

North hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 1	♠ AQJ87	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ A65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 9	
HCP: 14+1	♣ KT84	

Board: 2	♠ QJ765	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 65	
HCP: 14+1	♣ AKQ4	

Board: 3	♠ AK	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ843	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J7	
HCP: 14+1	♣ 9765	

Board: 4	♠ QJ98	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ943	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A43	
HCP: 13+1	♣ K	

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Board: 1	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJ87	♠ 5				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A65	♥ KJ97	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 9	♦ AJ63	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 13	♣ KT84	♣ A763	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 2	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ765	♠ A9				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q7	♥ AT532	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 65	♦ KQT4	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13+1	♣ AKQ4	♣ 32	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 3	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK	♠ Q762				1♦
Vul: E-W	♥ AQ843	♥ 765	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14+1	♦ J7	♦ AK63	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14	♣ 9765	♣ AJ	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♥ South			Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♥
			All Pass			
						1. Fourth suit game force
						2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

Board: 4	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ98	♠ K2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ QJ943	♥ KT	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13+1	♦ A43	♦ KQ65	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ K	♣ AQ985	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						1. Fourth suit game force

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Board: 1 ♠ 5 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ KJ97 The opponents are silent.

Vul: None ♦ AJ63

HCP: 13 ♣ A763

Board: 2 ♠ A9 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ AT532 The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ KQT4

HCP: 13+1 ♣ 32

Board: 3 ♠ Q762 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ 765 The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W ♦ AK63

HCP: 14 ♣ AJ

Board: 4 ♠ K2 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ KT The opponents are silent.

Vul: None ♦ KQ65

HCP: 17+1 ♣ AQ985

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Board: 1	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJ87	♠ 5				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A65	♥ KJ97	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 9	♦ AJ63	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 13	♣ KT84	♣ A763	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 2	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ765	♠ A9				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q7	♥ AT532	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 65	♦ KQT4	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13+1	♣ AKQ4	♣ 32	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 3	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK	♠ Q762				1♦
Vul: E-W	♥ AQ843	♥ 765	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14+1	♦ J7	♦ AK63	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14	♣ 9765	♣ AJ	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♥ South			Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♥
			All Pass			
						1. Fourth suit game force
						2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

Board: 4	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ98	♠ K2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ QJ943	♥ KT	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13+1	♦ A43	♦ KQ65	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ K	♣ AQ985	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						1. Fourth suit game force

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Board: 5	♠ A763	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ873	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K9	
HCP: 14+1	♣ J4	

Board: 6	♠ AQT	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ963	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J932	
HCP: 14+1	♣ A	

Board: 7	♠ 6	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ QT4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQ92	
HCP: 14+1	♣ K987	

Board: 8	♠ AJ	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ976	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQ	
HCP: 15+1	♣ Q983	

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Board: 5	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A763	♠ K				1♦
Vul: N-S	♥ AQ873	♥ K95	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ K9	♦ JT643	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ J4	♣ AK98	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 6	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQT	♠ K953				1♣
Vul: None	♥ QJ963	♥ AK	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14+1	♦ J932	♦ 84	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 13+1	♣ A	♣ K8764	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South						All Pass
						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 7	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 6	♠ QJ743		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ QT4	♥ AJ92	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 14+1	♦ AKQ92	♦ 3	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 14+1	♣ K987	♣ AQT	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 8	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJ	♠ T986				1♦
Vul: None	♥ QJ976	♥ A5	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 15+1	♦ KQ	♦ A876	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
South HCP: 12	♣ Q983	♣ KJ6	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South						All Pass
						1. Fourth suit game force

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Board: 5 ♠ K You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ K95 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ JT643

HCP: 14+1 ♣ AK98

Board: 6 ♠ K953 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ AK The opponents are silent.

Vul: None ♦ 84

HCP: 13+1 ♣ K8764

Board: 7 ♠ QJ743 Partner bids first.

Dealer: North ♥ AJ92 The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W ♦ 3

HCP: 14+1 ♣ AQT

Board: 8 ♠ T986 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ A5 The opponents are silent.

Vul: None ♦ A876

HCP: 12 ♣ KJ6

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Board: 5	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A763	♠ K				1♦
Vul: N-S	♥ AQ873	♥ K95	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ K9	♦ JT643	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ J4	♣ AK98	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 6	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQT	♠ K953				1♣
Vul: None	♥ QJ963	♥ AK	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14+1	♦ J932	♦ 84	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 13+1	♣ A	♣ K8764	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South						All Pass
						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 7	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 6	♠ QJ743		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ QT4	♥ AJ92	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 14+1	♦ AKQ92	♦ 3	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 14+1	♣ K987	♣ AQT	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 8	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJ	♠ T986				1♦
Vul: None	♥ QJ976	♥ A5	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 15+1	♦ KQ	♦ A876	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
South HCP: 12	♣ Q983	♣ KJ6	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South						All Pass
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Board: 9 ♠ JT You bid first.

Dealer: North ♥ AKQT7 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ KQ62

HCP: 15+1 ♣ 85

Board: 10 ♠ J6 Partner bids first.

Dealer: South ♥ AK7 The opponents are silent.

Vul: None ♦ AQJ987

HCP: 15+2 ♣ 84

Board: 11 ♠ A5 Partner bids first.

Dealer: South ♥ QJT52 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ A843

HCP: 15+1 ♣ KJ

Board: 12 ♠ J You bid first.

Dealer: North ♥ AKJ72 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ QJT8

HCP: 16+1 ♣ KJ7

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Board: 9	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ JT	♠ AK9862		1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQT7	♥ 843	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣ ¹
North HCP: 15+1	♦ KQ62	♦ 8	Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 14+2	♣ 85	♣ AK9	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♥ ²
Contract: 6 ♥ North			Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
				1. Fourth suit game force		
				2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0		

Board: 10	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J6	♠ AK95				1 ♣
Vul: None	♥ AK7	♥ 8642	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 15+2	♦ AQJ987	♦ 2	Pass	2 ♠ ¹	Pass	3 ♠
South HCP: 14	♣ 84	♣ AK72	Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♦
Contract: 4 ♥ North			Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
				1. Fourth suit game force		

Board: 11	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A5	♠ KJ94				1 ♦
Vul: N-S	♥ QJT52	♥ K	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
North HCP: 15+1	♦ A843	♦ K975	Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	3 ♣
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ	♣ Q853	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North				1. Fourth suit game force		

Board: 12	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J	♠ AQT8432		1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AKJ72	♥ Q	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣ ¹
North HCP: 16+1	♦ QJT8	♦ A4	Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 14+3	♣ KJ7	♣ QT3	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South				1. Fourth suit game force		

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Board: 9	♠ AK9862	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 843	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 8	
HCP: 14+2	♣ AK9	

Board: 10	♠ AK95	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 8642	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 2	
HCP: 14	♣ AK72	

Board: 11	♠ KJ94	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K975	
HCP: 12	♣ Q853	

Board: 12	♠ AQT8432	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A4	
HCP: 14+3	♣ QT3	

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Board: 9	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ JT	♠ AK9862		1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AKQT7	♥ 843	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣ ¹
North HCP: 15+1	♦ KQ62	♦ 8	Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 14+2	♣ 85	♣ AK9	Pass	4NT	Pass	5 ♥ ²
Contract: 6 ♥ North			Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
				1. Fourth suit game force		
				2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0		

Board: 10	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J6	♠ AK95				1 ♣
Vul: None	♥ AK7	♥ 8642	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 15+2	♦ AQJ987	♦ 2	Pass	2 ♠ ¹	Pass	3 ♠
South HCP: 14	♣ 84	♣ AK72	Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♦
Contract: 4 ♥ North			Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
				1. Fourth suit game force		

Board: 11	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A5	♠ KJ94				1 ♦
Vul: N-S	♥ QJT52	♥ K	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
North HCP: 15+1	♦ A843	♦ K975	Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	3 ♣
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ	♣ Q853	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North				1. Fourth suit game force		

Board: 12	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J	♠ AQT8432		1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ AKJ72	♥ Q	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣ ¹
North HCP: 16+1	♦ QJT8	♦ A4	Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 14+3	♣ KJ7	♣ QT3	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South				1. Fourth suit game force		

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Board: 13	♠ A8	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ853	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 2	
HCP: 14+2	♣ AJT74	

Board: 14	♠ K	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ A82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJT94	
HCP: 13+1	♣ J954	

Board: 15	♠ AT964	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ Q75	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ4	
HCP: 13+1	♣ 3	

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Board: 13	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8	♠ K765				1♦
Vul: E-W	♥ AJ853	♥ -	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14+2	♦ 2	♦ AK765	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 12+1	♣ AJT74	♣ Q852	Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♣ South			Pass	5♣ ²	Pass	6♣
			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 14	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K	♠ AQT72		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ A82	♥ KQT63	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 13+1	♦ AJT94	♦ K5	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14+2	♣ J954	♣ 8	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ ²
Contract: 6♥ North			Pass	6♥	All Pass	

1. Fourth suit game force

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

Board: 15	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT964	♠ Q53				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ Q75	♥ AJT8	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13+1	♦ AQJ4	♦ K	Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 17+1	♣ 3	♣ AQJT9	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ ²
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	

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

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Board: 13 ♠ K765 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ - The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W ♦ AK765

HCP: 12+1 ♣ Q852

Board: 14 ♠ AQT72 Partner bids first.

Dealer: North ♥ KQT63 The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W ♦ K5

HCP: 14+2 ♣ 8

Board: 15 ♠ Q53 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ AJT8 The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ K

HCP: 17+1 ♣ AQJT9

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Board: 13	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A8	♠ K765				1♦
Vul: E-W	♥ AJ853	♥ -	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14+2	♦ 2	♦ AK765	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 12+1	♣ AJT74	♣ Q852	Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♣ South			Pass	5♣ ²	Pass	6♣
			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 14	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K	♠ AQT72		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ A82	♥ KQT63	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 13+1	♦ AJT94	♦ K5	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14+2	♣ J954	♣ 8	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ ²
Contract: 6♥ North			Pass	6♥	All Pass	

1. Fourth suit game force

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

Board: 15	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT964	♠ Q53				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ Q75	♥ AJT8	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13+1	♦ AQJ4	♦ K	Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 17+1	♣ 3	♣ AQJT9	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ ²
Contract: 6♠ North			Pass	6♠	All Pass	

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

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Board: 16	♠ A3	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ743	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 32	
HCP: 14+1	♣ KQT6	

Board: 17	♠ J	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ3	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK72	

Board: 18	♠ 98	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ64	
HCP: 13+2	♣ 8	

Board: 19	♠ AJ9	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQJT2	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KQ42	

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Board: 16	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A3	♠ J762				1♦
Vul: E-W	♥ KQ743	♥ A8	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 32	♦ A965	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
South HCP: 13	♣ KQT6	♣ A97	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
Contract: 3NT North			Pass	3NT	All Pass	

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Board: 17	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J	♠ AK874		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ KJT84	♥ -	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 16+1	♦ KJ3	♦ AQ42	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14+1	♣ AK72	♣ J965	Pass	4NT	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ South			All Pass			

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Board: 18	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 98	♠ Q2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AQT83	♥ K5	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13+2	♦ AQJ64	♦ K873	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ 8	♣ AKQ32	Pass	4♦	Pass	5♦
Contract: 6♦ North			Pass	6♦	All Pass	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 19	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJ9	♠ KQ83		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ 8	♥ AKJ96	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠ ¹
North HCP: 16+1	♦ KQJT2	♦ 86	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ KQ42	♣ J5	Pass	4♦	All Pass	
Contract: 4♦ North			1. Fourth suit game force			

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Board: 16	♠ J762	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ A8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A965	
HCP: 13	♣ A97	

Board: 17	♠ AK874	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ42	
HCP: 14+1	♣ J965	

Board: 18	♠ Q2	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ K5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K873	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AKQ32	

Board: 19	♠ KQ83	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 86	
HCP: 14+1	♣ J5	

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Board: 16	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A3	♠ J762				1♦
Vul: E-W	♥ KQ743	♥ A8	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 32	♦ A965	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
South HCP: 13	♣ KQT6	♣ A97	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
Contract: 3NT North			Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 17	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J	♠ AK874		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ KJT84	♥ -	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 16+1	♦ KJ3	♦ AQ42	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14+1	♣ AK72	♣ J965	Pass	4NT	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ South			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 18	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 98	♠ Q2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AQT83	♥ K5	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13+2	♦ AQJ64	♦ K873	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ 8	♣ AKQ32	Pass	4♦	Pass	5♦
Contract: 6♦ North			Pass	6♦	All Pass	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 19	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJ9	♠ KQ83		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ 8	♥ AKJ96	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠ ¹
North HCP: 16+1	♦ KQJT2	♦ 86	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ KQ42	♣ J5	Pass	4♦	All Pass	
Contract: 4♦ North			1. Fourth suit game force			

North hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 20	♠ QJ976	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ A	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT95	
HCP: 13+1	♣ K98	

Board: 21	♠ 85	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ K42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ765	
HCP: 15+2	♣ K5	

Board: 22	♠ AQJT5	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 74	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K754	
HCP: 14+1	♣ KJ	

Board: 23	♠ K654	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AK983	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A2	
HCP: 14+1	♣ 32	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 20	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ976	♠ K				1♣
Vul: N-S	♥ A	♥ QJ83	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13+1	♦ KT95	♦ AJ3	Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ K98	♣ AQT64	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♦
Contract: 6♣ North			Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
			Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ ²
			Pass	6♣	All Pass	
			1. Fourth suit game force			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1			

Board: 21	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 85	♠ A642				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ K42	♥ A987	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15+2	♦ AKQ765	♦ 2	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 13	♣ K5	♣ AJ87	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 22	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJT5	♠ 4				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 74	♥ KQJ52	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14+1	♦ K754	♦ Q863	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12+1	♣ KJ	♣ A82	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 23	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K654	♠ 9				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AK983	♥ J42	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ A2	♦ Q7654	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 12+1	♣ 32	♣ AKQ4	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. Fourth suit game force			

South hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 20 ♠ K You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ QJ83 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ AJ3

HCP: 17+1 ♣ AQT64

Board: 21 ♠ A642 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ A987 The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ 2

HCP: 13 ♣ AJ87

Board: 22 ♠ 4 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ KQJ52 The opponents are silent.

Vul: None ♦ Q863

HCP: 12+1 ♣ A82

Board: 23 ♠ 9 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ J42 The opponents are silent.

Vul: None ♦ Q7654

HCP: 12+1 ♣ AKQ4

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 20	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ976	♠ K				1♣
Vul: N-S	♥ A	♥ QJ83	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13+1	♦ KT95	♦ AJ3	Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17+1	♣ K98	♣ AQT64	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♦
Contract: 6♣ North			Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
			Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠ ²
			Pass	6♣	All Pass	
			1. Fourth suit game force			
			2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1			

Board: 21	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 85	♠ A642				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ K42	♥ A987	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15+2	♦ AKQ765	♦ 2	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 13	♣ K5	♣ AJ87	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 22	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJT5	♠ 4				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 74	♥ KQJ52	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14+1	♦ K754	♦ Q863	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12+1	♣ KJ	♣ A82	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 23	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K654	♠ 9				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AK983	♥ J42	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ A2	♦ Q7654	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 12+1	♣ 32	♣ AKQ4	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. Fourth suit game force			

North hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 24	♠ AQT7	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ A8765	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J8	
HCP: 15+1	♣ A6	

Board: 25	♠ JT6	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AT63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 2	
HCP: 12+1	♣ AKT82	

Board: 26	♠ KT6	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ T6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJT4	
HCP: 14+2	♣ J2	

Board: 27	♠ A54	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ765	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK42	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 24	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQT7	♠ K63				1 ♣
Vul: Both	♥ A8765	♥ K	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 15+1	♦ J8	♦ AK43	Pass	2 ♠ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 18+1	♣ A6	♣ KQ542	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
Contract: 6NT North				1.	Fourth suit game force	

Board: 25	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ JT6	♠ K		1♣	Pass	2♦
Vul: N-S	♥ AT63	♥ KJ8	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠ ¹
North HCP: 12+1	♦ 2	♦ AJ8753	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 15+2	♣ AKT82	♣ QJ7	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♦
Contract: 4♥ North			Pass	4♥	All Pass	
				1.	Fourth suit game force	

Board: 26	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT6	♠ Q753				1 ♣
Vul: Both	♥ T6	♥ AQ9	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AKQJT4	♦ 5	Pass	3 ♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14+1	♣ J2	♣ AQ954	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 27	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A54	♠ KJT87		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: E-W	♥ 8	♥ AKQJ92	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠ ¹
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AJ765	♦ 84	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ ²
South HCP: 14+3	♣ AK42	♣ -	All Pass			
Contract: 5♦ South			1. Fourth suit game force			
			2. A≡1/4 or 4/4			

South hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 24 ♠ K63 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ K The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ AK43

HCP: 18+1 ♣ KQ542

Board: 25 ♠ K Partner bids first.

Dealer: North ♥ KJ8 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ AJ8753

HCP: 15+2 ♣ QJ7

Board: 26 ♠ Q753 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ AQ9 The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ 5

HCP: 14+1 ♣ AQ954

Board: 27 ♠ KJT87 Partner bids first.

Dealer: North ♥ AKQJ92 The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W ♦ 84

HCP: 14+3 ♣ -

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 24	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQT7	♠ K63				1 ♣
Vul: Both	♥ A8765	♥ K	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 15+1	♦ J8	♦ AK43	Pass	2 ♠ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 18+1	♣ A6	♣ KQ542	Pass	6NT	All Pass	
Contract: 6NT North				1.	Fourth suit game force	

Board: 25	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ JT6	♠ K		1 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
Vul: N-S	♥ AT63	♥ KJ8	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠ ¹
North HCP: 12+1	♦ 2	♦ AJ8753	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♥
South HCP: 15+2	♣ AKT82	♣ QJ7	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♦
Contract: 4 ♥ North			Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 26	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT6	♠ Q753				1 ♣
Vul: Both	♥ T6	♥ AQ9	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AKQJT4	♦ 5	Pass	3 ♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14+1	♣ J2	♣ AQ954	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 27	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A54	♠ KJT87		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: E-W	♥ 8	♥ AKQJ92	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠ ¹
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AJ765	♦ 84	Pass	4NT	Pass	5♦ ²
South HCP: 14+3	♣ AK42	♣ -	All Pass			
Contract: 5♦ South			1. Fourth suit game force			
			2. A≡1/4 or 4/4			

North hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 28 ♠ 7 You bid first.

Dealer: North ♥ J86 The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ AQ986

HCP: 12+1 ♣ AJ42

Board: 29 ♠ KQ97 Partner bids first.

Dealer: South ♥ AQ765 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ 87

HCP: 14+1 ♣ K8

Board: 30 ♠ AK984 Partner bids first.

Dealer: South ♥ QJ2 The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W ♦ A976

HCP: 14+1 ♣ 9

Board: 31 ♠ KQ87 You bid first.

Dealer: North ♥ T3 The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ Q6

HCP: 16+1 ♣ AKQ98

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 28	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 7	♠ QJT32		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J86	♥ AKQ54	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 12+1	♦ AQ986	♦ K5	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 15+2	♣ AJ42	♣ 5	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 29	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ97	♠ T2			1♦	
Vul: N-S	♥ AQ765	♥ K4	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 87	♦ AJ952	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 13+1	♣ K8	♣ AJT3	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ South			All Pass	1. Fourth suit game force		

Board: 30	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK984	♠ T			1♥	
Vul: E-W	♥ QJ2	♥ AKT54	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ A976	♦ QJ5	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 15+1	♣ 9	♣ AJT5	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 31	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ87	♠ A652		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ T3	♥ A874	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ Q6	♦ AJ852	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 13+1	♣ AKQ98	♣ -	Pass	4♣	All Pass	
Contract: 4♣ North			1. Fourth suit game force			

South hands**Fourth_Suit_Forcing**

Board: 28	♠ QJT32	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ54	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K5	
HCP: 15+2	♣ 5	

Board: 29	♠ T2	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ K4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ952	
HCP: 13+1	♣ AJT3	

Board: 30	♠ T	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT54	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ QJ5	
HCP: 15+1	♣ AJT5	

Board: 31	♠ A652	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ A874	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ852	
HCP: 13+1	♣ -	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 28	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 7	♠ QJT32		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J86	♥ AKQ54	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 12+1	♦ AQ986	♦ K5	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 15+2	♣ AJ42	♣ 5	All Pass			
Contract: 4♥ South			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 29	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQ97	♠ T2			1♦	
Vul: N-S	♥ AQ765	♥ K4	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 87	♦ AJ952	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 13+1	♣ K8	♣ AJT3	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♥ South			All Pass	1. Fourth suit game force		

Board: 30	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AK984	♠ T			1♥	
Vul: E-W	♥ QJ2	♥ AKT54	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ A976	♦ QJ5	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 15+1	♣ 9	♣ AJT5	Pass	4♥	All Pass	
Contract: 4♥ North			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 31	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ87	♠ A652		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ T3	♥ A874	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ Q6	♦ AJ852	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 13+1	♣ AKQ98	♣ -	Pass	4♣	All Pass	
Contract: 4♣ North			1. Fourth suit game force			

North hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 32	♠ AQJ62	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ A4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ96	
HCP: 14+1	♣ 98	

Board: 33	♠ T6	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ843	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A4	
HCP: 14+1	♣ AQJ7	

Board: 34	♠ A43	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KT752	
HCP: 14+1	♣ AQJ5	

Board: 35	♠ AQT2	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ52	
HCP: 12	♣ T92	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 32	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJ62	♠ 3				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A4	♥ T8762	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ QJ96	♦ A85	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 13+1	♣ 98	♣ AKQ7	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 33	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ T6	♠ AKJ74		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ QJ843	♥ 6	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 14+1	♦ A4	♦ QJT73	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 14+2	♣ AQJ7	♣ K8	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 34	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A43	♠ KQT52		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ 2	♥ AK87	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 14+1	♦ KT752	♦ -	Pass	3♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 15+1	♣ AQJ5	♣ K942	Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
Contract: 6♠ South			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

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

Board: 35	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQT2	♠ 98		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q8	♥ KJ952	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ52	♦ AT	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ T92	♣ AQ53	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 32 ♠ 3 You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ T8762 The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ A85

HCP: 13+1 ♣ AKQ7

Board: 33 ♠ AKJ74 Partner bids first.

Dealer: North ♥ 6 The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W ♦ QJT73

HCP: 14+2 ♣ K8

Board: 34 ♠ KQT52 Partner bids first.

Dealer: North ♥ AK87 The opponents are silent.

Vul: None ♦ -

HCP: 15+1 ♣ K942

Board: 35 ♠ 98 Partner bids first.

Dealer: North ♥ KJ952 The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ AT

HCP: 14+1 ♣ AQ53

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 32	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJ62	♠ 3				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A4	♥ T8762	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ QJ96	♦ A85	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 13+1	♣ 98	♣ AKQ7	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 33	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ T6	♠ AKJ74		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ QJ843	♥ 6	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 14+1	♦ A4	♦ QJT73	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 14+2	♣ AQJ7	♣ K8	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 34	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A43	♠ KQT52		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ 2	♥ AK87	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 14+1	♦ KT752	♦ -	Pass	3♠	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 15+1	♣ AQJ5	♣ K942	Pass	5♥ ²	Pass	6♠
Contract: 6♠ South			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

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

Board: 35	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQT2	♠ 98		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q8	♥ KJ952	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ52	♦ AT	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ T92	♣ AQ53	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 36	♠ K9864	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AK93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 7	
HCP: 14+1	♣ A43	

Board: 37	♠ 9	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ KT762	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ5	
HCP: 12+1	♣ A832	

Board: 38	♠ AK	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ T7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A653	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQ942	

Board: 39	♠ AK74	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ A6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q84	
HCP: 13	♣ 8743	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 36	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K9864	♠ Q				1♦
Vul: N-S	♥ AK93	♥ J74	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 7	♦ KT643	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 12+1	♣ A43	♣ KQJ7	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 37	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 9	♠ AK762		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ KT762	♥ A5	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 12+1	♦ KQ5	♦ 87	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 14+1	♣ A832	♣ QJT6				
Contract: 3NT North			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 38	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK	♠ QJT642		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ T7	♥ AQ853	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 17+1	♦ A653	♦ KQ	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14+3	♣ AQ942	♣ -	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT
Contract: 7♠ South			Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	7♠
			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 39	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK74	♠ T85		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A6	♥ KQT54	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ Q84	♦ AJ53	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ 8743	♣ A	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. Fourth suit game force			

South hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 36 ♠ Q You bid first.

Dealer: South ♥ J74 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ KT643

HCP: 12+1 ♣ KQJ7

Board: 37 ♠ AK762 Partner bids first.

Dealer: North ♥ A5 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ 87

HCP: 14+1 ♣ QJT6

Board: 38 ♠ QJT642 Partner bids first.

Dealer: North ♥ AQ853 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ KQ

HCP: 14+3 ♣ -

Board: 39 ♠ T85 Partner bids first.

Dealer: North ♥ KQT54 The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ AJ53

HCP: 14+1 ♣ A

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 36	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K9864	♠ Q				1♦
Vul: N-S	♥ AK93	♥ J74	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 7	♦ KT643	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 12+1	♣ A43	♣ KQJ7	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 37	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 9	♠ AK762		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ KT762	♥ A5	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 12+1	♦ KQ5	♦ 87	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 14+1	♣ A832	♣ QJT6				
Contract: 3NT North			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 38	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK	♠ QJT642		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ T7	♥ AQ853	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 17+1	♦ A653	♦ KQ	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14+3	♣ AQ942	♣ -	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT
Contract: 7♠ South			Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	7♠
			All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 39	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK74	♠ T85		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A6	♥ KQT54	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ Q84	♦ AJ53	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ 8743	♣ A	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North			1. Fourth suit game force			

North hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 40	♠ KJ62	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A974	
HCP: 14	♣ 97	

Board: 41	♠ AKJ64	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ T6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J7	
HCP: 14+1	♣ AJ64	

Board: 42	♠ AKQ92	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ 82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J6	
HCP: 14+1	♣ KJ62	

Board: 43	♠ AK92	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A87	
HCP: 14+1	♣ K8753	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 40	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KJ62	♠ QT9		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: N-S	♥ AQT	♥ K8542	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ A974	♦ 3	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 14+1	♣ 97	♣ AKQ3	Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ South			All Pass			
				1. Fourth suit game force		
				2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1		

Board: 41	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJ64	♠ 5			1♦	
Vul: Both	♥ T6	♥ A853	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ J7	♦ KQ85	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ64	♣ K853	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North				1. Fourth suit game force		

Board: 42	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKQ92	♠ 5			1♥	
Vul: E-W	♥ 82	♥ AKT43	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ J6	♦ AK8	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KJ62	♣ Q874	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♣ North			Pass	6♣	All Pass	
				1. Fourth suit game force		

Board: 43	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK92	♠ T8		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 7	♥ AK852	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 14+1	♦ A87	♦ KQJT	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ K8753	♣ J2	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North				1. Fourth suit game force		

South hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 40	♠ QT9	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ K8542	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 3	
HCP: 14+1	♣ AKQ3	

Board: 41	♠ 5	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ A853	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ85	
HCP: 12	♣ K853	

Board: 42	♠ 5	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK8	
HCP: 16+1	♣ Q874	

Board: 43	♠ T8	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AK852	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJT	
HCP: 14+1	♣ J2	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 40	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KJ62	♠ QT9		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: N-S	♥ AQT	♥ K8542	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ A974	♦ 3	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT
South HCP: 14+1	♣ 97	♣ AKQ3	Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ South			All Pass			
				1. Fourth suit game force		
				2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1		

Board: 41	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJ64	♠ 5			1♦	
Vul: Both	♥ T6	♥ A853	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ J7	♦ KQ85	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ64	♣ K853	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North				1. Fourth suit game force		

Board: 42	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKQ92	♠ 5			1♥	
Vul: E-W	♥ 82	♥ AKT43	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+1	♦ J6	♦ AK8	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KJ62	♣ Q874	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♣ North			Pass	6♣	All Pass	
				1. Fourth suit game force		

Board: 43	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AK92	♠ T8		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 7	♥ AK852	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 14+1	♦ A87	♦ KQJT	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ K8753	♣ J2	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
Contract: 3NT North				1. Fourth suit game force		

North hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 44	♠ J874	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AK	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQT75	
HCP: 13+1	♣ 94	

Board: 45	♠ A5	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ QT53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJ95	
HCP: 18+1	♣ A3	

Board: 46	♠ A2	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J7532	
HCP: 14+2	♣ T	

Board: 47	♠ AKQJT52	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ2	
HCP: 14+3	♣ 976	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 44	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J874	♠ A2		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ AK	♥ 98754	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 13+1	♦ KQT75	♦ AJ43	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14+1	♣ 94	♣ AJ	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 45	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A5	♠ KQT43		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ QT53	♥ KJ64	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
North HCP: 18+1	♦ AKJ95	♦ 6	Pass	3NT	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ A3	♣ KQ7	All Pass			
Contract: 6♥ South						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 46	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A2	♠ KQ93				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AKQT3	♥ 2	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14+2	♦ J7532	♦ A86	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 16+1	♣ T	♣ AK742	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 5♣ North			Pass	5♣ ²	All Pass	
						1. Fourth suit game force
						2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 47	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKQJT52	♠ 96				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ -	♥ AKQ76	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+3	♦ KJ2	♦ A6	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 976	♣ K854	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♠ South			Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♠
			All Pass			
						1. Fourth suit game force
						2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

South hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 44	♠ A2	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 98754	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ43	
HCP: 14+1	♣ AJ	

Board: 45	♠ KQT43	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 6	
HCP: 14+1	♣ KQ7	

Board: 46	♠ KQ93	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A86	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK742	

Board: 47	♠ 96	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A6	
HCP: 16+1	♣ K854	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 44	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J874	♠ A2		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ AK	♥ 98754	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 13+1	♦ KQT75	♦ AJ43	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14+1	♣ 94	♣ AJ	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 45	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A5	♠ KQT43		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: N-S	♥ QT53	♥ KJ64	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
North HCP: 18+1	♦ AKJ95	♦ 6	Pass	3NT	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 14+1	♣ A3	♣ KQ7	All Pass			
Contract: 6♥ South						1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 46	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A2	♠ KQ93				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AKQT3	♥ 2	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14+2	♦ J7532	♦ A86	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 16+1	♣ T	♣ AK742	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT
Contract: 5♣ North			Pass	5♣ ²	All Pass	
						1. Fourth suit game force
						2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 47	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKQJT52	♠ 96				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ -	♥ AKQ76	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14+3	♦ KJ2	♦ A6	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 976	♣ K854	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT
Contract: 6♠ South			Pass	5♠ ²	Pass	6♠
			All Pass			
						1. Fourth suit game force
						2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

North hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 48 ♠ AQ74 You bid first.

Dealer: North ♥ - The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ KQ752

HCP: 14+1 ♣ KT97

Board: 49 ♠ KT742 Partner bids first.

Dealer: South ♥ AK9532 The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ J

HCP: 15+3 ♣ A

Board: 50 ♠ AJ96 Partner bids first.

Dealer: South ♥ KQT72 The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ J

HCP: 15+1 ♣ AT2

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 48

Dealer: North

North:

♠ AQ74

South:

♠ JT9

W
N
E
S

1♦ Pass 1♥

Vul: N-S

♥ -

♥ AKQ54

Pass

1♠

 Pass 2♣¹

North HCP: 14+1

♦ KQ752

♦ AT84

Pass

3♣

Pass 3NT

South HCP: 14+1

♣ KT97

♣ 8

All Pass

Contract: 3NT South

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 49

Dealer: South

North:

♠ KT742

South:

♠ Q9

W
N
E
S

1♦

Vul: Both

♥ AK9532

♥ J7

Pass

1♥

Pass 2♣

North HCP: 15+3

♦ J

♦ AK964

Pass

 2♠¹

Pass 3♦

South HCP: 13+1

♣ A

♣ KT53

Pass

4♠

All Pass

Contract: 4♠ North

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 50

Dealer: South

North:

♠ AJ96

South:

♠ T872

W
N
E
S

1♦

Vul: N-S

♥ KQT72

♥ 8

Pass

1♥

Pass 1♠

North HCP: 15+1

♦ J

♦ AKQ95

Pass

 2♣¹

Pass 2♦

South HCP: 12+1

♣ AT2

♣ K86

Pass

4♠

All Pass

Contract: 4♠ North

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands

Fourth_Suit_Forcing

Board: 48	♠ JT9	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ54	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT84	
HCP: 14+1	♣ 8	

Board: 49	♠ Q9	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ J7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK964	
HCP: 13+1	♣ KT53	

Board: 50	♠ T872	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ95	
HCP: 12+1	♣ K86	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 48

Dealer: North

North:

♠ AQ74

South:

♠ JT9

W
N
E
S

1♦ Pass 1♥

Vul: N-S

♥ -

♥ AKQ54

Pass

1♠

 Pass 2♣¹

North HCP: 14+1

♦ KQ752

♦ AT84

Pass

3♣

Pass 3NT

South HCP: 14+1

♣ KT97

♣ 8

All Pass

Contract: 3NT South

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 49

Dealer: South

North:

♠ KT742

South:

♠ Q9

W
N
E
S

1♦

Vul: Both

♥ AK9532

♥ J7

Pass

1♥

Pass 2♣

North HCP: 15+3

♦ J

♦ AK964

Pass

 2♠¹

Pass 3♦

South HCP: 13+1

♣ A

♣ KT53

Pass

4♠

All Pass

Contract: 4♠ North

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 50

Dealer: South

North:

♠ AJ96

South:

♠ T872

W
N
E
S

1♦

Vul: N-S

♥ KQT72

♥ 8

Pass

1♥

Pass 1♠

North HCP: 15+1

♦ J

♦ AKQ95

Pass

 2♣¹

Pass 2♦

South HCP: 12+1

♣ AT2

♣ K86

Pass

4♠

All Pass

Contract: 4♠ North

1. Fourth suit game force