♦ KT853

♣ QJ965

South:

♠ K6

♥ AT985

♦ AQJ

♣ K32

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♦

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

Pass 5 ♥<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

<b>Board: 349</b>	♠ J8743	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ863	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ -	
HCP: 11+3	♣ J7	

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<b>Board: 350</b>	♠ KQJT4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J8	
HCP: 9+2	♣ Q9653	

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<b>Board: 351</b>	♠ K6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT985	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJ	
HCP: 17+1	♣ K32	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 349

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKQ5

♥ 9

♦ AJ853

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ J8743

♥ AKQ863

♦ -

♣ J7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♥

Pass 5NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

### Board: 350

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 85

♥ AJ765

♦ AKQ53

♣ K

South:

♠ KQJT4

♥ 3

♦ J8

♣ Q9653

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 351

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ A

♥ Q6

♦ KT853

♣ QJ965

South:

♠ K6

♥ AT985

♦ AQJ

♣ K32

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♦

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

Pass 5 ♥<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

<b>Board: 352</b>	♠ AKQ9	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T952	
HCP: 16	♣ AK4	

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<b>Board: 353</b>	♠ QJ983	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ842	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 5	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 63	

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<b>Board: 354</b>	♠ A8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 5	West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJT93	
HCP: 12+2	♣ KT732	

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<b>Board: 355</b>	♠ KJ542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 6	West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 52	East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 11+2	♣ AKT95	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 352

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AKQ9

♥ T4

♦ T952

♣ AK4

South:

♠ 7

♥ 97652

♦ AKQJ76

♣ 6

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 353

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QJ983

♥ AQ842

♦ 5

♣ 63

South:

♠ AK64

♥ K

♦ Q6432

♣ KJ2

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 354

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 7♣ North

North:

♠ A8

♥ 5

♦ AJT93

♣ KT732

South:

♠ 632

♥ AQ

♦ KQ

♣ AQJ854

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♠	Pass	Pass	3♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	7♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 355

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ KJ542

♥ 6

♦ 52

♣ AKT95

South:

♠ AQT93

♥ Q5

♦ AK974

♣ Q

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♥	1♠	2♥	4♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

**Board: 352**      ♠ 7      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 97652      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AKQJ76  
HCP: 10+3      ♣ 6

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**Board: 353**      ♠ AK64      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ K      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ Q6432  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ KJ2

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**Board: 354**      ♠ 632      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AQ      West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ KQ  
HCP: 18+2      ♣ AQJ854

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**Board: 355**      ♠ AQT93      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ Q5      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AK974      East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.  
HCP: 17+2      ♣ Q

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 352

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AKQ9

♥ T4

♦ T952

♣ AK4

South:

♠ 7

♥ 97652

♦ AKQJ76

♣ 6

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 353

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QJ983

♥ AQ842

♦ 5

♣ 63

South:

♠ AK64

♥ K

♦ Q6432

♣ KJ2

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 354

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 7♣ North

North:

♠ A8

♥ 5

♦ AJT93

♣ KT732

South:

♠ 632

♥ AQ

♦ KQ

♣ AQJ854

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
2♠	Pass	Pass	3♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	7♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 355

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ KJ542

♥ 6

♦ 52

♣ AKT95

South:

♠ AQT93

♥ Q5

♦ AK974

♣ Q

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♥	1♠	2♥	4♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

**Board: 356**

♠ KQ54

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJ

East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 9752

HCP: 16

♣ K6

**Board: 357**

♠ 95

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ732

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJT64

HCP: 13+2

♣ K

**Board: 358**

♠ JT7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQ52

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ K

HCP: 22+1

♣ AKQ5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 356

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ54

♥ AKJ

♦ 9752

♣ K6

South:

♠ AT863

♥ Q7652

♦ 6

♣ A5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♦ 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 357

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ 95

♥ KQ732

♦ AJT64

♣ K

South:

♠ AK8

♥ T8

♦ KQ98

♣ AQ63

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 4 ♦

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

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

Pass 5 ♥ Pass 5 ♠<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6. !D queen and !S king

### Board: 358

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 22+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ JT7

♥ AKQ52

♦ K

♣ AKQ5

South:

♠ K4

♥ J

♦ AJ843

♣ JT964

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 356</b>	♠ AT863	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q7652	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 6	
HCP: 10+2	♣ A5	

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<b>Board: 357</b>	♠ AK8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ98	
HCP: 18	♣ AQ63	

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<b>Board: 358</b>	♠ K4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ843	
HCP: 10+2	♣ JT964	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 356

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ54

♥ AKJ

♦ 9752

♣ K6

South:

♠ AT863

♥ Q7652

♦ 6

♣ A5

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♦	1 ♠
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 357

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ 95

♥ KQ732

♦ AJT64

♣ K

South:

♠ AK8

♥ T8

♦ KQ98

♣ AQ63

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
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Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
------	------------------	------	------------------

Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>
------	-----	------	------------------

Pass	6 ♦	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6. !D queen and !S king

### Board: 358

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 22+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ JT7

♥ AKQ52

♦ K

♣ AKQ5

South:

♠ K4

♥ J

♦ AJ843

♣ JT964

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
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Pass	6NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 359**

♠ 8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKT2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A975

HCP: 17

♣ AQ93

**Board: 360**

♠ KT3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJT954

East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ Q4

HCP: 17+3

♣ A

**Board: 361**

♠ 7

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AT764

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ J7

HCP: 8+2

♣ K8542

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 359

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 8

♥ AKT2

♦ A975

♣ AQ93

South:

♠ AK752

♥ 9

♦ K4

♣ JT754

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 360

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT3

♥ AKJT954

♦ Q4

♣ A

South:

♠ AJ842

♥ 6

♦ AT763

♣ 43

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	3 ♣	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 361

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 22+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ 7

♥ AT764

♦ J7

♣ K8542

South:

♠ K532

♥ KQJ52

♦ AKQ

♣ A

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4. surplus

5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

6. Cue bid, a !D stopper

7. Blackwood 0314, for !H

8. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 359</b>	♠ AK752	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K4	
HCP: 11+2	♣ JT754	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 360</b>	♠ AJ842	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 6	East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AT763	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 43	
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<b>Board: 361</b>	♠ K532	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ52	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQ	
HCP: 22+1	♣ A	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 359

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 8

♥ AKT2

♦ A975

♣ AQ93

South:

♠ AK752

♥ 9

♦ K4

♣ JT754

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 360

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT3

♥ AKJT954

♦ Q4

♣ A

South:

♠ AJ842

♥ 6

♦ AT763

♣ 43

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	3 ♣	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 361

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 22+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ 7

♥ AT764

♦ J7

♣ K8542

South:

♠ K532

♥ KQJ52

♦ AKQ

♣ A

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4. surplus

5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

6. Cue bid, a !D stopper

7. Blackwood 0314, for !H

8. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 362</b>	♠ 942	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT85	West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ -	West (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ QJ865	

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<b>Board: 363</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ JT432	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J76	
HCP: 9+2	♣ AQJ98	

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<b>Board: 364</b>	♠ KT5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ9832	East (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	
HCP: 16+2	♣ A43	

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<b>Board: 365</b>	♠ 3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A964	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKT8	
HCP: 16	♣ KQ75	

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<b>Board: 366</b>	♠ 965	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT93	East (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ76	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 362

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 942

♥ AQT85

♦ -

♣ QJ865

South:

♠ AKT876

♥ J

♦ KJ763

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ Pass Pass 1 ♠

X 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 363

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ -

♥ JT432

♦ J76

♣ AQJ98

South:

♠ A9

♥ A87

♦ KQT85

♣ K53

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ 3 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 364

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8+4

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT5

♥ AJ9832

♦ A

♣ A43

South:

♠ A8763

♥ 4

♦ KJT8753

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♣ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 365

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 3

♥ A964

♦ AKT8

♣ KQ75

South:

♠ AKT76

♥ K7

♦ 9

♣ J8432

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 366

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 965

♥ AT93

♦ AKJ76

♣ A

South:

♠ KQT43

♥ KJ762

♦ 3

♣ 74

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♣ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 362**      ♠ AKT876      You are dealer.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ J      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ KJ763      West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.  
 HCP: 16+3      ♣ A

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**Board: 363**      ♠ A9      You are dealer.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ A87      West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ KQT85  
 HCP: 16+1      ♣ K53

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**Board: 364**      ♠ A8763      Partner is dealer.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ 4      East (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ KJT8753  
 HCP: 8+4      ♣ -

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**Board: 365**      ♠ AKT76      Partner is dealer.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ K7      The opponents are silent.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ 9  
 HCP: 11+2      ♣ J8432

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**Board: 366**      ♠ KQT43      Partner is dealer.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ KJ762      East (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ 3  
 HCP: 9+2      ♣ 74

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 362

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 942

♥ AQT85

♦ -

♣ QJ865

South:

♠ AKT876

♥ J

♦ KJ763

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ Pass Pass 1 ♠

X 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 363

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ -

♥ JT432

♦ J76

♣ AQJ98

South:

♠ A9

♥ A87

♦ KQT85

♣ K53

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ 3 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 364

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8+4

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT5

♥ AJ9832

♦ A

♣ A43

South:

♠ A8763

♥ 4

♦ KJT8753

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♣ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 365

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 3

♥ A964

♦ AKT8

♣ KQ75

South:

♠ AKT76

♥ K7

♦ 9

♣ J8432

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 366

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 965

♥ AT93

♦ AKJ76

♣ A

South:

♠ KQT43

♥ KJ762

♦ 3

♣ 74

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♣ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 367**      ♠ KJ963      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ KJ87532      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ -  
HCP: 8+4      ♣ 8

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**Board: 368**      ♠ 98      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 2      East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AJT86  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ KT642

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**Board: 369**      ♠ 32      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ KQJT5      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ KQJ92  
HCP: 12+2      ♣ 8

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**Board: 370**      ♠ K8742      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 9      West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ J7  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ KQ865

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 367

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+4

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KJ963

♥ KJ87532

♦ -

♣ 8

South:

♠ Q74

♥ -

♦ AKQ75

♣ KQJ96

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 368

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 98

♥ 2

♦ AJT86

♣ KT642

South:

♠ AQ6

♥ JT9

♦ KQ92

♣ AQ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 369

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ 32

♥ KQJT5

♦ KQJ92

♣ 8

South:

♠ KQJ8

♥ A73

♦ 75

♣ AQJT

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup>

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 370

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K8742

♥ 9

♦ J7

♣ KQ865

South:

♠ JT

♥ AK85

♦ AK6

♣ J973

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♥ 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 367</b>	♠ Q74	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ75	
HCP: 17+2	♣ KQJ96	

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<b>Board: 368</b>	♠ AQ6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ JT9	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ92	
HCP: 18	♣ AQ7	

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<b>Board: 369</b>	♠ KQJ8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 75	
HCP: 17	♣ AQJT	

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<b>Board: 370</b>	♠ JT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK85	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK6	
HCP: 16	♣ J973	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 367

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+4

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KJ963

♥ KJ87532

♦ -

♣ 8

South:

♠ Q74

♥ -

♦ AKQ75

♣ KQJ96

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 368

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 98

♥ 2

♦ AJT86

♣ KT642

South:

♠ AQ6

♥ JT9

♦ KQ92

♣ AQ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 369

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ 32

♥ KQJT5

♦ KQJ92

♣ 8

South:

♠ KQJ8

♥ A73

♦ 75

♣ AQJT

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup>

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 370

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K8742

♥ 9

♦ J7

♣ KQ865

South:

♠ JT

♥ AK85

♦ AK6

♣ J973

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♥ 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 371</b>	♠ AJT63	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ K75	West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ86	West (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 12+1	♣ 6	

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<b>Board: 372</b>	♠ KJT65	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K7	
HCP: 9+2	♣ J9843	

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<b>Board: 373</b>	♠ A5432	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 986	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AQ753	

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<b>Board: 374</b>	♠ AQ962	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT874	
HCP: 14+2	♣ J8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 371

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 1+1

Contract: 1 ♠ X North

North:

♠ AJT63

♥ K75

♦ KJ86

♣ 6

South:

♠ 5

♥ J86

♦ T9532

♣ 8532

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 372

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KJT65

♥ J

♦ K7

♣ J9843

South:

♠ 42

♥ AK95

♦ A942

♣ AK2

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 373

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A5432

♥ -

♦ 986

♣ AQ753

South:

♠ J9

♥ AQJT98

♦ AQ

♣ K62

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 374

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ AQ962

♥ K

♦ AT874

♣ J8

South:

♠ 84

♥ QJ985

♦ KQJ

♣ AKQ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

<b>Board: 371</b>	♠ 5	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ J86	West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T9532	West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 1+1	♣ 8532	

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<b>Board: 372</b>	♠ 42	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A942	
HCP: 18	♣ AK2	

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<b>Board: 373</b>	♠ J9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJT98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ	
HCP: 17+2	♣ K62	

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<b>Board: 374</b>	♠ 84	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ985	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQJ	
HCP: 18+1	♣ AKQ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 371

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 1+1

Contract: 1 ♠ X North

North:

♠ AJT63

♥ K75

♦ KJ86

♣ 6

South:

♠ 5

♥ J86

♦ T9532

♣ 8532

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 372

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KJT65

♥ J

♦ K7

♣ J9843

South:

♠ 42

♥ AK95

♦ A942

♣ AK2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 373

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A5432

♥ -

♦ 986

♣ AQ753

South:

♠ J9

♥ AQJT98

♦ AQ

♣ K62

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 374

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ AQ962

♥ K

♦ AT874

♣ J8

South:

♠ 84

♥ QJ985

♦ KQJ

♣ AKQ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

<b>Board: 375</b>	♠ AJ63	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A43	East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ	West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 19	♣ AK84	West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♠ if possible.

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<b>Board: 376</b>	♠ KQT64	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 4	
HCP: 9+2	♣ AT874	

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<b>Board: 377</b>	♠ Q43	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ7	
HCP: 18	♣ QJ7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 375

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ63

♥ A43

♦ QJ

♣ AK84

South:

♠ -

♥ J52

♦ A8642

♣ QJT96

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♠	2 ♦
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2 ♠	Pass	Pass	X
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Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
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X	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !C

### Board: 376

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 20

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQT64

♥ 87

♦ 4

♣ AT874

South:

♠ A973

♥ AK6

♦ AKT

♣ Q96

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 377

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q43

♥ KQ7

♦ AKJ7

♣ QJ7

South:

♠ AKJ97

♥ 8

♦ Q4

♣ T8432

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3NT
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All Pass			
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 375</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J52	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A8642	West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ QJT96	West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♠ if possible.

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<b>Board: 376</b>	♠ A973	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKT	
HCP: 20	♣ Q96	

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<b>Board: 377</b>	♠ AKJ97	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q4	
HCP: 10+2	♣ T8432	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 375

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ63

♥ A43

♦ QJ

♣ AK84

South:

♠ -

♥ J52

♦ A8642

♣ QJT96

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♠	2 ♦
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2 ♠	Pass	Pass	X
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Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
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X	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !C

### Board: 376

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 20

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQT64

♥ 87

♦ 4

♣ AT874

South:

♠ A973

♥ AK6

♦ AKT

♣ Q96

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 377

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q43

♥ KQ7

♦ AKJ7

♣ QJ7

South:

♠ AKJ97

♥ 8

♦ Q4

♣ T8432

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3NT
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All Pass			
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 378</b>	♠ AKJT5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ64	
HCP: 21+1	♣ K7	
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<b>Board: 379</b>	♠ 74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJ64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A9753	
HCP: 13+2	♣ Q	
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<b>Board: 380</b>	♠ KQ53	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ	East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q85	West (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 17	♣ AK87	West (RHO) Doubles 5 ♦ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 378

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 5♥ North

North:

♠ AKJT5

♥ KJ

♦ AQ64

♣ K7

South:

♠ 2

♥ Q96543

♦ KJT82

♣ Q

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♥

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

Pass 5♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 379

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 74

♥ AQJ64

♦ A9753

♣ Q

South:

♠ KT3

♥ 953

♦ KQJ

♣ AKJ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 380

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ KQ53

♥ QJ

♦ Q85

♣ AK87

South:

♠ AJ942

♥ AKT953

♦ -

♣ 32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♥

3♦ Pass Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 5♦<sup>2</sup>

X 5♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 2 out of 4

<b>Board: 378</b>	♠ 2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q96543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KJT82	
HCP: 8+3	♣ Q	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 379</b>	♠ KT3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 953	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQJ	
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ7	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 380</b>	♠ AJ942	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKT953	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	West (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 12+3	♣ 32	West (LHO) Doubles 5 ♦ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 378

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 5♥ North

North:

♠ AKJT5

♥ KJ

♦ AQ64

♣ K7

South:

♠ 2

♥ Q96543

♦ KJT82

♣ Q

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♥

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

Pass 5♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 379

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 74

♥ AQJ64

♦ A9753

♣ Q

South:

♠ KT3

♥ 953

♦ KQJ

♣ AKJ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 380

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ KQ53

♥ QJ

♦ Q85

♣ AK87

South:

♠ AJ942

♥ AKT953

♦ -

♣ 32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♥

3♦ Pass Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 5♦<sup>2</sup>

X 5♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 2 out of 4

**Board: 381**

♠ -

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJT63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AT9732

HCP: 9+3

♣ 63

**Board: 382**

♠ 2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J8763

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AJ

HCP: 10+2

♣ KJ873

**Board: 383**

♠ A53

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK3

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ K7

HCP: 16+1

♣ Q8632

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 381

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ -

♥ AJT63

♦ AT9732

♣ 63

South:

♠ KQJT62

♥ K98

♦ J

♣ AK4

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 382

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 2

♥ J8763

♦ AJ

♣ KJ873

South:

♠ KQJ

♥ T

♦ KQT63

♣ AQ95

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 383

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ A53

♥ AK3

♦ K7

♣ Q8632

South:

♠ Q2

♥ JT842

♦ Q

♣ AKT94

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠ X

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

<b>Board: 381</b>	♠ KQJT62	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AK4	

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<b>Board: 382</b>	♠ KQJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQT63	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQ95	

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<b>Board: 383</b>	♠ Q2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT842	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q	
HCP: 12+2	♣ AKT94	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 381

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ -

♥ AJT63

♦ AT9732

♣ 63

South:

♠ KQJT62

♥ K98

♦ J

♣ AK4

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 382

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 2

♥ J8763

♦ AJ

♣ KJ873

South:

♠ KQJ

♥ T

♦ KQT63

♣ AQ95

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 383

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ A53

♥ AK3

♦ K7

♣ Q8632

South:

♠ Q2

♥ JT842

♦ Q

♣ AKT94

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠ X

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

Pass 4♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

<b>Board: 384</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ732	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK753	
HCP: 17+2	♣ KQ8	
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<b>Board: 385</b>	♠ AQJ2	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK	East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AT74	
HCP: 18	♣ 983	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 386</b>	♠ K82	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ8	East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ JT8	West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ7	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 387</b>	♠ KQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q83	
HCP: 20+1	♣ AKT52	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 384

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ -

♥ AJ732

♦ AK753

♣ KQ8

South:

♠ AKQ53

♥ K4

♦ QJ

♣ J543

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 5NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 385

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AQJ2

♥ AK

♦ AT74

♣ 983

South:

♠ -

♥ JT972

♦ KQ9

♣ AQJT6

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♠ X

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

Pass 5♣ Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 386

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K82

♥ AKQ8

♦ JT8

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ 9

♥ T9742

♦ KQ942

♣ K8

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♥

3 ♠ 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 387

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ KQ

♥ AQ6

♦ Q83

♣ AKT52

South:

♠ AJT984

♥ T4

♦ A9762

♣ -

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Gerber

4. A=2 out of 4

<b>Board: 384</b>	♠ AKQ53	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ QJ	
HCP: 16+1	♣ J543	

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<b>Board: 385</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT972	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ9	
HCP: 13+2	♣ AQJT6	

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<b>Board: 386</b>	♠ 9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T9742	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ942	West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ K8	

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<b>Board: 387</b>	♠ AJT984	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A9762	
HCP: 9+3	♣ -	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 384

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ -

♥ AJ732

♦ AK753

♣ KQ8

South:

♠ AKQ53

♥ K4

♦ QJ

♣ J543

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 5NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 385

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AQJ2

♥ AK

♦ AT74

♣ 983

South:

♠ -

♥ JT972

♦ KQ9

♣ AQJT6

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♠ X

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

Pass 5♣ Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 386

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K82

♥ AKQ8

♦ JT8

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ 9

♥ T9742

♦ KQ942

♣ K8

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♥

3 ♠ 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 387

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ KQ

♥ AQ6

♦ Q83

♣ AKT52

South:

♠ AJT984

♥ T4

♦ A9762

♣ -

W

N

E

S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Gerber

4. A=2 out of 4

**Board: 388**

♠ Q

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K53

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q72

HCP: 16+2

♣ AKQT87

**Board: 389**

♠ AK2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQJT86

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ KJ87

HCP: 17+2

♣ -

**Board: 390**

♠ A6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q862

HCP: 20

♣ AKJ2

**Board: 391**

♠ KT96

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A52

HCP: 17

♣ AJ86

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 388

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ K53

♦ Q72

♣ AKQT87

South:

♠ JT9865

♥ A6

♦ KT943

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 389

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ AK2

♥ KQJT86

♦ KJ87

♣ -

South:

♠ 8

♥ 93

♦ QT962

♣ AK762

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♠	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 390

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ A6

♥ AQ7

♦ Q862

♣ AKJ2

South:

♠ KJT942

♥ -

♦ AT743

♣ 83

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3NT	Pass	6 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 391

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KT96

♥ KQ

♦ A52

♣ AJ86

South:

♠ AQJ74

♥ 98752

♦ Q64

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

<b>Board: 388</b>	♠ JT9865	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KT943	
HCP: 8+3	♣ -	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 389</b>	♠ 8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 93	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ QT962	
HCP: 9+2	♣ AK762	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 390</b>	♠ KJT942	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT743	
HCP: 8+3	♣ 83	
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<b>Board: 391</b>	♠ AQJ74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 98752	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q64	
HCP: 9+2	♣ -	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 388

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ K53

♦ Q72

♣ AKQT87

South:

♠ JT9865

♥ A6

♦ KT943

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 389

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ AK2

♥ KQJT86

♦ KJ87

♣ -

South:

♠ 8

♥ 93

♦ QT962

♣ AK762

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♠	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 390

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ A6

♥ AQ7

♦ Q862

♣ AKJ2

South:

♠ KJT942

♥ -

♦ AT743

♣ 83

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3NT	Pass	6 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 391

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KT96

♥ KQ

♦ A52

♣ AJ86

South:

♠ AQJ74

♥ 98752

♦ Q64

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

**Board: 392**

♠ AT974

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A62

HCP: 18+1

♣ AK

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**Board: 393**

♠ K9732

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 2

HCP: 8+3

♣ KJ9876

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**Board: 394**

♠ QT972

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ JT863

HCP: 8+2

♣ AT

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 392

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AT974

♥ KT8

♦ A62

♣ AK

South:

♠ QJ

♥ A9754

♦ J9843

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 393

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 17+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K9732

♥ J

♦ 2

♣ KJ9876

South:

♠ Q6

♥ AT

♦ AQJ8764

♣ A4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ Pass Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 394

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ QT972

♥ J

♦ JT863

♣ AT

South:

♠ A654

♥ AK84

♦ Q2

♣ QJ2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

**Board: 392**

♠ QJ

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A9754

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J9843

HCP: 9+2

♣ J

**Board: 393**

♠ Q6

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AT

West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQJ8764

HCP: 17+3

♣ A4

**Board: 394**

♠ A654

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK84

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q2

HCP: 16

♣ QJ2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 392

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AT974

♥ KT8

♦ A62

♣ AK

South:

♠ QJ

♥ A9754

♦ J9843

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 393

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 17+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K9732

♥ J

♦ 2

♣ KJ9876

South:

♠ Q6

♥ AT

♦ AQJ8764

♣ A4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ Pass Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 394

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ QT972

♥ J

♦ JT863

♣ AT

South:

♠ A654

♥ AK84

♦ Q2

♣ QJ2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

<b>Board: 395</b>	♠ 83	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q9762	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 8+3	♣ AQT873	

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<b>Board: 396</b>	♠ K84	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJT9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ8	
HCP: 18	♣ J8	

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<b>Board: 397</b>	♠ JT652	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ872	
HCP: 10+3	♣ 64	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 395

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 83

♥ Q9762

♦ -

♣ AQT873

South:

♠ K6

♥ AK5

♦ AJ87

♣ K954

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 4♣ Pass 3♥

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♥

Pass 6♥ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 2 out of 4

### Board: 396

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 7♠ South

North:

♠ K84

♥ AJT9

♦ AKQ8

♣ J8

South:

♠ AQT93

♥ -

♦ 75

♣ AQT942

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 3♠ Pass 5♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 6♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 7♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 2 out of 4

### Board: 397

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ JT652

♥ -

♦ AKQ872

♣ 64

South:

♠ AK87

♥ AKJ862

♦ 4

♣ K5

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 395**

♠ K6

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AJ87

HCP: 18

♣ K954

**Board: 396**

♠ AQT93

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ -

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 75

HCP: 12+3

♣ AQT942

**Board: 397**

♠ AK87

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJ862

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 4

HCP: 18+2

♣ K5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 395

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 83

♥ Q9762

♦ -

♣ AQT873

South:

♠ K6

♥ AK5

♦ AJ87

♣ K954

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 4♣ Pass 3♥

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♥

Pass 6♥ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 2 out of 4

### Board: 396

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 7♠ South

North:

♠ K84

♥ AJT9

♦ AKQ8

♣ J8

South:

♠ AQT93

♥ -

♦ 75

♣ AQT942

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 3♠ Pass 5♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 6♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 7♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 2 out of 4

### Board: 397

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ JT652

♥ -

♦ AKQ872

♣ 64

South:

♠ AK87

♥ AKJ862

♦ 4

♣ K5

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 398**

♠ K4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ4

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AKQ932

HCP: 20+2

♣ J

**Board: 399**

♠ KJ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A8

West (RHO) Doubles 3♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ KJT

HCP: 19+1

♣ AK653

**Board: 400**

♠ 6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ952

West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KT965

HCP: 8+2

♣ T8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 398

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 20+2

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ K4

♥ AQJ4

♦ AKQ932

♣ J

South:

♠ 2

♥ KT983

♦ T

♣ AQT832

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♠

2NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass

3♦

Pass

3♥

Pass

4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass

5♥<sup>4</sup>

Pass

6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 399

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJ8

♥ A8

♦ KJT

♣ AK653

South:

♠ AQ932

♥ QT

♦ 98643

♣ 4

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

2NT

Pass

3♥

X

3♠

Pass

4♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

4♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass

4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

### Board: 400

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ KQ952

♦ KT965

♣ T8

South:

♠ AT9532

♥ A

♦ J

♣ AKQ42

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦

Pass

Pass

1♠

Pass

2♥

Pass

3♣

Pass

3NT

Pass

4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 398**

♠ 2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT983

East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ T

HCP: 9+3

♣ AQT832

**Board: 399**

♠ AQ932

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QT

West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 98643

HCP: 8+2

♣ 4

**Board: 400**

♠ AT9532

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A

West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ J

HCP: 18+3

♣ AKQ42

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 398

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 20+2

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ K4

♥ AQJ4

♦ AKQ932

♣ J

South:

♠ 2

♥ KT983

♦ T

♣ AQT832

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠ 2NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

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

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 399

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJ8

♥ A8

♦ KJT

♣ AK653

South:

♠ AQ932

♥ QT

♦ 98643

♣ 4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

X 3♠ Pass 4♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

### Board: 400

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ KQ952

♦ KT965

♣ T8

South:

♠ AT9532

♥ A

♦ J

♣ AKQ42

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ Pass Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 401</b>	♠ AKJ942	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 76	
HCP: 9+3	♣ J9742	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 402</b>	♠ AJ542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJT95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K75	
HCP: 13+2	♣ -	
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<b>Board: 403</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J4	West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJT865	
HCP: 8+3	♣ KT874	
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<b>Board: 404</b>	♠ AJT	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQJ942	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ JT	
HCP: 16+2	♣ A5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 401

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJ942

♥ -

♦ 76

♣ J9742

South:

♠ Q8

♥ AK876

♦ AQT5

♣ KT

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 402

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ AJ542

♥ AJT95

♦ K75

♣ -

South:

♠ K8

♥ Q8

♦ AJ863

♣ AK83

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 4 ♥ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 6 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 403

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 2 ♦ North

North:

♠ -

♥ J4

♦ KJT865

♣ KT874

South:

♠ AKJ8

♥ KQ96

♦ 32

♣ A95

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 2 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 404

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJT

♥ KQJ942

♦ JT

♣ A5

South:

♠ K9752

♥ -

♦ KQ873

♣ Q87

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 401</b>	♠ Q8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK876	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQT5	
HCP: 18+1	♣ KT	

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<b>Board: 402</b>	♠ K8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ863	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AK83	

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<b>Board: 403</b>	♠ AKJ8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ96	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 32	
HCP: 17	♣ A95	

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<b>Board: 404</b>	♠ K9752	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ873	
HCP: 10+2	♣ Q87	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 401

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJ942

♥ -

♦ 76

♣ J9742

South:

♠ Q8

♥ AK876

♦ AQT5

♣ KT

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 402

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ AJ542

♥ AJT95

♦ K75

♣ -

South:

♠ K8

♥ Q8

♦ AJ863

♣ AK83

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 4 ♥ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 6 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 403

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 2 ♦ North

North:

♠ -

♥ J4

♦ KJT865

♣ KT874

South:

♠ AKJ8

♥ KQ96

♦ 32

♣ A95

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 2 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 404

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJT

♥ KQJ942

♦ JT

♣ A5

South:

♠ K9752

♥ -

♦ KQ873

♣ Q87

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 405</b>	♠ A8763	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 43	
HCP: 10+2	♣ QJ853	
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<b>Board: 406</b>	♠ KQ93	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ973	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 17+2	♣ A73	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 407</b>	♠ KQ9765	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	East (LHO) bids 4 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 65	West (RHO) Doubles 5 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 12+3	♣ AQJ84	
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<b>Board: 408</b>	♠ T	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJ972	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AT852	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 405

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A8763

♥ K

♦ 43

♣ QJ853

South:

♠ J95

♥ AJ3

♦ KJ952

♣ AK

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	1 NT
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 406

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ93

♥ AKJ973

♦ -

♣ A73

South:

♠ T6542

♥ -

♦ KQJ964

♣ QJ

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Exclusion, for !S			
4. 0 out of 4			

### Board: 407

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQ9765

♥ -

♦ 65

♣ AQJ84

South:

♠ AJ832

♥ AKQT7

♦ -

♣ K52

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	4 ♦	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
X	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. Exclusion, for !S			
3. 2 out of 4			

### Board: 408

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5 ♦ South

North:

♠ T

♥ Q5

♦ KJ972

♣ AT852

South:

♠ AQ87

♥ AT3

♦ AQT4

♣ 63

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Minors			

<b>Board: 405</b>	♠ J95	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ3	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ952	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AK	

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<b>Board: 406</b>	♠ T6542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQJ964	
HCP: 9+3	♣ QJ	

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<b>Board: 407</b>	♠ AJ832	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQT7	East (RHO) bids 4 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ -	West (LHO) Doubles 5 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 17+2	♣ K52	

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<b>Board: 408</b>	♠ AQ87	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQT4	
HCP: 16	♣ 63	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 405

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A8763

♥ K

♦ 43

♣ QJ853

South:

♠ J95

♥ AJ3

♦ KJ952

♣ AK

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	1 NT
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 406

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ93

♥ AKJ973

♦ -

♣ A73

South:

♠ T6542

♥ -

♦ KQJ964

♣ QJ

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Exclusion, for !S			
4. 0 out of 4			

### Board: 407

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQ9765

♥ -

♦ 65

♣ AQJ84

South:

♠ AJ832

♥ AKQT7

♦ -

♣ K52

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	4 ♦	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
X	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. Exclusion, for !S			
3. 2 out of 4			

### Board: 408

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5 ♦ South

North:

♠ T

♥ Q5

♦ KJ972

♣ AT852

South:

♠ AQ87

♥ AT3

♦ AQT4

♣ 63

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Minors			

**Board: 409**

♠ AT64

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ84

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK8

HCP: 16

♣ T6

**Board: 410**

♠ Q

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AT842

HCP: 9+3

♣ QJT983

**Board: 411**

♠ 4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJ7543

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KJ876

HCP: 9+3

♣ J

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 409

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT64

♥ KQ84

♦ AK8

♣ T6

South:

♠ K9873

♥ J9652

♦ Q

♣ A4

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	5 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper
6. Blackwood 0314, for !S
7. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

### Board: 410

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♣ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ 6

♦ AT842

♣ QJT983

South:

♠ K643

♥ AJ95

♦ KQ7

♣ K7

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 ♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
4. automat
5. Blackwood 0314, for !C
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0

### Board: 411

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ KJ7543

♦ KJ876

♣ J

South:

♠ AQT93

♥ Q2

♦ AQ92

♣ A9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

<b>Board: 409</b>	♠ K9873	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J9652	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q	
HCP: 10+2	♣ A4	

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<b>Board: 410</b>	♠ K643	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ7	
HCP: 16	♣ K7	

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<b>Board: 411</b>	♠ AQT93	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ92	
HCP: 18+1	♣ A9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 409

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT64

♥ KQ84

♦ AK8

♣ T6

South:

♠ K9873

♥ J9652

♦ Q

♣ A4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

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

Pass 4 ♦<sup>5</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5 ♥<sup>7</sup> Pass 5 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 410

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♣ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ 6

♦ AT842

♣ QJT983

South:

♠ K643

♥ AJ95

♦ KQ7

♣ K7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

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

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

4. automat

5. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 411

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ KJ7543

♦ KJ876

♣ J

South:

♠ AQT93

♥ Q2

♦ AQ92

♣ A9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 412</b>	♠ AT8	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K954	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K5	
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ8	

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<b>Board: 413</b>	♠ AK5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A762	
HCP: 18+2	♣ AK7543	

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<b>Board: 414</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T7	East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ32	
HCP: 11+3	♣ A98732	

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<b>Board: 415</b>	♠ AK	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 6	
HCP: 19+2	♣ KT542	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 412

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT8

♥ K954

♦ K5

♣ AQJ8

South:

♠ KQJ62

♥ A2

♦ Q9632

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠

Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 413

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♣ North

North:

♠ AK5

♥ -

♦ A762

♣ AK7543

South:

♠ Q7642

♥ KQ4

♦ -

♣ QJ982

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

3 ♥	4 ♣	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 414

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 16+4

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ -

♥ T7

♦ AQJ32

♣ A98732

South:

♠ QJ876432

♥ AK3

♦ K

♣ K

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 415

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7 ♥ North

North:

♠ AK

♥ AKQ93

♦ 6

♣ KT542

South:

♠ QT

♥ 652

♦ AKQ7

♣ AJ83

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	7 ♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

<b>Board: 412</b>	♠ KQJ62	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q9632	
HCP: 12+2	♣ 5	

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<b>Board: 413</b>	♠ Q7642	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ4	West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ -	
HCP: 10+2	♣ QJ982	

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<b>Board: 414</b>	♠ QJ876432	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK3	East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K	
HCP: 16+4	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 415</b>	♠ QT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 652	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ7	
HCP: 16	♣ AJ83	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 412

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT8

♥ K954

♦ K5

♣ AQJ8

South:

♠ KQJ62

♥ A2

♦ Q9632

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠

Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 413

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♣ North

North:

♠ AK5

♥ -

♦ A762

♣ AK7543

South:

♠ Q7642

♥ KQ4

♦ -

♣ QJ982

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

3 ♥	4 ♣	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 414

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 16+4

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ -

♥ T7

♦ AQJ32

♣ A98732

South:

♠ QJ876432

♥ AK3

♦ K

♣ K

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 415

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7 ♥ North

North:

♠ AK

♥ AKQ93

♦ 6

♣ KT542

South:

♠ QT

♥ 652

♦ AKQ7

♣ AJ83

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	7 ♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

<b>Board: 416</b>	♠ KT952	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J5	
HCP: 9+2	♣ A9543	
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<b>Board: 417</b>	♠ AJ5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q76	East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ QJ3	
HCP: 17	♣ AK86	
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<b>Board: 418</b>	♠ AQ952	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q9852	West (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 10+2	♣ Q94	
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<b>Board: 419</b>	♠ A76	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q5	
HCP: 16	♣ QT86	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 416

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KT952

♥ J

♦ J5

♣ A9543

South:

♠ J76

♥ KT52

♦ AK7

♣ KQ8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 417

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3 NT North

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ Q76

♦ QJ3

♣ AK86

South:

♠ 8

♥ 5

♦ AKT652

♣ QJT52

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♠	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 418

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 3 NT South

North:

♠ AQ952

♥ Q9852

♦ -

♣ Q94

South:

♠ K73

♥ AK

♦ AQ432

♣ KJ2

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♦	3 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. strength cue bid			

### Board: 419

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ A76

♥ AKJ8

♦ Q5

♣ QT86

South:

♠ QJ854

♥ 7

♦ 92

♣ AKJ93

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

**Board: 416**

♠ J76

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT52

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK7

HCP: 16

♣ KQ8

**Board: 417**

♠ 8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 5

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AKT652

HCP: 10+3

♣ QJT52

**Board: 418**

♠ K73

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK

West (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ432

HCP: 20+1

♣ KJ2

**Board: 419**

♠ QJ854

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 92

HCP: 11+2

♣ AKJ93

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 416

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KT952

♥ J

♦ J5

♣ A9543

South:

♠ J76

♥ KT52

♦ AK7

♣ KQ8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 417

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3 NT North

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ Q76

♦ QJ3

♣ AK86

South:

♠ 8

♥ 5

♦ AKT652

♣ QJT52

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♠	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 418

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 3 NT South

North:

♠ AQ952

♥ Q9852

♦ -

♣ Q94

South:

♠ K73

♥ AK

♦ AQ432

♣ KJ2

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♦	3 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. strength cue bid			

### Board: 419

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ A76

♥ AKJ8

♦ Q5

♣ QT86

South:

♠ QJ854

♥ 7

♦ 92

♣ AKJ93

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1 NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

<b>Board: 420</b>	♠ 82	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJT63	
HCP: 8+2	♣ QJ732	
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<b>Board: 421</b>	♠ 6	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK954	
HCP: 20+1	♣ AT94	
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<b>Board: 422</b>	♠ KJ3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K5	East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ	West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 17+1	♣ Q7642	
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<b>Board: 423</b>	♠ 92	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A9632	
HCP: 8+2	♣ JT854	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 420

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 82

♥ 9

♦ AJT63

♣ QJ732

South:

♠ AKT75

♥ AK543

♦ -

♣ K85

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 421

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 6

♥ AKQ

♦ AK954

♣ AT94

South:

♠ KJT92

♥ JT865

♦ QJ7

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 422

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ3

♥ K5

♦ AKJ

♣ Q7642

South:

♠ Q9874

♥ J

♦ QT9872

♣ A

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

2 ♥ 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 423

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 92

♥ K

♦ A9632

♣ JT854

South:

♠ A73

♥ AJ9753

♦ Q5

♣ AK

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 420**      ♠ AKT75      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AK543      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ -  
HCP: 17+2      ♣ K85

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**Board: 421**      ♠ KJT92      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ JT865      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ QJ7  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 422**      ♠ Q9874      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ J      East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ QT9872      West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.  
HCP: 9+3      ♣ A

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**Board: 423**      ♠ A73      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AJ9753      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ Q5  
HCP: 18+2      ♣ AK

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 420

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 82

♥ 9

♦ AJT63

♣ QJ732

South:

♠ AKT75

♥ AK543

♦ -

♣ K85

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 421

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 6

♥ AKQ

♦ AK954

♣ AT94

South:

♠ KJT92

♥ JT865

♦ QJ7

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 422

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ3

♥ K5

♦ AKJ

♣ Q7642

South:

♠ Q9874

♥ J

♦ QT9872

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

2 ♥ 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 423

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 92

♥ K

♦ A9632

♣ JT854

South:

♠ A73

♥ AJ9753

♦ Q5

♣ AK

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 424</b>	♠ AT942	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q7432	
HCP: 10+2	♣ KJ2	

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<b>Board: 425</b>	♠ AJT42	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 6	
HCP: 14+2	♣ Q2	

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<b>Board: 426</b>	♠ 62	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK765	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 86543	
HCP: 10+2	♣ K	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 424

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT942

♥ -

♦ Q7432

♣ KJ2

South:

♠ KQ53

♥ K832

♦ A

♣ A964

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♥<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Exclusion, for !S

5. 3 out of 4

### Board: 425

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJT42

♥ AK532

♦ 6

♣ Q2

South:

♠ KQ9

♥ 87

♦ A9432

♣ AK4

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦ Pass 6 ♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 7 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !S queen and !C king

### Board: 426

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 62

♥ AK765

♦ 86543

♣ K

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ 3

♦ KQJ2

♣ A8632

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 424</b>	♠ KQ53	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K832	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A	
HCP: 16	♣ A964	

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<b>Board: 425</b>	♠ KQ9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A9432	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK4	

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<b>Board: 426</b>	♠ AQJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ2	
HCP: 17+1	♣ A8632	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 424

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT942

♥ -

♦ Q7432

♣ KJ2

South:

♠ KQ53

♥ K832

♦ A

♣ A964

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♥<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Exclusion, for !S

5. 3 out of 4

### Board: 425

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJT42

♥ AK532

♦ 6

♣ Q2

South:

♠ KQ9

♥ 87

♦ A9432

♣ AK4

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦ Pass 6 ♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 7 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !S queen and !C king

### Board: 426

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 62

♥ AK765

♦ 86543

♣ K

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ 3

♦ KQJ2

♣ A8632

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 427</b>	♠ A9874	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QT873	
HCP: 13+2	♣ -	
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<b>Board: 428</b>	♠ K3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 7	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q9874	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ K8654	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
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<b>Board: 429</b>	♠ AK	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J952	West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AQJT7	
HCP: 18+1	♣ K5	
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<b>Board: 430</b>	♠ AQ954	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q5	
HCP: 8+3	♣ T98652	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 427

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ A9874

♥ AKT

♦ QT873

♣ -

South:

♠ KQ

♥ J962

♦ A4

♣ AKQ75

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 428

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K3

♥ 7

♦ Q9874

♣ K8654

South:

♠ AQ4

♥ AJT4

♦ KT3

♣ Q72

W N E S

1 ♦ Pass 1 ♥ Pass

1 ♠ 2 ♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 429

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK

♥ J952

♦ AQJT7

♣ K5

South:

♠ 86543

♥ K

♦ K6

♣ AT982

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

X XX<sup>3</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. artificial

### Board: 430

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AQ954

♥ -

♦ Q5

♣ T98652

South:

♠ T

♥ AKQ743

♦ 972

♣ AK3

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♠ Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 427</b>	♠ KQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J962	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A4	
HCP: 19+1	♣ AKQ75	

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<b>Board: 428</b>	♠ AQ4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJT4	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT3	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ Q72	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

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<b>Board: 429</b>	♠ 86543	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K	West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K6	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AT982	

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<b>Board: 430</b>	♠ T	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ743	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 972	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AK3	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 427

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ A9874

♥ AKT

♦ QT873

♣ -

South:

♠ KQ

♥ J962

♦ A4

♣ AKQ75

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 428

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K3

♥ 7

♦ Q9874

♣ K8654

South:

♠ AQ4

♥ AJT4

♦ KT3

♣ Q72

W N E S

1 ♦ Pass 1 ♥ Pass

1 ♠ 2 ♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 429

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK

♥ J952

♦ AQJT7

♣ K5

South:

♠ 86543

♥ K

♦ K6

♣ AT982

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

X XX<sup>3</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. artificial

### Board: 430

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AQ954

♥ -

♦ Q5

♣ T98652

South:

♠ T

♥ AKQ743

♦ 972

♣ AK3

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♠ Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 431**      ♠ AK8762      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ K6      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ -  
HCP: 10+3      ♣ 98764

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**Board: 432**      ♠ 86      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ Q      East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ Q8542  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ KQT64

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**Board: 433**      ♠ A85      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AQ      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ AKJ73  
HCP: 18+1      ♣ T94

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**Board: 434**      ♠ AJ4      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKT      East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ KT7  
HCP: 16      ♣ J875

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 431

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AK8762

♥ K6

♦ -

♣ 98764

South:

♠ 5

♥ AJ985

♦ AKQ

♣ AQ52

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass 3NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 432

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ 86

♥ Q

♦ Q8542

♣ KQT64

South:

♠ 43

♥ AKJ4

♦ K7

♣ AJ983

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ 1♣<sup>1</sup>

All Pass 3♣

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 433

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ A85

♥ AQ

♦ AKJ73

♣ T94

South:

♠ JT642

♥ K63

♦ -

♣ KQJ87

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 2 out of 4

### Board: 434

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ AKT

♦ KT7

♣ J875

South:

♠ KQT87

♥ 76542

♦ QJ3

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 431**

♠ 5

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ985

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKQ

HCP: 20+1

♣ AQ52

**Board: 432**

♠ 43

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJ4

East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ K7

HCP: 16+1

♣ AJ983

**Board: 433**

♠ JT642

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ -

HCP: 10+2

♣ KQJ87

**Board: 434**

♠ KQT87

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 76542

East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ QJ3

HCP: 8+2

♣ -

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 431

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AK8762

♥ K6

♦ -

♣ 98764

South:

♠ 5

♥ AJ985

♦ AKQ

♣ AQ52

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass 3NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 432

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ 86

♥ Q

♦ Q8542

♣ KQT64

South:

♠ 43

♥ AKJ4

♦ K7

♣ AJ983

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ 1♣<sup>1</sup>

All Pass 3♣

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 433

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ A85

♥ AQ

♦ AKJ73

♣ T94

South:

♠ JT642

♥ K63

♦ -

♣ KQJ87

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 2 out of 4

### Board: 434

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ AKT

♦ KT7

♣ J875

South:

♠ KQT87

♥ 76542

♦ QJ3

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 435**

♠ Q9854

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ -

West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ K3

HCP: 8+3

♣ QJ6543

**Board: 436**

♠ AK93

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ93

West (RHO) Doubles 3♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ K6

HCP: 18

♣ Q85

**Board: 437**

♠ A9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q53

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQJ3

HCP: 20

♣ AK65

**Board: 438**

♠ -

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q62

West (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AT654

HCP: 10+2

♣ KJ732

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 435

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q9854

♥ -

♦ K3

♣ QJ6543

South:

♠ AKT62

♥ A3

♦ AQ52

♣ A2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥ 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 436

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ AK93

♥ AQ93

♦ K6

♣ Q85

South:

♠ J6

♥ KJT42

♦ 3

♣ AJ764

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♦

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

Pass 5 ♠<sup>5</sup> Pass 6 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 437

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ A9

♥ Q53

♦ AQJ3

♣ AK65

South:

♠ KQJ52

♥ KJT42

♦ 6

♣ Q2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 438

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ -

♥ Q62

♦ AT654

♣ KJ732

South:

♠ AK9

♥ T

♦ KJ2

♣ AQT854

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠ X Pass 5 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 435**

♠ AKT62

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A3

West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ52

HCP: 21+1

♣ A2

**Board: 436**

♠ J6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJT42

West (LHO) Doubles 3♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 3

HCP: 10+2

♣ AJ764

**Board: 437**

♠ KQJ52

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJT42

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 6

HCP: 12+2

♣ Q2

**Board: 438**

♠ AK9

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T

West (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ2

HCP: 17+2

♣ AQT854

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 435

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q9854

♥ -

♦ K3

♣ QJ6543

South:

♠ AKT62

♥ A3

♦ AQ52

♣ A2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥ 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 436

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ AK93

♥ AQ93

♦ K6

♣ Q85

South:

♠ J6

♥ KJT42

♦ 3

♣ AJ764

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♦

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

Pass 5 ♠<sup>5</sup> Pass 6 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 437

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ A9

♥ Q53

♦ AQJ3

♣ AK65

South:

♠ KQJ52

♥ KJT42

♦ 6

♣ Q2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 438

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ -

♥ Q62

♦ AT654

♣ KJ732

South:

♠ AK9

♥ T

♦ KJ2

♣ AQT854

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠ X Pass 5 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 439**      ♠ KQJT8      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ Q      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ 72  
HCP: 15+2      ♣ AK432

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**Board: 440**      ♠ AKJ97      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 3      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ J8754  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ 85

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**Board: 441**      ♠ KJT74      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AT853      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 854  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 442**      ♠ Q      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AQ8      West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ K75  
HCP: 16+2      ♣ KQ9852

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 439

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQJT8

♥ Q

♦ 72

♣ AK432

South:

♠ 642

♥ AK32

♦ AKJ93

♣ J

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 440

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AKJ97

♥ 3

♦ J8754

♣ 85

South:

♠ 65

♥ KT72

♦ AT

♣ AKQ92

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 441

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJT74

♥ AT853

♦ 854

♣ -

South:

♠ 3

♥ K962

♦ A7

♣ AKQ952

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 442

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ AQ8

♦ K75

♣ KQ9852

South:

♠ K8

♥ T9764

♦ AQJ86

♣ T

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠ 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 439</b>	♠ 642	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ93	
HCP: 16+1	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 440</b>	♠ 65	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT72	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKQ92	

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<b>Board: 441</b>	♠ 3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K962	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A7	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AKQ952	

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<b>Board: 442</b>	♠ K8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T9764	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ86	
HCP: 10+2	♣ T	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 439

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQJT8

♥ Q

♦ 72

♣ AK432

South:

♠ 642

♥ AK32

♦ AKJ93

♣ J

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 440

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AKJ97

♥ 3

♦ J8754

♣ 85

South:

♠ 65

♥ KT72

♦ AT

♣ AKQ92

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 441

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJT74

♥ AT853

♦ 854

♣ -

South:

♠ 3

♥ K962

♦ A7

♣ AKQ952

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 442

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ AQ8

♦ K75

♣ KQ9852

South:

♠ K8

♥ T9764

♦ AQJ86

♣ T

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠ 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 443**

♠ Q

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K52

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A4

HCP: 16+3

♣ AK97652

**Board: 444**

♠ AQ96

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ KJ3

HCP: 18

♣ KQ54

**Board: 445**

♠ AK962

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ -

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 83

HCP: 11+3

♣ KJ9764

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 443

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ K52

♦ A4

♣ AK97652

South:

♠ K8542

♥ AT

♦ KJT32

♣ Q

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
Pass	4♣	Pass	4♦
Pass	5♣	Pass	6♣
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 444

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+4

Contract: 7♥ South

North:

♠ AQ96

♥ K9

♦ KJ3

♣ KQ54

South:

♠ 7

♥ AJT7643

♦ A7652

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♥	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5NT
Pass	6♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	7♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Exclusion, for !H

5. 2 out of 4

6. no !H queen

### Board: 445

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 22+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AK962

♥ -

♦ 83

♣ KJ9764

South:

♠ J

♥ AQ95

♦ AKQT9

♣ AQ8

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 443</b>	♠ K8542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJT32	
HCP: 13+2	♣ Q	

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<b>Board: 444</b>	♠ 7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJT7643	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A7652	
HCP: 9+4	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 445</b>	♠ J	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQT9	
HCP: 22+1	♣ AQ8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 443

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ K52

♦ A4

♣ AK97652

South:

♠ K8542

♥ AT

♦ KJT32

♣ Q

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
Pass	4♣	Pass	4♦
Pass	5♣	Pass	6♣
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 444

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+4

Contract: 7♥ South

North:

♠ AQ96

♥ K9

♦ KJ3

♣ KQ54

South:

♠ 7

♥ AJT7643

♦ A7652

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♥	Pass	5♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5NT
Pass	6♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	7♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Exclusion, for !H

5. 2 out of 4

6. no !H queen

### Board: 445

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 22+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AK962

♥ -

♦ 83

♣ KJ9764

South:

♠ J

♥ AQ95

♦ AKQT9

♣ AQ8

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 446**

♠ AK9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AT9864

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 43

HCP: 17+2

♣ AQ

**Board: 447**

♠ -

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ952

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 976

HCP: 10+2

♣ AQJ53

**Board: 448**

♠ 98

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKJ84

HCP: 10+2

♣ Q9652

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 446

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK9

♥ AT9864

♦ 43

♣ AQ

South:

♠ QJ754

♥ J

♦ Q2

♣ KJT62

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♥	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 447

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 7 ♥ South

North:

♠ -

♥ QJ952

♦ 976

♣ AQJ53

South:

♠ AQ9632

♥ AK87

♦ -

♣ KT8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5NT
Pass	6NT <sup>6</sup>	Pass	7 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper			
4. Exclusion, for !H			
5. 1 out of 4			
6. !H queen no !C king no !D king			

### Board: 448

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 98

♥ 5

♦ AKJ84

♣ Q9652

South:

♠ AKQJT7

♥ K86

♦ 52

♣ K7

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

<b>Board: 446</b>	♠ QJ754	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q2	
HCP: 10+2	♣ KJT62	

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<b>Board: 447</b>	♠ AQ9632	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 16+2	♣ KT8	

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<b>Board: 448</b>	♠ AKQJT7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 52	
HCP: 16+2	♣ K7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 446

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK9

♥ AT9864

♦ 43

♣ AQ

South:

♠ QJ754

♥ J

♦ Q2

♣ KJT62

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 447

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 7 ♥ South

North:

♠ -

♥ QJ952

♦ 976

♣ AQJ53

South:

♠ AQ9632

♥ AK87

♦ -

♣ KT8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♥

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

Pass 5 ♠<sup>5</sup> Pass 5NT

Pass 6NT<sup>6</sup> Pass 7 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Exclusion, for !H

5. 1 out of 4

6. !H queen no !C king no !D king

### Board: 448

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 98

♥ 5

♦ AKJ84

♣ Q9652

South:

♠ AKQJT7

♥ K86

♦ 52

♣ K7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 449</b>	♠ AKJT75	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK863	
HCP: 15+3	♣ 62	
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<b>Board: 450</b>	♠ AKT	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q5	
HCP: 16+2	♣ Q97432	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 451</b>	♠ K9	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK4	West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQT5	
HCP: 17	♣ J973	
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<b>Board: 452</b>	♠ 986	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ93	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A6	
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ3	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 449

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJT75

♥ -

♦ AK863

♣ 62

South:

♠ Q42

♥ A65

♦ QT

♣ AKJ43

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 5 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 5NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♣ Pass 6NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 7 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 1 out of 4

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

### Board: 450

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ AKT

♥ AJ

♦ Q5

♣ Q97432

South:

♠ J2

♥ Q9532

♦ KJ876

♣ K

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 451

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K9

♥ AK4

♦ AQT5

♣ J973

South:

♠ 7

♥ QJT87

♦ 92

♣ KQT54

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 452

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 986

♥ AJ93

♦ A6

♣ AKJ3

South:

♠ AQJ74

♥ 7

♦ T

♣ Q98752

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 449</b>	♠ Q42	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QT	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKJ43	

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<b>Board: 450</b>	♠ J2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q9532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ876	
HCP: 10+2	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 451</b>	♠ 7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJT87	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 92	
HCP: 8+2	♣ KQT54	

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<b>Board: 452</b>	♠ AQJ74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ T	
HCP: 9+3	♣ Q98752	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 449

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJT75

♥ -

♦ AK863

♣ 62

South:

♠ Q42

♥ A65

♦ QT

♣ AKJ43

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 5 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 5NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♣ Pass 6NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 7 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 1 out of 4

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

### Board: 450

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ AKT

♥ AJ

♦ Q5

♣ Q97432

South:

♠ J2

♥ Q9532

♦ KJ876

♣ K

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 451

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K9

♥ AK4

♦ AQT5

♣ J973

South:

♠ 7

♥ QJT87

♦ 92

♣ KQT54

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 452

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 986

♥ AJ93

♦ A6

♣ AKJ3

South:

♠ AQJ74

♥ 7

♦ T

♣ Q98752

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 453</b>	♠ 65	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQJT84	
HCP: 17+3	♣ AKT	

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<b>Board: 454</b>	♠ 54	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJT7	
HCP: 16+1	♣ T9	

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<b>Board: 455</b>	♠ Q3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ97	
HCP: 20+1	♣ AK953	

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<b>Board: 456</b>	♠ A864	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K5	
HCP: 18	♣ AQ9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 453

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ 65

♥ 8

♦ AKQJT84

♣ AKT

South:

♠ AJ742

♥ AK976

♦ 5

♣ 95

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	6 ♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 454

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ 54

♥ AKJ2

♦ AKJT7

♣ T9

South:

♠ KQ9872

♥ -

♦ 62

♣ AK763

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

### Board: 455

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q3

♥ AQ

♦ KQ97

♣ AK953

South:

♠ 4

♥ KT654

♦ AJT53

♣ 87

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial

### Board: 456

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♥ South

North:

♠ A864

♥ AJ63

♦ K5

♣ AQ9

South:

♠ 72

♥ KT842

♦ Q

♣ KJT82

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 453</b>	♠ AJ742	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK976	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 5	
HCP: 12+2	♣ 95	

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<b>Board: 454</b>	♠ KQ9872	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 62	
HCP: 12+3	♣ AK763	

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<b>Board: 455</b>	♠ 4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT654	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJT53	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 87	

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<b>Board: 456</b>	♠ 72	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT842	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q	
HCP: 9+2	♣ KJT82	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 453

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ 65

♥ 8

♦ AKQJT84

♣ AKT

South:

♠ AJ742

♥ AK976

♦ 5

♣ 95

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	6 ♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 454

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ 54

♥ AKJ2

♦ AKJT7

♣ T9

South:

♠ KQ9872

♥ -

♦ 62

♣ AK763

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

### Board: 455

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q3

♥ AQ

♦ KQ97

♣ AK953

South:

♠ 4

♥ KT654

♦ AJT53

♣ 87

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial

### Board: 456

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♥ South

North:

♠ A864

♥ AJ63

♦ K5

♣ AQ9

South:

♠ 72

♥ KT842

♦ Q

♣ KJT82

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

**Board: 457**

♠ KJ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK983

HCP: 17+1

♣ K5

**Board: 458**

♠ AK7654

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q3

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AQJ

HCP: 19+2

♣ K3

**Board: 459**

♠ K42

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT754

West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KT732

HCP: 9+2

♣ -

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 457

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KJ8

♥ K85

♦ AK983

♣ K5

South:

♠ T7653

♥ A4

♦ T

♣ AQ743

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 458

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK7654

♥ Q3

♦ AQJ

♣ K3

South:

♠ Q2

♥ J

♦ K9642

♣ Q9754

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Blackwood 0314

4. A=0/4 or 3/4

### Board: 459

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ K42

♥ KT754

♦ KT732

♣ -

South:

♠ Q76

♥ AQJ32

♦ A

♣ A865

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 2 out of 4

**Board: 457**

♠ T7653

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ T

HCP: 10+2

♣ AQ743

**Board: 458**

♠ Q2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J

East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ K9642

HCP: 8+2

♣ Q9754

**Board: 459**

♠ Q76

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQJ32

West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ A

HCP: 17+1

♣ A865

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 457

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KJ8

♥ K85

♦ AK983

♣ K5

South:

♠ T7653

♥ A4

♦ T

♣ AQ743

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 458

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK7654

♥ Q3

♦ AQJ

♣ K3

South:

♠ Q2

♥ J

♦ K9642

♣ Q9754

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Blackwood 0314

4. A=0/4 or 3/4

### Board: 459

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ K42

♥ KT754

♦ KT732

♣ -

South:

♠ Q76

♥ AQJ32

♦ A

♣ A865

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 2 out of 4

**Board: 460**

♠ K

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQJ97

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ

HCP: 17+2

♣ J7643

**Board: 461**

♠ K96432

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQJ74

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AT

HCP: 14+3

♣ -

**Board: 462**

♠ AKQJT76

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K96

East (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KT

East (LHO) Doubles 6♣ if possible.

HCP: 16+3

♣ 3

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 460

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 7♣ North

North:

♠ K

♥ AQJ97

♦ AQ

♣ J7643

South:

♠ AQT32

♥ 43

♦ K9

♣ AKQ2

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♦	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♠ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	7♣	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- Blackwood 0314, for !C
- A=0/5 or 3/5
- !C queen no !H king no !S king
- King ask by available bid
- K=1

### Board: 461

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K96432

♥ AQJ74

♦ AT

♣ -

South:

♠ A7

♥ K952

♦ K64

♣ AK74

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

### Board: 462

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AKQJT76

♥ K96

♦ KT

♣ 3

South:

♠ -

♥ JT875

♦ AQ8754

♣ JT

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♣	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	6♣ <sup>3</sup>	X	6♥
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- Exclusion, for !H
- 1 out of 4

<b>Board: 460</b>	♠ AQT32	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K9	
HCP: 18+1	♣ AKQ2	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 461</b>	♠ A7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K952	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K64	
HCP: 17	♣ AK74	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 462</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT875	East (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ8754	East (RHO) Doubles 6♣ if possible.
HCP: 8+3	♣ JT	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 460

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 7♣ North

North:

♠ K

♥ AQJ97

♦ AQ

♣ J7643

South:

♠ AQT32

♥ 43

♦ K9

♣ AKQ2

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♦	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♠ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	7♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. !C queen no !H king no !S king
5. King ask by available bid
6. K=1

### Board: 461

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K96432

♥ AQJ74

♦ AT

♣ -

South:

♠ A7

♥ K952

♦ K64

♣ AK74

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

### Board: 462

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AKQJT76

♥ K96

♦ KT

♣ 3

South:

♠ -

♥ JT875

♦ AQ8754

♣ JT

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♣	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	5♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	6♣ <sup>3</sup>	X	6♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Exclusion, for !H
3. 1 out of 4

<b>Board: 463</b>	♠ Q	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ7632	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 8	
HCP: 10+3	♣ K9852	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 464</b>	♠ AQ32	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ K65	West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 932	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ A82	West (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.
		East (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
		West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♣ if possible.
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 465</b>	♠ AK98532	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 12+4	♣ AJ543	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 466</b>	♠ A876	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ J3	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 975	West (RHO) bids 4 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 6	♣ J632	East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 463

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ AJ7632

♦ 8

♣ K9852

South:

♠ AKT76

♥ 8

♦ AT63

♣ AJ6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 464

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 3+3

Contract: 4♣X South

North:

♠ AQ32

♥ K65

♦ 932

♣ A82

South:

♠ T

♥ T8

♦ JT8

♣ QT97654

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> X 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♣

2NT Pass 3♠ 4♣

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 465

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+4

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AK98532

♥ 2

♦ -

♣ AJ543

South:

♠ QJ

♥ AQJ875

♦ AT97

♣ Q

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 466

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 6+3

Contract: 4♠X North

North:

♠ A876

♥ J3

♦ 975

♣ J632

South:

♠ KQJT542

♥ 864

♦ T2

♣ 5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♠

4♣ 4♠ X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 463</b>	♠ AKT76	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT63	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJ6	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 464</b>	♠ T	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ T8	West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ JT8	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 3+3	♣ QT97654	West (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.
		East (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
		West (LHO) Doubles 4 ♣ if possible.
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 465</b>	♠ QJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJ875	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT97	
HCP: 16+2	♣ Q	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 466</b>	♠ KQJT542	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 864	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ T2	West (LHO) bids 4 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 6+3	♣ 5	East (RHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 463

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ AJ7632

♦ 8

♣ K9852

South:

♠ AKT76

♥ 8

♦ AT63

♣ AJ6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 464

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 3+3

Contract: 4♣X South

North:

♠ AQ32

♥ K65

♦ 932

♣ A82

South:

♠ T

♥ T8

♦ JT8

♣ QT97654

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> X 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♣

2NT Pass 3♠ 4♣

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 465

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+4

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AK98532

♥ 2

♦ -

♣ AJ543

South:

♠ QJ

♥ AQJ875

♦ AT97

♣ Q

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 466

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 6+3

Contract: 4♠X North

North:

♠ A876

♥ J3

♦ 975

♣ J632

South:

♠ KQJT542

♥ 864

♦ T2

♣ 5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♠

4♣ 4♠ X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 467**

♠ 4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A94

HCP: 17+2

♣ AKQJ93

**Board: 468**

♠ 73

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K8742

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q8643

HCP: 9+2

♣ A

**Board: 469**

♠ AKQJ5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A

East (LHO) bids 4♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ K9653

HCP: 19+2

♣ Q3

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 467

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 4

♥ KT4

♦ A94

♣ AKQJ93

South:

♠ AKJ82

♥ 87

♦ QJ862

♣ T

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 468

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ 73

♥ K8742

♦ Q8643

♣ A

South:

♠ AQT5

♥ A

♦ AKJ92

♣ K86

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Crosswood 0314, for !D

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5. !D queen and !H king

### Board: 469

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ AKQJ5

♥ A

♦ K9653

♣ Q3

South:

♠ -

♥ 83

♦ AQJT74

♣ KT965

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	4 ♥	Pass

Pass	4 ♠	Pass	5 ♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 467**      ♠ AKJ82      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 87      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ QJ862  
HCP: 11+2      ♣ T

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**Board: 468**      ♠ AQT5      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AKJ92  
HCP: 21+1      ♣ K86

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**Board: 469**      ♠ -      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 83      East (RHO) bids 4♥ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AQJT74  
HCP: 10+3      ♣ KT965

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 467

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 4

♥ KT4

♦ A94

♣ AKQJ93

South:

♠ AKJ82

♥ 87

♦ QJ862

♣ T

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 468

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ 73

♥ K8742

♦ Q8643

♣ A

South:

♠ AQT5

♥ A

♦ AKJ92

♣ K86

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Crosswood 0314, for !D

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5. !D queen and !H king

### Board: 469

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ AKQJ5

♥ A

♦ K9653

♣ Q3

South:

♠ -

♥ 83

♦ AQJT74

♣ KT965

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	4 ♥	Pass

Pass	4 ♠	Pass	5 ♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 470</b>	♠ AT73	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ4	
HCP: 17	♣ QJ4	

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<b>Board: 471</b>	♠ KQJ2	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K75	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ	
HCP: 17	♣ KJ75	

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<b>Board: 472</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJT87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKJT54	
HCP: 11+3	♣ 76	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 470

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AT73

♥ KQ9

♦ AJ4

♣ QJ4

South:

♠ 9

♥ AJ863

♦ KT765

♣ A9

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
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Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

### Board: 471

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ KQJ2

♥ K75

♦ KJ

♣ KJ75

South:

♠ T3

♥ T

♦ AT743

♣ AQ432

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5♣	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Minors

### Board: 472

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ -

♥ QJT87

♦ AKJT54

♣ 76

South:

♠ KQT43

♥ AK

♦ Q98

♣ AJ8

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 470</b>	♠ 9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ863	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT765	
HCP: 12+2	♣ A9	

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<b>Board: 471</b>	♠ T3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AT743	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AQ432	

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<b>Board: 472</b>	♠ KQT43	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q98	
HCP: 19+1	♣ AJ8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 470

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AT73

♥ KQ9

♦ AJ4

♣ QJ4

South:

♠ 9

♥ AJ863

♦ KT765

♣ A9

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

### Board: 471

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ KQJ2

♥ K75

♦ KJ

♣ KJ75

South:

♠ T3

♥ T

♦ AT743

♣ AQ432

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Minors

### Board: 472

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ -

♥ QJT87

♦ AKJT54

♣ 76

South:

♠ KQT43

♥ AK

♦ Q98

♣ AJ8

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 473**

♠ A8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AT8

HCP: 18+1

♣ QJ632

**Board: 474**

♠ 2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 8

West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ J6543

East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 8+3

♣ AQJ532

West (RHO) Doubles 5♣ if possible.

**Board: 475**

♠ A

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q73

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AK8743

HCP: 16+2

♣ KT2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 473

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ A8

♥ AK5

♦ AT8

♣ QJ632

South:

♠ KQJ32

♥ Q42

♦ -

♣ AT854

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	6♣	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 474

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 17+3

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ 2

♥ 8

♦ J6543

♣ AQJ532

South:

♠ AJ753

♥ K7

♦ AKQT87

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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1♥	2♣	3♥	4♦
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
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X	6♦	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 475

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♦ South

North:

♠ A

♥ Q73

♦ AK8743

♣ KT2

South:

♠ KQ854

♥ 9

♦ 92

♣ QJ764

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
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All Pass			
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 473</b>	♠ KQJ32	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 12+2	♣ AT854	
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<b>Board: 474</b>	♠ AJ753	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K7	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQT87	East (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 17+3	♣ -	West (LHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.
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<b>Board: 475</b>	♠ KQ854	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 92	
HCP: 8+2	♣ QJ764	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 473

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ A8

♥ AK5

♦ AT8

♣ QJ632

South:

♠ KQJ32

♥ Q42

♦ -

♣ AT854

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	6♣	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 474

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 17+3

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ 2

♥ 8

♦ J6543

♣ AQJ532

South:

♠ AJ753

♥ K7

♦ AKQT87

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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1♥	2♣	3♥	4♦
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
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X	6♦	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 475

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♦ South

North:

♠ A

♥ Q73

♦ AK8743

♣ KT2

South:

♠ KQ854

♥ 9

♦ 92

♣ QJ764

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
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All Pass			
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 476</b>	♠ 3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJT92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 8	
HCP: 12+3	♣ AKT975	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 477</b>	♠ KQ985	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J9875	West (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A	
HCP: 10+2	♣ T4	
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<b>Board: 478</b>	♠ Q5432	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ754	
HCP: 10+3	♣ 7	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 479</b>	♠ 8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A8654	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ K7542	
HCP: 11+2	♣ A9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 476

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♣ South

North:

♠ 3

♥ AJT92

♦ 8

♣ AKT975

South:

♠ AK76

♥ K7

♦ A97

♣ QJ63

W N E S

Pass 2♥ Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♣ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 7♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 477

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ985

♥ J9875

♦ A

♣ T4

South:

♠ AT76

♥ AK

♦ K42

♣ K985

W N E S

2♦ 3NT All Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 478

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q5432

♥ 4

♦ AKJ754

♣ 7

South:

♠ AT

♥ AKT63

♦ Q

♣ QJT53

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥ 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 479

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 8

♥ A8654

♦ K7542

♣ A9

South:

♠ AJ74

♥ KJT

♦ AQJ6

♣ Q3

W N E S

1♠ 3♥ Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 476</b>	♠ AK76	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A97	
HCP: 17	♣ QJ63	

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<b>Board: 477</b>	♠ AT76	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK	West (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K42	
HCP: 17	♣ K985	

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<b>Board: 478</b>	♠ AT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q	
HCP: 16+2	♣ QJT53	

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<b>Board: 479</b>	♠ AJ74	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJT	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJ6	
HCP: 18	♣ Q3	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 476

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♣ South

North:

♠ 3

♥ AJT92

♦ 8

♣ AKT975

South:

♠ AK76

♥ K7

♦ A97

♣ QJ63

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♣ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 7♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 477

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ985

♥ J9875

♦ A

♣ T4

South:

♠ AT76

♥ AK

♦ K42

♣ K985

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♦ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 478

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q5432

♥ 4

♦ AKJ754

♣ 7

South:

♠ AT

♥ AKT63

♦ Q

♣ QJT53

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 479

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 8

♥ A8654

♦ K7542

♣ A9

South:

♠ AJ74

♥ KJT

♦ AQJ6

♣ Q3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 480**

♠ AQJ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A98

East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AJ9732

HCP: 18+2

♣ Q

**Board: 481**

♠ AKQJ82

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T9876

East (LHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 3

HCP: 10+3

♣ 9

**Board: 482**

♠ AJ2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AK8742

HCP: 16+2

♣ 52

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 480

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ

♥ A98

♦ AJ9732

♣ Q

South:

♠ K9753

♥ KQ754

♦ 64

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♣ 3 ♠

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

Pass 5 ♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♦

Pass 5NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 6 ♣<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6 ♦<sup>7</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

6. King ask by available bid

7. K=0

### Board: 481

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 18

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKQJ82

♥ T9876

♦ 3

♣ 9

South:

♠ 65

♥ KQ3

♦ A865

♣ AKQ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> X XX<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Cue bid, a !H stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 482

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ2

♥ A4

♦ AK8742

♣ 52

South:

♠ KQT53

♥ KJT76

♦ J

♣ 73

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 480**

♠ K9753

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ754

East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 64

HCP: 12+2

♣ A

**Board: 481**

♠ 65

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ3

East (RHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ A865

HCP: 18

♣ AKQ8

**Board: 482**

♠ KQT53

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJT76

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ J

HCP: 10+2

♣ 73

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 480

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ

♥ A98

♦ AJ9732

♣ Q

South:

♠ K9753

♥ KQ754

♦ 64

♣ A

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♣ 3 ♠

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

Pass 5 ♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♦

Pass 5NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 6 ♣<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6 ♦<sup>7</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

6. King ask by available bid

7. K=0

### Board: 481

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 18

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKQJ82

♥ T9876

♦ 3

♣ 9

South:

♠ 65

♥ KQ3

♦ A865

♣ AKQ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> X XX<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Cue bid, a !H stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 482

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ2

♥ A4

♦ AK8742

♣ 52

South:

♠ KQT53

♥ KJT76

♦ J

♣ 73

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 483**

♠ T

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 84

West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KT987

HCP: 8+2

♣ KQ732

**Board: 484**

♠ J4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKQ96

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 86432

HCP: 11+2

♣ J

**Board: 485**

♠ 32

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AT83

HCP: 16

♣ AQ64

**Board: 486**

♠ -

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 2

West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQJ98

HCP: 12+4

♣ AJ97643

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 483

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ T

♥ 84

♦ KT987

♣ KQ732

South:

♠ AQ82

♥ T

♦ AQ52

♣ AT98

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♥ 2♦ Pass 3♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 484

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J4

♥ AKQ96

♦ 86432

♣ J

South:

♠ KQT

♥ T3

♦ AKQT7

♣ KQ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ 3♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 485

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ 32

♥ AQ4

♦ AT83

♣ AQ64

South:

♠ KJT86

♥ K6

♦ 97652

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 486

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+4

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ -

♥ 2

♦ AQJ98

♣ AJ97643

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ AKT76

♦ KT

♣ Q82

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♠ 2NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣

Pass 6♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

<b>Board: 483</b>	♠ AQ82	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ52	
HCP: 16	♣ AT98	

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<b>Board: 484</b>	♠ KQT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T3	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQT7	
HCP: 19+1	♣ KQ7	

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<b>Board: 485</b>	♠ KJT86	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 97652	
HCP: 8+2	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 486</b>	♠ AQ9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT76	West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT	
HCP: 18+1	♣ Q82	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 483

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ T

♥ 84

♦ KT987

♣ KQ732

South:

♠ AQ82

♥ T

♦ AQ52

♣ AT98

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♥ 2♦ Pass 3♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 484

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J4

♥ AKQ96

♦ 86432

♣ J

South:

♠ KQT

♥ T3

♦ AKQT7

♣ KQ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ 3♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 485

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ 32

♥ AQ4

♦ AT83

♣ AQ64

South:

♠ KJT86

♥ K6

♦ 97652

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 486

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+4

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ -

♥ 2

♦ AQJ98

♣ AJ97643

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ AKT76

♦ KT

♣ Q82

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♠ 2NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣

Pass 6♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

**Board: 487**

♠ 4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KJT94

HCP: 12+2

♣ AT764

**Board: 488**

♠ KQJ3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ975

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J43

HCP: 16+1

♣ A

**Board: 489**

♠ 74

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQJ97

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ A

HCP: 11+2

♣ J7432

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 487

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ A6

♦ KJT94

♣ AT764

South:

♠ QT

♥ KT3

♦ AQ652

♣ KQ5

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

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

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 6♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 488

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ KQJ3

♥ AJ975

♦ J43

♣ A

South:

♠ A9875

♥ -

♦ KQ9

♣ JT872

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 489

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 74

♥ KQJ97

♦ A

♣ J7432

South:

♠ A85

♥ AT2

♦ KQJ43

♣ K6

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 487**

♠ QT

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ652

HCP: 16+1

♣ KQ5

**Board: 488**

♠ A9875

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ -

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KQ9

HCP: 10+2

♣ JT872

**Board: 489**

♠ A85

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AT2

West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQJ43

HCP: 17+1

♣ K6

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 487

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ A6

♦ KJT94

♣ AT764

South:

♠ QT

♥ KT3

♦ AQ652

♣ KQ5

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

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

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 6♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 488

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ KQJ3

♥ AJ975

♦ J43

♣ A

South:

♠ A9875

♥ -

♦ KQ9

♣ JT872

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 489

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 74

♥ KQJ97

♦ A

♣ J7432

South:

♠ A85

♥ AT2

♦ KQJ43

♣ K6

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 490**

♠ KQ9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A76

West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ A932

HCP: 19

♣ AQ3

**Board: 491**

♠ T3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ974

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 3

HCP: 8+2

♣ AJ632

**Board: 492**

♠ K62

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ2

East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ963

HCP: 16+1

♣ Q5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 490

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ KQ9

♥ A76

♦ A932

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ J8

♥ KT842

♦ J

♣ KT872

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
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X	3♥	Pass	3NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 491

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ T3

♥ QJ974

♦ 3

♣ AJ632

South:

♠ AK92

♥ 8653

♦ AK

♣ K75

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 492

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K62

♥ KQ2

♦ AQ963

♣ Q5

South:

♠ Q3

♥ AJT984

♦ -

♣ AJT92

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♦	3♥
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Pass	4♥	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 1 out of 4

<b>Board: 490</b>	♠ J8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT842	West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J	
HCP: 8+2	♣ KT872	

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<b>Board: 491</b>	♠ AK92	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8653	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK	
HCP: 17	♣ K75	

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<b>Board: 492</b>	♠ Q3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJT984	East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 12+3	♣ AJT92	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 490

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ KQ9

♥ A76

♦ A932

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ J8

♥ KT842

♦ J

♣ KT872

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
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X	3♥	Pass	3NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 491

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ T3

♥ QJ974

♦ 3

♣ AJ632

South:

♠ AK92

♥ 8653

♦ AK

♣ K75

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 492

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K62

♥ KQ2

♦ AQ963

♣ Q5

South:

♠ Q3

♥ AJT984

♦ -

♣ AJT92

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♦	3♥
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Pass	4♥	Pass	5♦ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 1 out of 4

<b>Board: 493</b>	♠ KJT32	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J75	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KT643	
HCP: 8+2	♣ -	
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<b>Board: 494</b>	♠ J985	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ 32	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 98742	West (RHO) Doubles 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 3+1	♣ Q2	West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♠ if possible.
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<b>Board: 495</b>	♠ 4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ JT874	
HCP: 10+3	♣ AKQ743	
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<b>Board: 496</b>	♠ J96	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ9	
HCP: 17	♣ A54	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 493

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJT32

♥ J75

♦ KT643

♣ -

South:

♠ Q75

♥ AQ2

♦ 8

♣ AKJ762

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 494

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 3+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3 ♠ X North

North:

♠ J985

♥ 32

♦ 98742

♣ Q2

South:

♠ QT7642

♥ 76

♦ AJ

♣ J63

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♠

X 3 ♠ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 495

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ 4

♥ 2

♦ JT874

♣ AKQ743

South:

♠ AT9

♥ AKQJT53

♦ K2

♣ J

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 496

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ J96

♥ A42

♦ AKJ9

♣ A54

South:

♠ AQ

♥ JT765

♦ 8

♣ KQT62

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 493</b>	♠ Q75	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 8	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AKJ762	

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<b>Board: 494</b>	♠ QT7642	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 76	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ	West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ J63	West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♠ if possible.

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<b>Board: 495</b>	♠ AT9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQJT53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K2	
HCP: 18+3	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 496</b>	♠ AQ	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT765	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 8	
HCP: 12+2	♣ KQT62	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 493

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJT32

♥ J75

♦ KT643

♣ -

South:

♠ Q75

♥ AQ2

♦ 8

♣ AKJ762

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 494

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 3+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3 ♠ X North

North:

♠ J985

♥ 32

♦ 98742

♣ Q2

South:

♠ QT7642

♥ 76

♦ AJ

♣ J63

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♠

X 3 ♠ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 495

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ 4

♥ 2

♦ JT874

♣ AKQ743

South:

♠ AT9

♥ AKQJT53

♦ K2

♣ J

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 496

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ J96

♥ A42

♦ AKJ9

♣ A54

South:

♠ AQ

♥ JT765

♦ 8

♣ KQT62

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 497**

♠ AT4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KJT62

HCP: 18+1

♣ AK63

**Board: 498**

♠ KQ4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJT9

East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ KJT

West (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

HCP: 16

♣ QJ8

**Board: 499**

♠ 4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK752

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQT74

HCP: 12+2

♣ 52

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 497

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT4

♥ K

♦ KJT62

♣ AK63

South:

♠ J

♥ JT754

♦ A8

♣ QT952

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 498

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQ4

♥ KJT9

♦ KJT

♣ QJ8

South:

♠ 87652

♥ AQ653

♦ 7

♣ K7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♦	1 ♠

2 ♦	X <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Support double redouble

### Board: 499

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ AK752

♦ KQT74

♣ 52

South:

♠ AQ92

♥ QJ4

♦ A9

♣ AJ43

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
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Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>
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Pass	6 ♣ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>8</sup>
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Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

7. King ask by available bid

8. K=0

**Board: 497**

♠ J

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ JT754

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A8

HCP: 8+2

♣ QT952

**Board: 498**

♠ 87652

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ653

East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 7

West (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

HCP: 9+2

♣ K7

**Board: 499**

♠ AQ92

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A9

HCP: 18

♣ AJ43

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 497

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT4

♥ K

♦ KJT62

♣ AK63

South:

♠ J

♥ JT754

♦ A8

♣ QT952

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>

Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 498

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQ4

♥ KJT9

♦ KJT

♣ QJ8

South:

♠ 87652

♥ AQ653

♦ 7

♣ K7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♦	1 ♠

2 ♦	X <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Support double redouble

### Board: 499

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ AK752

♦ KQT74

♣ 52

South:

♠ AQ92

♥ QJ4

♦ A9

♣ AJ43

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
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Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>
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Pass	6 ♣ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>8</sup>
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Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

7. King ask by available bid

8. K=0

**Board: 500**

♠ KQ5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ JT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ T53

HCP: 16+1

♣ AKQJ3

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 500**

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

**North:**

♠ KQ5

♥ JT

♦ T53

♣ AKQJ3

**South:**

♠ A8762

♥ KQ984

♦ K

♣ 84

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

**Board: 500**

♠ A8762

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ984

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K

HCP: 12+2

♣ 84

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 500**

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 5 ♠ North

**North:**

♠ KQ5

♥ JT

♦ T53

♣ AKQJ3

**South:**

♠ A8762

♥ KQ984

♦ K

♣ 84

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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