

**Board 1**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 9 6  
♥ 8 6 5  
♦ Q J 9 3  
♣ Q 5 3

♠ 8 4 2

♥ 9 4 2

♦ K T 8

♣ A 9 7 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 7 3

♥ A J

♦ A 4 2

♣ K J 8 6

♠ Q T 5

♥ K Q T 7 3

♦ 7 6 5

♣ T 2

Shape 3334 3532 4234 3343

HCP 7 7 17 9

Losers 10 8 7 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

**Board 2**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 6  
♥ K 8 7 6 2  
♦ A T 5 2  
♣ T 3

♠ K J T 8

♥ Q 9 4 3

♦ 9 8

♣ 9 7 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 2

♥ T

♦ K Q J 7 6 4 3

♣ 8 4

♠ Q 5 4 3

♥ A J 5

♦ -

♣ A K Q J 5 2

Shape 4423 3172 4306 2542

HCP 6 10 17 7

Losers 9 6 4 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>Pass 1 ♦<sup>2</sup> 3 ♦ 4 ♣

5 ♦ Pass Pass Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♦ X by East

Board 3

South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

♠ K T 4  
♥ Q J 7 6  
♦ 4  
♣ 9 6 4 3 2



♠ A J 6  
♥ T 9 3  
♦ Q J 5  
♣ T 8 7 5

♠ 8 5  
♥ K 2  
♦ A T 7 6 2  
♣ A K Q J

Shape 3415 3334 2254 5440  
HCP 6 8 17 9  
Losers 8 10 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	Dbl	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

2NT by North

**Board 4**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K Q T 7 4 2

♥ Q 5

♦ 8 7 5

♣ 6

♠ J 9 5

♥ 9 4 3

♦ 3 2

♣ A T 8 7 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ 6 3

♥ K 8 6 2

♦ K Q 4

♣ 9 5 4 3

♠ 8

♥ A J T 7

♦ A J T 9 6

♣ K Q J

Shape 3325 2434 1453 7231

HCP 5 8 16 11

Losers 10 8 6 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

4 ♠

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ X by West

**Board 5**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ 9 8 3

♥ 5 3

♦ Q 8 2

♣ A T 8 7 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 5 4

♥ K 9 2

♦ 9 5

♣ K Q 6 3

♠ A K

♥ A J 7 6 4

♦ A T 7

♣ J 4 2

Shape 3235 4324 2533 4351

HCP 6 9 17 8

Losers 9 8 7 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♦

2 ♣

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♣ by South

Board 6

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ 6  
♥ K 9 8 6 5  
♦ K 9 2  
♣ T 9 4 2

♠ Q J T 9 5 4 2  
♥ 7  
♦ Q T 7 5  
♣ 8



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

♠ K 8 3  
♥ A 4 3  
♦ A J 8  
♣ A Q J 3

Shape 7141 2434 3334 1534  
HCP 5 10 19 6  
Losers 6 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass      4 ♠  
All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

Board 7

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ K 7  
♥ 7 6 2  
♦ K 4 2  
♣ A K T 4 2

♠ Q T 8 6 5 2  
♥ A T 3  
♦ T 9  
♣ 9 5



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

♠ A 3  
♥ K Q J  
♦ A Q J 8 5  
♣ Q J 7

Shape 6322 3433 2353 2335  
HCP 6 1 20 13  
Losers 8 12 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass            3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♠ by North

Board 8  
South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q T 3  
♥ A J T 6  
♦ J T 7  
♣ Q T 4

♠ K 9 7 6 5 4 2

♥ Q

♦ 2

♣ 9 7 6 5

♠ -

♥ K 9 8 5 3 2

♦ K Q 8 3

♣ J 8 3

♠ A J 8

♥ 7 4

♦ A 9 6 5 4

♣ A K 2

N

W E

S

Shape 7114 0643 3253 3433  
HCP 5 9 16 10  
Losers 7 6 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass            4 ♠  
All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

Board 9

South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

♠ A J 8 7 5 2

♥ 5 4

♦ T 8 6 4

♣ T

N

W E

S

♠ K Q 6 3

♥ T 9 7

♦ 3 2

♣ J 8 5 4

♠ T

♥ Q J 8 2

♦ A K Q 9 5

♣ A 9 6

Shape 6241 4324 1453 2425  
HCP 5 6 16 13  
Losers 8 9 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass      3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♠ by North

Board 10

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ A J 7 6 5 3  
♥ Q T 8 7  
♦ 3  
♣ 7 6

♠ T 8 4  
♥ 9 5 4 3  
♦ J 8 2  
♣ A Q 9



♠ K Q 2  
♥ J 6 2  
♦ 9 6  
♣ K T 8 5 2

♠ 9  
♥ A K  
♦ A K Q T 7 5 4  
♣ J 4 3

Shape 3433 3325 1273 6412  
HCP 7 9 17 7  
Losers 10 8 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Dbl	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♦		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
5 ♦ by South			

**Board 11**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 3  
♥ Q T 6  
♦ K Q 9 5 3  
♣ 8 5 2

♠ J T 7 2

♥ J 8

♦ A J 7 6 4 2

♣ 9



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

♠ A K Q 4

♥ A K 9 7 2

♦ T

♣ J 4 3

Shape 4261 3316 4513 2353

HCP 7 9 17 7

Losers 8 7 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

**Board 12**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 9 6 5

♥ 7

♦ K 7 6 5

♣ 7 6 5

♠ 3

♥ Q J 9 8 6 5

♦ 4 3 2

♣ K J 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 2

♥ K T 3

♦ A J

♣ Q T 9 4 3 2

♠ A K 8 7 4

♥ A 4 2

♦ Q T 9 8

♣ A

Shape 1633 2326 5341 5143

HCP 7 10 17 6

Losers 8 7 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

3♥

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4♥ by North

Board 13

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ Q 4  
♥ 9 8 7 5  
♦ Q J 7  
♣ Q 9 5 2

♠ A 6 3  
♥ J 6 4 3 2  
♦ T 3  
♣ 8 4 3



♠ J 9 8 7 5 2  
♥ K Q  
♦ 6 5 2  
♣ T 7

♠ K T  
♥ A T  
♦ A K 9 8 4  
♣ A K J 6

Shape 3523 6232 2254 2434  
HCP 5 6 22 7  
Losers 10 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3NT by South			

Board 14

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ A Q 7  
♥ J 9 2  
♦ 7 6 4  
♣ Q T 4 3

♠ T 9 8 3  
♥ A Q  
♦ J T 5 2  
♣ 9 8 6



♠ J 6 5 4 2  
♥ T 8 6 5 3  
♦ 8  
♣ K 2

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

Shape 4243 5512 1354 3334  
HCP 7 4 20 9  
Losers 10 8 5 9

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

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial
- 3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 15**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ 9 2  
 ♥ Q T 5 4  
 ♦ A 9 8  
 ♣ A 9 7 4

♠ J 5  
 ♥ K J 7 6 3  
 ♦ Q 5 4 3  
 ♣ 6 3



♠ Q T 8 7  
 ♥ 9 8 2  
 ♦ K 7 2  
 ♣ Q T 8

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

Shape 2542 4333 5134 2434  
 HCP 7 7 16 10  
 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

2NT by South

Board 16

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ J T 6 2  
♥ K T 4  
♦ A T 9 4 3  
♣ 8

♠ K Q 7 5  
♥ 9 8 2  
♦ -  
♣ J T 5 4 3 2

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

N  
W     E  
S

♠ A  
♥ A J 7 6  
♦ K Q 6 5 2  
♣ K Q 7

Shape 4306 4333 1453 4351  
HCP 6 7 19 8  
Losers 7 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			3NT
1. 16+ HCP			

3NT by South

**Board 17**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 4  
♥ J 5 4  
♦ A 8 5 4  
♣ T 8 2

♠ K 6

♥ T 8 6 3

♦ J T

♣ Q 9 7 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q 5 3

♥ 9 7 2

♦ Q 9 6 2

♣ 5 4

♠ 9 8 7 2

♥ A K Q

♦ K 7 3

♣ A K J

Shape 2425 4342 4333 3343

HCP 6 8 20 6

Losers 8 8 6 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 18**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 6  
♥ A T 4 2  
♦ 8 3 2  
♣ 8 7 2

♠ 8 5

♥ J 9 7 6

♦ K J T

♣ J T 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 7 4 2

♥ K 8 5

♦ A Q 9 7 6

♣ 3

♠ A K Q 3

♥ Q 3

♦ 5 4

♣ A K Q 9 4

Shape 2434 4351 4225 3433

HCP 6 10 20 4

Losers 10 7 4 11

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 19**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 4 3  
♥ A 9 3  
♦ T 5 3 2  
♣ 8 7 3

♠ Q 9 2

♥ 8 4 2

♦ A 9 8

♣ T 9 5 4



♠ A K T 6 5

♥ Q T 7 5

♦ Q 7 4

♣ K

♠ J 8

♥ K J 6

♦ K J 6

♣ A Q J 6 2

Shape 3334 5431 2335 3343

HCP 6 14 16 4

Losers 10 6 7 11

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♣

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by North

**Board 20**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 5  
♥ 9 7 6  
♦ T 8 6  
♣ J 8 7 5 4

♠ 8 6 4 2

♥ T 5 3

♦ Q 4

♣ K T 9 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9

♥ Q J 2

♦ A K J 7 5 3

♣ Q 3 2

♠ K Q J T 7 3

♥ A K 8 4

♦ 9 2

♣ A

Shape 4324 1363 6421 2335

HCP 5 13 17 5

Losers 10 6 4 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♦

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 21

South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

♠ T 4  
♥ 8 3  
♦ J T  
♣ K J T 9 8 6 3

N  
W     E  
   S

♠ K J 9 6  
♥ Q T 9 4 2  
♦ K 7 4  
♣ 2

♠ Q 2  
♥ A J 7  
♦ A Q 9 5  
♣ A 7 5 4

Shape 2227 4531 2344 5341  
HCP 5 9 17 9  
Losers 8 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	2 ♣	2 ♠	3 ♣
Pass	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	4 ♣		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♣ by South			

**Board 22**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 6 5 3 2

♥ 8 6

♦ J T 6

♣ K 8 6

♠ Q 9 8 7

♥ J 9 4

♦ K 9 7 4 2

♣ 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A

♥ K T 5 3

♦ A Q 8 3

♣ J T 7 3

♠ K J 4

♥ A Q 7 2

♦ 5

♣ A Q 9 5 2

Shape 4351 1444 3415 5233

HCP 6 14 16 4

Losers 8 6 5 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♦ by North

**Board 23**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q T 5 4  
♥ T 3  
♦ 6 3  
♣ K Q T 6 5

♠ 3

♥ 6 4

♦ A J T 8 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3

N  
W E  
S

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

♠ A K J

♥ K J 8 2

♦ K Q 2

♣ A 7 4

Shape 1273 5512 3433 4225

HCP 5 7 21 7

Losers 8 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4 ♦	Pass	5 ♦
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

5 ♦ by North

**Board 24**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ 6  
♥ Q 8 6  
♦ K T 9 5  
♣ Q 9 8 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A J T 8 7  
♥ J 9 4 2  
♦ 6 4  
♣ J 7

♠ Q 9 3 2  
♥ A K T 5  
♦ A 7  
♣ A K 2

Shape 1345 5422 4423 3253

HCP 7 7 20 6

Losers 7 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

Pass	1♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			2NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

**Board 25**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ -  
♥ A 8 5 3 2  
♦ Q 8 7 6 3  
♣ T 8 4

♠ J 8 6 5 3

♥ J T 9

♦ 2

♣ K J 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q T

♥ K 6 4

♦ A K 9

♣ Q 9 7 5

♠ A 9 7 4 2

♥ Q 7

♦ J T 5 4

♣ A 6

Shape 5314 5242 3334 0553

HCP 6 11 17 6

Losers 9 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

1NT by North

Board 26

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ T 9 4  
♥ Q T 8 3 2  
♦ K 9  
♣ K Q 3

♠ J 8 6 2  
♥ 6  
♦ A J 8 6 5  
♣ 5 4 2

N  
W     E  
S

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

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

Shape 4153 1426 5341 3523  
HCP 6 8 16 10  
Losers 9 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	Dbl	2 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			4 ♠
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by South			

Board 27

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ 6 3  
♥ A T 9 8 5 4  
♦ Q 8 3  
♣ J 4

♠ 4 2  
♥ K 7 3 2  
♦ K 9 7 6  
♣ T 7 6



♠ Q J T  
♥ Q 6  
♦ A 5  
♣ A K Q 9 5 3

Shape 2443 6142 3226 2632  
HCP 6 9 18 7  
Losers 9 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♥	Pass	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3NT by North

**Board 28**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9 7 4 3

♥ J T 3

♦ 8 4

♣ J T 8

♠ J 8 2

♥ 6 4

♦ 9 7

♣ A Q 9 7 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q T 6

♥ A 8 5 2

♦ K T 3

♣ K 5 2

♠ A 5

♥ K Q 9 7

♦ A Q J 6 5 2

♣ 4

Shape 3226 3433 2461 5323

HCP 7 12 16 5

Losers 8 8 4 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 29**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J  
♥ K 9 6 4  
♦ 9 8  
♣ Q J 9 6 2

♠ T 8 4 3

♥ Q J 3 2

♦ T 7 6

♣ K 4



♠ A 6 5

♥ 8 7

♦ Q J 5 4 3 2

♣ T 7

♠ K 9 7 2

♥ A T 5

♦ A K

♣ A 8 5 3

Shape 4432 3262 4324 2425

HCP 6 7 18 9

Losers 9 8 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4 ♠ by South

**Board 30**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7  
♥ Q 7 4  
♦ T 7 6 2  
♣ K Q 8 7 4

♠ K 9 4 3

♥ J 6

♦ Q 9 8 3

♣ 9 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J T 2

♥ K T 9 8 5

♦ K 4

♣ J 5

♠ A 8 6 5

♥ A 3 2

♦ A J 5

♣ A T 6

Shape 4243 4522 4333 1345

HCP 6 10 17 7

Losers 9 7 8 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

Dbl

Pass

1 ♠

2 ♥

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

**Board 31**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 7

♥ Q 7 5

♦ K J T 7 4

♣ 5 4

♠ J 8 5 3 2

♥ K 6

♦ Q 9 5

♣ 8 7 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K Q 4

♥ J T 9 4 3

♦ 3 2

♣ 6 3

♠ 6

♥ A 8 2

♦ A 8 6

♣ A K Q J T 9

Shape 5233 4522 1336 3352

HCP 6 10 18 6

Losers 9 7 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

2 ♣

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♣ by South

**Board 32**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 4 3

♥ Q

♦ T 7 4

♣ K Q 4 3 2

♠ K Q 7 2

♥ J 9 4

♦ J 9 5 2

♣ 8 7



♠ T 8 6 5

♥ T 6 2

♦ A

♣ J T 9 6 5

♠ J

♥ A K 8 7 5 3

♦ K Q 8 6 3

♣ A

Shape 4342 4315 1651 4135

HCP 7 5 17 11

Losers 9 9 3 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 33**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 8 4

♥ 8 3

♦ K 8

♣ J T 8 6 4 2

♠ Q 7 5

♥ T 5 4

♦ A 9 3

♣ 9 7 5 3



♠ K 3

♥ J 9 7 6

♦ Q J T 7 6 2

♣ K

♠ A J 9 6 2

♥ A K Q 2

♦ 5 4

♣ A Q

Shape 3334 2461 5422 3226

HCP 6 10 20 4

Losers 10 7 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3NT

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 34**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 7 2

♥ J T 8 3

♦ T 2

♣ Q T 2

♠ 5 4 3

♥ K Q 9 6 5

♦ 9 5 4

♣ 6 5



♠ T

♥ A 7 4 2

♦ A Q J 8 6

♣ J 9 8

♠ A K 9 8 6

♥ -

♦ K 7 3

♣ A K 7 4 3

Shape 3532 1453 5035 4423

HCP 5 12 17 6

Losers 9 7 4 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♦

2 ♠

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 35

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T  
♥ A T 8 7 5 4 2  
♦ 9 3  
♣ J 9 3

♠ 6 5 2  
♥ J 3  
♦ Q 6 2  
♣ A T 6 5 2

N  
W     E  
S

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

♠ A K Q 9 4  
♥ Q  
♦ K J T 5 4  
♣ Q 7

Shape 3235 4333 5152 1723  
HCP 7 11 17 5  
Losers 9 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♥	Pass	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by South			

**Board 36**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 6 5

♥ T 9

♦ K 8 5

♣ Q J 6 4

♠ 7

♥ K J 7 2

♦ Q J T 9 4 2

♣ 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 4 3

♥ 6 5 4

♦ 6

♣ T 8 7 5

♠ K 8 2

♥ A Q 8 3

♦ A 7 3

♣ A K 9

Shape 1462 5314 3433 4234

HCP 7 6 20 7

Losers 7 8 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

6 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

6 ♦ by North

Board 37  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ Q 5  
♥ K 8 7 3  
♦ T 4 2  
♣ A K 8 3

♠ T 2  
♥ J 2  
♦ K Q 7 6  
♣ J 9 7 6 2

N  
W     E  
S

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

♠ A 9 8 7  
♥ A Q T 9  
♦ A J 5  
♣ Q T

Shape 2245 5332 4432 2434  
HCP 7 4 17 12  
Losers 8 10 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

1NT by South

**Board 38**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ J 5

♥ 6 5 4

♦ Q J 8 2

♣ Q J 3 2

W N E S

♠ A T 4

♥ A J T 8 3

♦ 5

♣ A K 8 5

Shape 2344 5332 3514 3253

HCP 7 5 16 12

Losers 9 9 6 8

♠ Q 9 8 6 2

♥ K 9 7

♦ T 9 7

♣ T 4

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♦

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

Pass

2NT

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Dbl

2NT by North

**Board 39**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 7 5 4  
♥ A 5  
♦ T 8 7 6 3  
♣ 7 2

♠ K 9

♥ K 9 7 3

♦ 5 4 2

♣ 9 8 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 6 3  
♥ Q T 8 6 4  
♦ K J  
♣ A 6

♠ A 8 2

♥ J 2

♦ A Q 9

♣ K Q J T 5

Shape 2434 4522 3235 4252

HCP 6 13 17 4

Losers 9 6 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

1♥

1♣<sup>1</sup>  
2♣

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by North

Board 40

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ T 6 4  
♥ J T  
♦ A K Q 7 5  
♣ A 6 2

♠ J 8 7 5 3 2  
♥ 2  
♦ -  
♣ K Q 7 5 4 3

N  
W     E  
S

♠ 9  
♥ K 8 6 4 3  
♦ T 9 4 2  
♣ J 9 8

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

Shape 6106 1543 3541 3253  
HCP 6 4 16 14  
Losers 5 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	1 ♠	4 ♦	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠		Pass
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by North			

**Board 41**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9  
♥ T 8 2  
♦ T 9 7 5 2  
♣ Q J 4 2

♠ K 5 4 2

♥ K 6 4

♦ 4 3

♣ T 9 8 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 8 7

♥ J 9 5

♦ J 8 6

♣ A 7 5

♠ A T 6 3

♥ A Q 7 3

♦ A K Q

♣ K 3

Shape 4324 4333 4432 1354

HCP 6 9 22 3

Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4 ♠ by South

**Board 42**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 9 5

♥ K 8 7 5

♦ K 4

♣ 7 5 4

♠ A T 4 3

♥ J 4 3 2

♦ J T 6 5

♣ T



♠ 8 7 6

♥ 9 6

♦ A 9 8

♣ Q J 9 3 2

♠ Q 2

♥ A Q T

♦ Q 7 3 2

♣ A K 8 6

Shape 4441 3235 2344 4423

HCP 6 7 17 10

Losers 9 9 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2NT by South

Board 43

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ J T 7  
♥ 7 4  
♦ K 9 7 5 2  
♣ K Q 4

♠ 8 6 4  
♥ K Q T 9 3  
♦ T 6 3  
♣ 7 6



♠ 9 3 2  
♥ A 8 5  
♦ A J  
♣ J 8 5 3 2

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

Shape 3532 3325 4333 3253  
HCP 5 10 16 9  
Losers 9 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1 ♦  
All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP

Pass                  1NT

1NT by East

Board 44

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ K J T 7 6 3  
♥ 6 5  
♦ J 7  
♣ Q 7 4

♠ -  
♥ Q 9 8  
♦ A 9 6 5 4  
♣ J 9 8 6 5



♠ Q 5 4  
♥ A T 7 4  
♦ T 8 3  
♣ K 3 2

♠ A 9 8 2  
♥ K J 3 2  
♦ K Q 2  
♣ A T

Shape 0355 3433 4432 6223  
HCP 7 9 17 7  
Losers 7 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠	
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
3 ♠ by West			

**Board 45**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 4

♥ K J T 6 4

♦ Q T 7

♣ T 4 2

♠ K J 6 5 2

♥ -

♦ 8 6 5 4 3

♣ Q 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9

♥ Q 9 7 5 2

♦ J 2

♣ K J 8 6

♠ A 8 7 3

♥ A 8 3

♦ A K 9

♣ A 9 7

Shape 5053 2524 4333 2533

HCP 6 9 19 6

Losers 7 8 7 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

**Board 46**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 2  
♥ Q 8 6 5  
♦ T 9 6  
♣ J 8 7 5

♠ A J 4 3

♥ 4

♦ 8 3

♣ Q T 9 6 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 5

♥ A J T 7 3 2

♦ Q 5 2

♣ A

♠ Q T 8 6

♥ K 9

♦ A K J 7 4

♣ K 2

Shape 4126 3631 4252 2434

HCP 7 11 16 6

Losers 7 7 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♦

3 ♥

4 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♣ by South

Board 47

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ K 9  
♥ A Q 8 7 3  
♦ 9 7 4  
♣ T 7 5

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

N  
W     E  
S

♠ Q T 8 7 4 2  
♥ J 6  
♦ -  
♣ Q J 6 3 2

♠ A 6 5  
♥ 5 4  
♦ A K J T 8 2  
♣ A K

Shape 2443 6205 3262 2533  
HCP 6 6 19 9  
Losers 9 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			3 ♦
1. 16+ HCP			
3 ♦ by South			

**Board 48**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ A J 8 6 5 4 3

♥ T

♦ 4

♣ Q 8 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7  
 ♥ Q 8 7  
 ♦ Q T 9 2  
 ♣ T 9 4 2

♠ K 9 2

♥ A 9

♦ A K J 6

♣ A K 6 5

Shape 7114 2344 3244 1741

HCP 7 6 22 5

Losers 6 9 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=0

6 ♠ by North

Board 49

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ 8 5 4  
♥ Q  
♦ A 7 6 2  
♣ A 7 6 5 4

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

N  
W   E  
S

♠ Q T 6  
♥ J T 7 6 5 2  
♦ -  
♣ Q J 9 3

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

Shape 4342 3604 3352 3145  
HCP 7 6 17 10  
Losers 9 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♦
Pass	3NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3NT by North			

**Board 50**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 3

♥ A Q T 9 8 6 3

♦ J T

♣ Q 8

♠ J T 6

♥ 7 5 2

♦ K 9 7 6

♣ J T 5

W N  
E S

♠ Q 5 4

♥ -

♦ A Q 8 5 4 3

♣ 9 4 3 2

♠ A K 8 7 2

♥ K J 4

♦ 2

♣ A K 7 6

Shape 3343 3064 5314 2722

HCP 5 8 18 9

Losers 11 6 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♠ by South

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠

**Board 51**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 9 3 2

♥ T 8 2

♦ J T 4

♣ 9 5

♠ A 7 6 4

♥ -

♦ 8 7 3 2

♣ J T 8 4 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 8

♥ A Q 9 6 3

♦ 5

♣ K Q 7 3

♠ 5

♥ K J 7 5 4

♦ A K Q 9 6

♣ A 6

Shape 4045 3514 1552 5332

HCP 5 12 17 6

Losers 8 6 4 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

1♥

2♦

Pass

3♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass

4♥

Pass

5♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

5♦ by North

Board 52

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ K T 7  
♥ K T 4  
♦ Q 9 8 6 2  
♣ 8 7

♠ J 8 4  
♥ J 8 6 5 2  
♦ A 7  
♣ J T 4



♠ Q 6  
♥ A Q 9 7  
♦ J T 4  
♣ A K 9 5

♠ A 9 5 3 2  
♥ 3  
♦ K 5 3  
♣ Q 6 3 2

Shape 3523 5134 2434 3352  
HCP 7 9 16 8  
Losers 10 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥		2 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

4 ♥ by North

**Board 53**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J  
♥ A K 7  
♦ T 9 6  
♣ K 9 8 7 4 2

♠ K T 8 5 4 3

♥ J T 8 5

♦ J 3

♣ 6



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

♠ A 2

♥ Q 9 6 4 2

♦ K

♣ A Q J T 3

Shape 6421 4171 2515 1336

HCP 5 8 16 11

Losers 8 5 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

Pass	1♦ <sup>2</sup>	3♦	1♣ <sup>1</sup>
5♦	Dbl		Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5♦ X by East

**Board 54**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 8 2

♥ Q 7 6 4

♦ K 8

♣ 8 7 5

♠ 5 3

♥ T 5

♦ A J 9 5 4

♣ J 4 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 7 6

♥ A J 3 2

♦ T 7 3 2

♣ Q 9

♠ A K 9 4

♥ K 9 8

♦ Q 6

♣ A K T 6

Shape 2254 3442 4324 4423

HCP 6 8 19 7

Losers 9 10 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

1NT by South

**Board 55**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

♠ A K 7  
 ♥ A 8 5  
 ♦ K J T 4  
 ♣ J 9 2

♠ Q T 9 4  
 ♥ Q 9 4  
 ♦ Q 8 7 6 3  
 ♣ 3



♠ J 8 6 3  
 ♥ J T 7 6 3  
 ♦ 2  
 ♣ T 8 4

♠ 5 2  
 ♥ K 2  
 ♦ A 9 5  
 ♣ A K Q 7 6 5

Shape 4351 4513 2236 3343  
 HCP 6 2 16 16  
 Losers 7 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1NT	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♦ by North

Board 56

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q J 7 4  
♥ K J 4 3  
♦ -  
♣ A K J 4 3

♠ T 9 5 2  
♥ Q 8 5  
♦ K T 8 7 5  
♣ 5



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

♠ A 3  
♥ A T 6  
♦ A Q 3 2  
♣ Q T 9 2

Shape 4351 3343 2344 4405  
HCP 5 4 16 15  
Losers 8 11 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

2 ♣  
All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♣X by West

**Board 57**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 8  
♥ Q J 2  
♦ 9 4  
♣ J T 9 3 2

♠ K 7

♥ K 9 7 4

♦ T 7 6 3 2

♣ 8 4



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

♠ A J

♥ T 8 6

♦ K J 8 5

♣ A K 7 6

Shape 2452 6322 2344 3325

HCP 6 14 16 4

Losers 8 7 7 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

Pass

2 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♦ by North

Board 58

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ Q T 9 8 6 5  
♥ 9 8  
♦ A 4 3  
♣ K 4

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



♠ J  
♥ 7 3 2  
♦ T 8 2  
♣ A Q J T 9 3

♠ A 2  
♥ A K 6  
♦ K Q 7 6 5  
♣ 7 6 5

Shape 4522 1336 2353 6232  
HCP 7 8 16 9  
Losers 8 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Dbl	Pass	3 ♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3 ♦ by South

**Board 59**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q T 8

♥ 9 6

♦ Q 6 5 2

♣ 7 3 2

♠ J 5 2

♥ J 4 2

♦ J T 8 7

♣ Q 8 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 7 4 3

♥ K Q T 5

♦ A K 9 3

♣ J

Shape 3343 2416 4441 4243

HCP 5 11 16 8

Losers 11 6 5 8

♠ 9 6

♥ A 8 7 3

♦ 4

♣ A K T 9 6 5

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

2♣

Pass

3♣

Pass

4♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♣ by East

Board 60

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ K 5  
♥ A Q 8 4  
♦ A 6 3  
♣ J T 6 3

♠ J T 9 8 7 6  
♥ J 2  
♦ 8 4 2  
♣ K 8



♠ A Q 4 3  
♥ K T 3  
♦ K Q 5  
♣ A 5 4

♠ 2  
♥ 9 7 6 5  
♦ J T 9 7  
♣ Q 9 7 2

Shape 6232 1444 4333 2434  
HCP 5 3 18 14  
Losers 9 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	3♠	Pass	1♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			4♠

1. 16+ HCP

4♠ by North

Board 61

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ J 8  
♥ A Q J 9 3  
♦ K Q 2  
♣ 8 3 2

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

N  
W     E  
S

♠ Q T 9 5 4  
♥ 8 6  
♦ T 9  
♣ Q J 7 6

♠ K 7 6  
♥ K T 5 4 2  
♦ A  
♣ A K 5 4

Shape 3172 5224 3514 2533  
HCP 5 5 17 13  
Losers 8 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	2 ♦		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♦ by North			

Board 62

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ 9 6 2  
♥ 8 2  
♦ A 9 8 4 2  
♣ 7 4 3

♠ J 5  
♥ Q J T 9 6 4  
♦ 3  
♣ J T 8 5



♠ A Q 8 4 3  
♥ K 3  
♦ K J T 7  
♣ K 6

♠ K T 7  
♥ A 7 5  
♦ Q 6 5  
♣ A Q 9 2

Shape 2614 3334 5242 3253  
HCP 5 15 16 4  
Losers 8 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass            3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♥ by North

**Board 63**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ Q 4  
 ♥ Q 9 5 3  
 ♦ K Q 4  
 ♣ Q 8 5 3

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



♠ A J 8 2  
 ♥ A K T 2  
 ♦ A T 9 3  
 ♣ T

♠ T 7 6 3  
 ♥ J 7  
 ♦ J 6 2  
 ♣ A J 7 6

Shape 3334 4234 4441 2434  
 HCP 6 7 16 11  
 Losers 10 10 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

Pass	3 ♥		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3 ♥ by South

Board 64

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ 6 2  
♥ A Q T 7 4 2  
♦ K 3  
♣ 9 7 6

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

N  
W     E  
   S

♠ A 9 8 7 4 3  
♥ K 9 8 6  
♦ T  
♣ J T

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

Shape 2254 6412 3154 2623  
HCP 7 8 16 9  
Losers 8 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2♥	Pass	4♥	1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl		Pass
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4♥X by West			

Board 65

South Deals  
None Vul

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

♠ J 6 2  
♥ T 9  
♦ T 6 3  
♣ A J T 9 4



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

♠ T 7 4 3  
♥ Q J 8 7 6  
♦ A Q 7  
♣ 5

Shape 3235 4531 4342 2335  
HCP 6 9 22 3  
Losers 10 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♦ <sup>2</sup>	1♥	2NT
Pass	3NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3NT by South			

**Board 66**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 7 3  
♥ K Q T 9 7 6  
♦ 8 3  
♣ 6

♠ K 8 6 5 4

♥ 8 2

♦ Q 5 4

♣ Q 8 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 2

♥ J 5 4

♦ 9 7

♣ K T 9 7 5 3

♠ Q J

♥ A 3

♦ A K J T 6 2

♣ A J 2

Shape 5233 2326 2263 4621

HCP 7 8 20 5

Losers 8 8 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥      Dbl      4 ♥      5 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

5 ♦ by South

**Board 67**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 4 2

♥ A K Q T 4

♦ A J 7

♣ J 9

♠ A 9 7

♥ 8 7 3 2

♦ 5

♣ K 7 5 4 3



♠ J 6 5 3

♥ 6 5

♦ T 9 8 3

♣ T 6 2

♠ K Q T

♥ J 9

♦ K Q 6 4 2

♣ A Q 8

Shape 3415 4243 3253 3532

HCP 7 1 17 15

Losers 8 11 5 7

West

*EPBot*

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

4 ♣ by South

North

*EPBot*2 ♥<sup>2</sup>

4 ♣

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♦

**Board 68**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 8 4 3

♥ J T

♦ 4

♣ K Q J 9 4

♠ Q T 9 5

♥ 2

♦ K 8 6 5

♣ 8 6 5 3



♠ 7 6 2

♥ 9 5 4 3

♦ A T 9 2

♣ T 7

♠ K

♥ A K Q 8 7 6

♦ Q J 7 3

♣ A 2

Shape 4144 3442 1642 5215

HCP 5 4 19 12

Losers 8 10 4 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♥ by South

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥

Board 69

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ Q J T 9 3 2  
♥ J 4 2  
♦ Q  
♣ K 9 8

♠ 8 7  
♥ K T 8 6 5  
♦ T 7 6  
♣ Q J 4



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

♠ A 4  
♥ A 7  
♦ 9 5 4 3 2  
♣ T 7 6 5

Shape 2533 2254 3343 6313  
HCP 6 8 17 9  
Losers 9 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Dbl	Pass	2NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

2NT by South

Board 70

South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

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



♠ A 8 7  
♥ J T 8  
♦ J 9  
♣ 9 8 7 6 4

♠ Q 6  
♥ K Q 9  
♦ Q T 6 5 3  
♣ A K T

Shape 5233 3325 2353 3532  
HCP 7 6 16 11  
Losers 9 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♥	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♦		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
3 ♦ by South			

**Board 71**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 8  
♥ K 5 4  
♦ K J 5 4 3 2  
♣ 8 2

♠ 7 4

♥ A J 9 7 2

♦ Q T 8 6

♣ T 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 6 3

♥ Q T 3

♦ 7

♣ J 9 7 6 4

♠ K Q J 5 2

♥ 8 6

♦ A 9

♣ A K Q 5

Shape 2542 4315 5224 2362

HCP 7 7 19 7

Losers 8 8 4 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

2 ♦

2 ♥

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

3 ♠

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by South

**Board 72**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K T

♥ A Q T 9 8 7 4 2

♦ T

♣ A 2

♠ 9 8 4 3

♥ K J

♦ Q 7 4

♣ T 8 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 7 5 2

♥ 6 5 3

♦ K J 9 8 6 2

♣ -

♠ A Q 6

♥ -

♦ A 5 3

♣ K Q J 9 7 6 5

Shape 4234 4360 3037 2812

HCP 6 5 16 13

Losers 9 8 4 4

West

*EPBot*

1 ♥

4 ♥

5 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

North

*EPBot*

Dbl

5 ♣

Dbl

East

*EPBot*

3 ♥

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

4 ♣

Pass

5 ♥X by West

**Board 73**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 7 2  
♥ T 4  
♦ T 7 5  
♣ Q T 9 4 2

♠ J 6  
♥ A Q 9 7 6  
♦ 8 6 4  
♣ 8 7 6



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

♠ A Q T 8 3  
♥ K J 5 2  
♦ A J 3  
♣ J

Shape 2533 3244 5431 3235

HCP 7 12 16 5

Losers 9 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			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

4 ♥ by North

**Board 74**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q J 8 7

♥ T 4

♦ A 8 4

♣ 7 5 4

♠ T 6 5 3

♥ 2

♦ J T 5

♣ K J 8 6 2



♠ 9 4 2

♥ K J 9 7 3

♦ 9 7 3

♣ 9 3

♠ K

♥ A Q 8 6 5

♦ K Q 6 2

♣ A Q T

Shape 4135 3532 1543 5233

HCP 5 4 20 11

Losers 9 10 4 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♣

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥

2 ♥ by South

Board 75

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q T 8 3  
♥ A 4  
♦ 7  
♣ K Q J 8 7 4

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



♠ J 6  
♥ J 8 7  
♦ K T 9 6  
♣ T 9 5 3

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

Shape 4252 2344 3631 4216  
HCP 6 5 17 12  
Losers 8 10 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♣	Dbl	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2NT	3 ♣	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by South			

Board 76

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ A 7 6 4 3  
♥ T 8 4  
♦ 5  
♣ A K 9 8

♠ J 8 5  
♥ K 7 5  
♦ T 7 6  
♣ J T 4 2



♠ K T 2  
♥ J 6 3 2  
♦ K J 9 3 2  
♣ 6

♠ Q 9  
♥ A Q 9  
♦ A Q 8 4  
♣ Q 7 5 3

Shape 3334 3451 2344 5314  
HCP 5 8 16 11  
Losers 11 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Pass	1NT	2 ♠	
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♠ by West			

**Board 77**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 4 3

♥ J T 3

♦ 4 3

♣ Q 7 6 3 2

♠ J 7

♥ 7 5 2

♦ K Q J T 7 6 5

♣ 5



♠ A Q T 6 5 2

♥ A K 9

♦ 2

♣ J 9 8

♠ K 9

♥ Q 8 6 4

♦ A 9 8

♣ A K T 4

Shape 2371 6313 2434 3325

HCP 7 14 16 3

Losers 7 6 6 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

3 ♦

3 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

4 ♦

Pass

5 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

5 ♦ by North

**Board 78**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 5 4  
♥ Q 5 3  
♦ 6 5  
♣ A Q 9 6 5

♠ J 8 7 6

♥ 2

♦ K J 9 7 3

♣ J 7 3



♠ T 9 2  
♥ T 9 4  
♦ A T 8  
♣ T 8 4 2

♠ A K 3

♥ A K J 8 7 6

♦ Q 4 2

♣ K

Shape 4153 3334 3631 3325

HCP 6 4 20 10

Losers 9 11 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♦ by North

**Board 79**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J T 4  
♥ A 5 4  
♦ J 9 6  
♣ Q 6 5 2

♠ 8 6 5

♥ J 6 3

♦ A 8 5 2

♣ 9 7 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 3 2

♥ K Q 9 8 7

♦ T 7

♣ A J 8

♠ A K Q 7

♥ T 2

♦ K Q 4 3

♣ K T 3

Shape 3343 3523 4243 3334

HCP 5 10 17 8

Losers 11 8 5 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

1♥

1♣<sup>1</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

1♥ by East

**Board 80**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K 6 2

♥ 7 6 5 4

♦ K T 7

♣ K 6

♠ 8

♥ J 9 8 3

♦ J 4 3 2

♣ A 9 7 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 5 4

♥ Q T 2

♦ Q 9 6

♣ T 8 2

♠ Q T 7 3

♥ A K

♦ A 8 5

♣ Q J 5 3

Shape 1444 4333 4234 4432

HCP 6 5 16 13

Losers 9 10 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2NT by South

**Board 81**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7  
♥ Q 9 7 6  
♦ 8 3  
♣ T 9 6 5 4 3

♠ A 3

♥ 8 4 3

♦ T 9 7 5 2

♣ J 8 7



♠ K Q J 6 5

♥ A K J T 2

♦ K 4

♣ 2

♠ T 9 8 4 2

♥ 5

♦ A Q J 6

♣ A K Q

Shape 2353 5521 5143 1426

HCP 5 17 16 2

Losers 10 4 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♠	Pass
Pass	2 ♦	4 ♥	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Dbl	
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♦ X by North

Board 82

South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

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



♠ K 4  
♥ T 9 7 2  
♦ T 9 8 6  
♣ A T 4

♠ Q J 2  
♥ K Q J 6  
♦ A J 2  
♣ Q 8 3

Shape 2344 2443 3433 6223  
HCP 7 7 16 10  
Losers 9 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

2 ♠  
All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP  
  
2 ♠ by West

Board 83  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ A 6 5 4  
♥ 9 8  
♦ A 5 2  
♣ A T 9 7

♠ Q T  
♥ J T  
♦ T 8 7 6 4  
♣ Q J 8 5

N  
W   E  
S

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

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

Shape 2254 5422 2533 4234  
HCP 6 6 16 12  
Losers 9 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Dbl	Rdbl	1 ♠	Pass
Pass	2 ♦	2 ♠	3 ♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3 ♦ by North			

**Board 84**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 5  
♥ Q 2  
♦ Q J 9 8 4 3  
♣ J 6 5

♠ Q J 9 8 3 2

♥ 5 3

♦ T 2

♣ Q T 2

W N  
E S

♠ 7 4

♥ A J T 8 7 4

♦ -

♣ A K 8 4 3

♠ A K 6

♥ K 9 6

♦ A K 7 6 5

♣ 9 7

Shape 6223 2605 3352 2263

HCP 5 12 17 6

Losers 8 5 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

2 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠ by North

**Board 85**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q J 8 7 3

♥ 5

♦ Q 7 4

♣ T 7 3

♠ 5 4

♥ J 9 6 4 3

♦ J T 8 5

♣ A 4

W N E S

♠ A T

♥ A K T 8

♦ A 9 6 2

♣ J 6 2

♠ 9 6 2

♥ Q 7 2

♦ K 3

♣ K Q 9 8 5

Shape 2542 3325 2443 6133

HCP 6 10 16 8

Losers 9 7 7 7

West

*EPBot*

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

North

*EPBot*

Dbl

Dbl

East

*EPBot*

3 ♠

South

*EPBot*

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♠ X by West

**Board 86**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 2  
♥ T 6 5  
♦ A 7 4 3  
♣ K T 5 3

♠ Q 8 5 3

♥ J 7 4

♦ Q J 2

♣ 8 4 2



♠ T 9 7 4  
♥ K 9  
♦ T  
♣ A Q J 9 7 6

♠ A K 6

♥ A Q 8 3 2

♦ K 9 8 6 5

♣ -

Shape 4333 4216 3550 2344

HCP 6 10 16 8

Losers 10 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. limit raise or better in !C

4 ♣ by East

**Board 87**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ T

♥ Q 6 5 2

♦ A T 9 7

♣ 7 6 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 4 2

♥ J T 4 3

♦ K 4

♣ T 9 8 2

♠ K Q J 6 3

♥ A K 9 7

♦ 6

♣ A Q J

Shape 1444 3424 5413 4162

HCP 6 8 20 6

Losers 8 9 4 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4 ♥ by South

Board 88

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ T 9 3 2  
♥ A 8 7  
♦ Q T 7 6 3  
♣ 5

♠ Q J 6  
♥ K T 9 5 3 2  
♦ 5 2  
♣ T 7



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

♠ A 8  
♥ Q J 4  
♦ K 8  
♣ A K Q 9 6 4

Shape 3622 4144 2326 4351  
HCP 6 9 19 6  
Losers 8 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

**Board 89**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ -  
 ♥ K T  
 ♦ A K 9 6 5 4 3  
 ♣ T 6 3 2

♠ T 9 8 4 2

♥ Q 7 2

♦ Q 7 2

♣ Q 7



♠ Q J  
 ♥ J 8 6 5 3  
 ♦ J T 8  
 ♣ J 9 4

♠ A K 7 6 5 3

♥ A 9 4

♦ -

♣ A K 8 5

Shape 5332 2533 6304 0274

HCP 6 6 18 10

Losers 9 11 4 5

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. 0 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

**Board 90**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K 9 8 5

♥ T

♦ J T 6 3

♣ T 5 3

♠ T 4 3

♥ J 9 8

♦ 9 8 4

♣ A Q 8 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7 6 2

♥ K Q 7 5 3 2

♦ K 5 2

♣ 7

♠ Q J

♥ A 6 4

♦ A Q 7

♣ K J 9 6 4

Shape 3334 3631 2335 5143

HCP 7 8 17 8

Losers 10 7 7 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

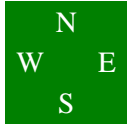
4 ♣ by South

Board 91

South Deals  
None Vul

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

♠ K T 9 8 5  
♥ T 5  
♦ Q 8 6 5 4  
♣ 7



♠ Q 7 4 3  
♥ K 6 2  
♦ T 7 3 2  
♣ 8 5

♠ A J 6  
♥ A J 7 3  
♦ A K  
♣ Q J T 2

Shape 5251 4342 3424 1426  
HCP 5 5 20 10  
Losers 7 9 6 6

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

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 92**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 8  
♥ Q T 4 2  
♦ A 4 3  
♣ J 3 2

♠ K 6 5

♥ 7 6

♦ K T 9 5

♣ 8 7 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 3 2

♥ K J 9 8 3

♦ J 6 2

♣ T 9 4

♠ Q J T 7 4

♥ A 5

♦ Q 8 7

♣ A K Q

Shape 3244 2533 5233 3433

HCP 6 5 18 11

Losers 9 10 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 93**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

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

♠ K T 7 6  
 ♥ T 9 2  
 ♦ 4 2  
 ♣ A 8 7 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A J 2  
 ♥ 6 5 4  
 ♦ J T 7 6  
 ♣ T 6 4

♠ Q 9 8  
 ♥ K Q 8 3  
 ♦ A Q 3  
 ♣ Q J 2

Shape 4324 3343 3433 3343  
 HCP 7 6 16 11  
 Losers 9 11 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

2NT by South

**Board 94**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A K Q 7

♥ T 9 8

♦ K 7 2

♣ 6 5 2

♠ 9 8 3

♥ J 5 4 3 2

♦ A T

♣ T 9 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6 5 2

♥ K 7 6

♦ Q J 9 8

♣ J 3

♠ J 4

♥ A Q

♦ 6 5 4 3

♣ A K Q 7 4

Shape 3523 4342 2245 4333

HCP 5 7 16 12

Losers 10 9 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Dbl

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♣ by South

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♣

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

3 ♣

1 ♠

**Board 95**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ T 9 2

♥ Q 4

♦ Q T 6 4 3

♣ K T 8



♠ A 7 4 3

♥ 8 5

♦ J 9 8 7 2

♣ J 2

♠ K Q 8

♥ K J T 9 6 3

♦ A K

♣ Q 7

Shape 3253 4252 3622 3316

HCP 7 6 18 9

Losers 9 9 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 96

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ 5 2  
♥ J 9 8 7  
♦ A 7  
♣ T 9 7 5 3

♠ 9 8 7 6 4 3  
♥ Q 2  
♦ T 8 4  
♣ A 6



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

♠ A K T  
♥ K T 3  
♦ J 9 6 2  
♣ J 4 2

Shape 6232 3343 2443 2425  
HCP 6 12 17 5  
Losers 9 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3 ♠ by South			

**Board 97**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 8 7 6 3

♥ Q J 5 3

♦ A T

♣ Q

♠ T 2

♥ -

♦ Q 9 6 4 2

♣ K J 8 6 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 4

♥ K T 9 7 4

♦ 7

♣ T 9 7 5 2

♠ A J 5

♥ A 8 6 2

♦ K J 8 5 3

♣ A

Shape 2056 2515 3451 6421

HCP 6 6 17 11

Losers 6 7 6 6

West

*EPBot*

1 ♠

Pass

Pass

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. Splinter

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♦ by South

North

*EPBot*2 ♠<sup>2</sup>4 ♥<sup>3</sup>

4NT

6 ♦

East

*EPBot*

Pass

Pass

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♦

4 ♠

5 ♦<sup>4</sup>

**Board 98**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 6 3

♥ K 8 6

♦ T 7

♣ A 8 7 5

♠ A 7 5

♥ Q J 9

♦ 9 8 4

♣ 9 6 4 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 8 2

♥ T 4 2

♦ Q 5 3 2

♣ J T

♠ 9 4

♥ A 7 5 3

♦ A K J 6

♣ K Q 3

Shape 3334 4342 2443 4324

HCP 7 4 17 12

Losers 10 10 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2NT

1NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

**Board 99**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7

♥ J 9 6 4

♦ Q T 8 4 3

♣ K T 4

♠ T 9 2

♥ A T 5 3

♦ 9 6

♣ J 6 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K 8 6 5 3

♥ 8 7

♦ -

♣ A Q 9 7 3

♠ Q J 4

♥ K Q 2

♦ A K J 7 5 2

♣ 8

Shape 3424 6205 3361 1453

HCP 5 13 16 6

Losers 10 4 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>Pass 1 ♦<sup>2</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♦

Pass Pass 2 ♠ 3 ♦

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♦ X by North

**Board 100**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

♠ K T 8  
 ♥ J T 9 8  
 ♦ T 4  
 ♣ K T 7 3

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



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

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

Shape 5233 2452 3334 3424  
 HCP 5 11 17 7  
 Losers 9 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

**Board 101**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5 4  
♥ 4 3  
♦ T 6 4 3  
♣ K 8 5 4

♠ 8 7 2

♥ K T 6 5

♦ 9 7 5

♣ Q J T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 6

♥ 9 7 2

♦ A Q J

♣ A 9 7 6

♠ A K T 3

♥ A Q J 8

♦ K 8 2

♣ 3 2

Shape 3433 3334 4432 3244

HCP 6 13 17 4

Losers 10 8 6 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Dbl

1NT

Pass

2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2♥ by South

**Board 102**  
 South Deals  
 E-W Vul

♠ K 8 3  
 ♥ 4 2  
 ♦ A K T 6  
 ♣ Q J 6 3

♠ J 5  
 ♥ A J 3  
 ♦ 9 5 4 3  
 ♣ 9 8 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 2  
 ♥ K Q 9 6  
 ♦ Q J 2  
 ♣ A K 7 2

♠ A T 9 7 6 4  
 ♥ T 8 7 5  
 ♦ 8 7  
 ♣ T

Shape 2344 6421 2434 3244  
 HCP 6 4 17 13  
 Losers 10 8 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. artificial

3 ♠ by East

**Board 103**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9

♥ Q T 8 6 3

♦ 7 5 3

♣ A 7 5

♠ A J 8 2

♥ J 9 7 4

♦ 4

♣ T 9 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 7 6 5 4 3

♥ K 2

♦ A T 8 6 2

♣ -

♠ Q

♥ A 5

♦ K Q J 9

♣ K Q J 8 4 2

Shape 4414 6250 1246 2533

HCP 6 10 18 6

Losers 9 5 4 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♣

Pass

4 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♣ by South

**Board 104**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ Q 3 2

♥ 8 3 2

♦ T 8 5

♣ K T 9 4



♠ A T 8 6 5

♥ T 4

♦ 9 7

♣ A Q 5 3

♠ K J 4

♥ A K J 7 6

♦ K Q 3

♣ 8 6

Shape 3334 5224 3532 2353

HCP 5 10 17 8

Losers 10 7 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦

Pass

1 ♠

2 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♥ by South

**Board 105**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 8 4  
♥ Q 6 3  
♦ A  
♣ Q T 9 5 3 2

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



♠ J T 6  
♥ K T 4 2  
♦ K T 8 5 3  
♣ 4

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

Shape 3541 3451 4135 3316

HCP 7 7 16 10

Losers 8 8 6 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 106**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q J 6 3

♥ 7 2

♦ 6 2

♣ A 7 5 2

♠ T 7

♥ A J 9 5

♦ Q T 9 7 5 4

♣ T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 5 4 2

♥ Q T 3

♦ J 3

♣ Q 9 8 6

♠ A 8

♥ K 8 6 4

♦ A K 8

♣ K J 4 3

Shape 2461 4324 2434 5224

HCP 7 5 18 10

Losers 7 9 6 7

West

*EPBot*

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !H

North

*EPBot*

Dbl

4 ♥

East

*EPBot*

2 ♠

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>3 ♠<sup>2</sup>

4 ♥ by North

Board 107

South Deals  
None Vul

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

♠ A 9 6  
♥ T 8 5  
♦ J 8 7 5 2  
♣ 8 7



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

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

Shape 3352 3523 6232 1336  
HCP 5 7 17 11  
Losers 10 9 5 7

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

All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by South

**Board 108**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 2  
 ♥ A T 2  
 ♦ J 9  
 ♣ K Q 9

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



♠ A Q T 7  
 ♥ J 9 8 4 3  
 ♦ 8 5 3  
 ♣ 4

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

Shape 3253 4531 1336 5323  
 HCP 5 7 17 11  
 Losers 9 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	2 ♦	2 ♠	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
3 ♠ X by West			

**Board 109**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 8 4  
 ♥ K Q J T 7 2  
 ♦ Q 4  
 ♣ 5

♠ A Q 7 6 5 2

♥ 3

♦ 9 8

♣ 7 6 4 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 3

♥ 9

♦ J 7 6 3 2

♣ Q J T 9 8 3

♠ J T

♥ A 8 6 5 4

♦ A K T 5

♣ A K

Shape 6124 1156 2542 4621

HCP 6 4 19 11

Losers 7 7 5 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. 1X-(1Y)-2Z weak

3. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by North

**Board 110**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 6

♥ A 7 6 2

♦ A 8 7 3

♣ 8 6 2

♠ 4

♥ Q T 9

♦ Q T 9 2

♣ Q J 9 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 8 7 3

♥ K 8 5 4 3

♦ J 6

♣ 7 4

♠ A K Q J 5 2

♥ J

♦ K 5 4

♣ A K T

Shape 1345 4522 6133 2443

HCP 7 4 21 8

Losers 7 9 4 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3NT

All Pass

2♠

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 111

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ 7 4  
♥ J 9 2  
♦ A Q J T 6  
♣ 9 6 2

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



♠ K J T 9 2  
♥ Q 7 5  
♦ 7  
♣ K T 5 4

♠ A Q  
♥ K T 8 6 3  
♦ 9 3 2  
♣ A Q J

Shape 4243 5314 2533 2353  
HCP 7 9 16 8  
Losers 9 7 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	2NT	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠		3 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3 ♠ by North

**Board 112**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 5  
♥ K Q  
♦ 7 6 4 2  
♣ 9 6 5 2

♠ A 9 8 6 2

♥ J T 9 8

♦ T 5

♣ T 8



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

♠ K

♥ 4 2

♦ K Q 9 3

♣ A K Q J 7 3

Shape 5422 4531 1246 3244

HCP 5 11 18 6

Losers 9 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♥	2 ♣
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
2 ♥	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3NT		
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 113  
South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q 8 4  
♥ A 3 2  
♦ A T 8 7  
♣ 7 5 4

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

N  
W     E  
S

♠ T 6  
♥ K J T 9 6 5  
♦ 5 4  
♣ Q J 2

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

Shape 4324 2623 4153 3343  
HCP 6 7 17 10  
Losers 9 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3 ♦ by North			

Board 114

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ J  
♥ K Q T 7 5  
♦ K T 8  
♣ Q T 3 2

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



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

♠ A Q T 9 6  
♥ 9 6 4 2  
♦ 5  
♣ 9 8 5

Shape 3253 5413 4243 1534  
HCP 7 6 16 11  
Losers 9 8 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1 ♥                      2NT  
All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2NT by North

Board 115  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ J 6 4 2  
♥ T  
♦ T 6 5 4 3  
♣ J 6 5

♠ K T

♥ Q J 9 7 4 2

♦ 8 2

♣ T 8 2

N

W E

S

♠ 5

♥ A K 6 5 3

♦ K J 9 7

♣ Q 9 4

♠ A Q 9 8 7 3

♥ 8

♦ A Q

♣ A K 7 3

Shape 2623 1543 6124 4153  
HCP 6 13 19 2  
Losers 8 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3NT by North

**Board 116**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 4

♥ A K Q J 7 5

♦ J T 9

♣ T

♠ 7 5 3

♥ T 9

♦ 6 5 2

♣ K Q 7 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 8 2

♥ 8 2

♦ Q 7 4

♣ 9 8 4 3

♠ A K 6

♥ 6 4 3

♦ A K 8 3

♣ A J 2

Shape 3235 4234 3343 3631

HCP 5 4 19 12

Losers 9 9 7 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♥

Dbl

All Pass

2 ♣

Pass

Pass

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>2 ♥<sup>2</sup>

3 ♣

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !C

3 ♣ by South

**Board 117**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 6  
 ♥ 9 6  
 ♦ A Q T 5  
 ♣ J 9 8 5 4

♠ T 4 2  
 ♥ K 7 5 4 3  
 ♦ K J 7 4  
 ♣ 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q J 8  
 ♥ J 8  
 ♦ 9 8 3 2  
 ♣ T 7 2

♠ K 7 5 3  
 ♥ A Q T 2  
 ♦ 6  
 ♣ A K Q 3

Shape 3541 4243 4414 2245

HCP 7 8 18 7

Losers 8 9 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4 ♦ by North

**Board 118**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K J 9 7 6

♥ 6

♦ 5 4 2

♣ T 7 5

♠ 8 3

♥ A T 9 8 5 4

♦ 8 7

♣ Q 9 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 5 4 2

♥ J 7

♦ J T 9 3

♣ A K 8

♠ Q

♥ K Q 3 2

♦ A K Q 6

♣ J 4 3 2

Shape 2623 4243 1444 6133

HCP 6 9 17 8

Losers 8 9 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

2 ♠

3 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

4 ♥ by South

**Board 119**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 3 2

♥ Q 6

♦ 9 5

♣ A K J T 8 3 2

♠ T 9 8 4

♥ T 9 8

♦ A 6 4

♣ Q 7 6



♠ Q J 7 5

♥ K J 7 3 2

♦ 8 7 3

♣ 5

♠ A K 6

♥ A 5 4

♦ K Q J T 2

♣ 9 4

Shape 4333 4531 3352 2227

HCP 6 7 17 10

Losers 10 8 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

3 ♣

Dbl

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

4 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♦ by South

**Board 120**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K T 2  
♥ J 3  
♦ Q 8 6 3  
♣ A Q 6 5

♠ 9 3

♥ A Q 9 7 6

♦ J 5

♣ T 8 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 8 6 5

♥ 5 4 2

♦ T 9 4

♣ J 7

♠ A 7 4

♥ K T 8

♦ A K 7 2

♣ K 9 2

Shape 2524 5332 3343 3244

HCP 7 4 17 12

Losers 8 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			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

4 ♥ by South

Board 121

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ J T 8 6  
♥ -  
♦ A Q T 6  
♣ K 9 7 3 2

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

N  
W     E  
S

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

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

Shape 2641 2443 5314 4045  
HCP 5 8 17 10  
Losers 7 9 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

**Board 122**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 7

♥ J T

♦ Q 6 3

♣ K 8 7 6 5

♠ Q 8 5 4 3

♥ Q 4 2

♦ J 9 4

♣ 9 3



♠ K 6 2

♥ K 5 3

♦ K 8 7 5 2

♣ A 2

♠ A J

♥ A 9 8 7 6

♦ A T

♣ Q J T 4

Shape 5332 3352 2524 3235

HCP 5 13 16 6

Losers 9 7 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♦

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♥ by South

**Board 123**  
 South Deals  
 None Vul

♠ T 7 6 4  
 ♥ 7 2  
 ♦ K T 8 5  
 ♣ Q T 8

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

N	
W	E
S	

♠ Q 9 8 3 2  
 ♥ A Q T 9  
 ♦ J  
 ♣ K 5 3

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

Shape 1336 5413 3451 4243  
 HCP 7 12 16 5  
 Losers 9 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♠	4 ♣		2 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♣ by South

**Board 124**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 2  
♥ Q J 9 6 5 4  
♦ J 5 4  
♣ J 5

♠ 4  
♥ 8 3  
♦ 7 3 2  
♣ K Q T 8 7 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q J 9  
♥ A T 7  
♦ T 9 6  
♣ A 9 2

♠ A T 8 7 5 3  
♥ K 2  
♦ A K Q 8  
♣ 3

Shape 1237 4333 6241 2632

HCP 5 14 16 5

Losers 7 8 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. relay

4 ♣ by South

**Board 125**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q T 9  
♥ K Q  
♦ J T 5 4 2  
♣ 9 3

♠ 8 7 6

♥ 7 5 3

♦ K 9 6

♣ K T 8 4



♠ 5 4 3 2

♥ A J 9 8 6 4

♦ 3

♣ J 5

♠ K J

♥ T 2

♦ A Q 8 7

♣ A Q 7 6 2

Shape 3334 4612 2245 4252

HCP 6 6 16 12

Losers 10 8 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♦

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♣ by South

Pass

3 ♣

1 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♣

**Board 126**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 4  
♥ A J 7 2  
♦ T 8 2  
♣ J 3 2

♠ K T 7 6

♥ T 4 3

♦ K J 4

♣ T 7 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 5 2  
♥ K 9 8 5  
♦ 9 5 3  
♣ K 8

♠ A 3

♥ Q 6

♦ A Q 7 6

♣ A Q 9 5 4

Shape 4333 4432 2245 3433

HCP 7 9 18 6

Losers 10 8 5 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

2NT by South

**Board 127**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 8 3

♥ K J 9 5

♦ 6

♣ A J T 8

♠ A 4 2

♥ T 8 7 6 3

♦ J 8 4

♣ 5 3



♠ K 6 5

♥ 4 2

♦ A T 9 3

♣ Q 9 6 4

♠ Q J 7

♥ A Q

♦ K Q 7 5 2

♣ K 7 2

Shape 3532 3244 3253 4414

HCP 5 9 17 9

Losers 10 8 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♥ by South

**Board 128**  
 South Deals  
 E-W Vul

♠ Q 8 6  
 ♥ T 9  
 ♦ J 9 4 3  
 ♣ T 9 6 2

♠ J 5 4 2  
 ♥ K 5 4 3  
 ♦ K T 8 2  
 ♣ 7



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

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

Shape 4441 3532 3226 3244  
 HCP 7 7 23 3  
 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

Pass	3NT		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 129**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A J T 2

♦ Q 8 7 4

♣ T 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 7 6

♥ Q 7

♦ J T 6

♣ 9 7 6 2

♠ A K 8

♥ K 9 8 3

♦ A K 2

♣ Q 4 3

Shape 3442 4234 3433 3334

HCP 7 4 19 10

Losers 9 11 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4 ♥ by South

Board 130

South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

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

N  
W   E  
S

♠ Q 7  
♥ T 9 8 3  
♦ Q T 6  
♣ T 9 8 5

♠ A K J T 9 8 4  
♥ 7 2  
♦ A 5  
♣ A 4

Shape 1642 2434 7222 3145  
HCP 6 4 16 14  
Losers 7 10 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♣	2 ♥	3 ♣	4 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by South			

Board 131

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 2  
♥ T 3  
♦ A T 8 3  
♣ A 9 7 6 5

♠ A J T 8 7 6 3

♥ 5 4 2

♦ 5

♣ 3 2



♠ 4  
♥ Q J 9 8 7  
♦ K 9 6 2  
♣ Q T 4

♠ K 9 5

♥ A K 6

♦ Q J 7 4

♣ K J 8

Shape 7312 1543 3343 2245

HCP 5 8 17 10

Losers 8 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

**Board 132**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 8  
 ♥ T 6 5  
 ♦ A Q 6 4 3 2  
 ♣ T 2

♠ Q 9 6

♥ J 8

♦ T 8

♣ Q J 7 6 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7 5 4 3

♥ 9 2

♦ K J 7

♣ A K 9 8

♠ A K J 2

♥ A K Q 7 4 3

♦ 9 5

♣ 4

Shape 3226 4234 4621 2362

HCP 6 11 17 6

Losers 8 8 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by South

**Board 133**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ J 9 5

♥ K Q 8 7

♦ T 3 2

♣ T 9 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q 8 6 4 2

♥ 5 2

♦ J 8 6

♣ 7 3

♠ A T

♥ J 9 6 4 3

♦ A K 7

♣ A Q 4

Shape 3433 6232 2533 2245

HCP 6 6 18 10

Losers 10 8 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

2♠

1♣<sup>1</sup>

3♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3♥ by South

Board 134  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ T 8 7 5  
♥ Q 6  
♦ 8 7 6  
♣ A Q 9 2

♠ 9 4 2  
♥ A J 5  
♦ 9 5 4 2  
♣ T 8 3



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

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

Shape 3343 2542 4324 4234  
HCP 5 11 16 8  
Losers 11 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

1NT by South

Board 135

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 8 4 2

♥ Q 5 4

♦ J 3

♣ A 9 6

♠ Q 7 3

♥ T 2

♦ 7 5 4

♣ K J 8 5 2



♠ A J 6

♥ A K 8 7

♦ A K 2

♣ T 4 3

♠ K 5

♥ J 9 6 3

♦ Q T 9 8 6

♣ Q 7

Shape 3235 2452 3433 5323

HCP 6 8 19 7

Losers 9 8 7 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

1NT by South

Board 136

South Deals  
None Vul

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

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

♠ 8  
♥ Q T 9 6 4 2  
♦ T 9 8  
♣ Q 8 5

♠ A Q T 9 7  
♥ -  
♦ A K Q 2  
♣ A T 9 3

N  
W     E  
S

Shape 4513 1633 5044 3253  
HCP 7 4 19 10  
Losers 8 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by South			

**Board 137**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K 7  
♥ A Q T 9 7  
♦ 7 3  
♣ 8 7 2

♠ J T 9 8 5 2

♥ J

♦ K T 2

♣ T 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6 3  
♥ 8 5 2  
♦ Q J 8 6 5  
♣ J 6 5

♠ Q 4

♥ K 6 4 3

♦ A 9 4

♣ A K Q 9

Shape 6133 2353 2434 3523

HCP 5 4 18 13

Losers 9 10 6 7

West

*EPBot*

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. 1X-(1Y)-2Z weak

3. limit raise or better in !S

North

*EPBot*2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

4 ♠

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>3 ♥<sup>3</sup>

4 ♠ by North

**Board 138**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

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

♠ K Q J T 9 4  
 ♥ T 8 7 5  
 ♦ -  
 ♣ J 4 2

N  
 W E  
 S

♠ 7  
 ♥ 6  
 ♦ A J T 9 8 7 3 2  
 ♣ T 8 3

♠ A  
 ♥ A Q 9 3 2  
 ♦ Q 6  
 ♣ A Q 9 7 6

Shape 6403 1183 1525 5332  
 HCP 7 5 18 10  
 Losers 7 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

All Pass	4 ♥		
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1. 16+ HCP
2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by North

**Board 139**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A K 7 2

♥ J 9 5 2

♦ Q J 7 5

♣ K

♠ J

♥ Q T 8 7 6

♦ 8 6 4 2

♣ Q J 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 8 6 5 3

♥ A 3

♦ 9 3

♣ T 8 5 3

♠ Q 9 4

♥ K 4

♦ A K T

♣ A 9 7 6 4

Shape 1543 5224 3235 4441

HCP 6 4 16 14

Losers 8 9 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2♦

Pass

2♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2♥ by South

Board 140

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ -  
♥ Q T 9 7 5 4 3  
♦ K  
♣ A Q 9 8 7

♠ T 9 6 5 3  
♥ 2  
♦ Q 8 6 4 2  
♣ K 5



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

♠ K Q 8 7 4  
♥ J 8  
♦ J T 3  
♣ J T 3

Shape 5152 5233 3343 0715  
HCP 5 8 16 11  
Losers 7 9 8 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♥	Dbl	Pass	1NT
2 ♥			
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♥ by West			

**Board 141**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

♠ K 2  
 ♥ Q 9 7 4  
 ♦ T 8 5 2  
 ♣ 9 5 2

♠ J 7 3  
 ♥ J 8 6 2  
 ♦ 4  
 ♣ K T 8 6 4



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

♠ A 8 5  
 ♥ T 3  
 ♦ A K Q 7 3  
 ♣ A Q J

Shape 3415 5332 3253 2443  
 HCP 5 10 20 5  
 Losers 9 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 142**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 8 7

♥ T 6

♦ 7 6 5 4

♣ T 7 6

♠ 9 6 3 2

♥ 5 4

♦ J T 9

♣ A J 8 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 5

♥ A K 9 7 3

♦ K Q 8 2

♣ 9 3 2

♠ K J T 4

♥ Q J 8 2

♦ A 3

♣ K Q 4

Shape 4234 1543 4423 4243

HCP 6 12 16 6

Losers 10 6 6 9

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. limit raise or better in !S

3 ♠ by South

**Board 143**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ Q J T 6

♥ J T 6

♦ Q 3 2

♣ T 6 5



♠ A 9 8 7

♥ 9 8

♦ A K J 4

♣ Q 8 3

♠ K 5

♥ K Q 4 2

♦ T

♣ A K J 9 4 2

Shape 4333 4243 2416 3451

HCP 6 14 16 4

Losers 10 7 4 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♣ by South

**Board 144**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5 4

♥ A T 5 4

♦ 2

♣ A Q J 6 4

♠ Q 6 3

♥ 8 3

♦ Q J 9 7

♣ 9 7 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9

♥ J 7 6 2

♦ K T 8 6 5 3

♣ 8

♠ A J T 8 2

♥ K Q 9

♦ A 4

♣ K T 3

Shape 3244 2461 5323 3415

HCP 5 7 17 11

Losers 9 7 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by South

Board 145

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ K 6 2  
♥ 6 2  
♦ K T 8 6 5  
♣ Q J 9

♠ J 8 7 3  
♥ 8 7 3  
♦ Q 9 3  
♣ K 7 2



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

♠ T 5 4  
♥ A Q J T 9 4  
♦ J  
♣ 5 4 3

Shape 4333 3613 3244 3253  
HCP 6 8 17 9  
Losers 10 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			2NT
1. 16+ HCP			

2NT by South

**Board 146**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 6 4 3  
♥ T 9 8 3 2  
♦ J 4  
♣ T 8

♠ K 7 2

♥ Q 6 5

♦ 8 7 6 3

♣ Q 9 2



♠ A Q J 5

♥ 7 4

♦ A T 2

♣ A K 5 4

♠ T 8

♥ A K J

♦ K Q 9 5

♣ J 7 6 3

Shape 3343 2344 4234 4522

HCP 7 14 18 1

Losers 9 7 6 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2NT

1NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

**Board 147**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 7  
♥ K T 8 7  
♦ A 8 2  
♣ Q J T 3

♠ K Q T 5 3

♥ J 4

♦ T 9

♣ 8 7 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 8

♥ 6 5 2

♦ J 6 4 3

♣ K 9 5 2

♠ A 6 4 2

♥ A Q 9 3

♦ K Q 7 5

♣ A

Shape 5224 2344 4441 2434

HCP 6 5 19 10

Losers 8 10 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

**Board 148**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 7 5 4 3 2

♥ Q 6 5

♦ 7 4 3 2

♣ -

♠ Q 6

♥ A 8 4 2

♦ 8

♣ J T 7 6 3 2



♠ K J 9

♥ 9 3

♦ J T 9 6 5

♣ K 5 4

♠ A 8

♥ K J T 7

♦ A K Q

♣ A Q 9 8

Shape 2416 3253 2434 6340

HCP 7 8 23 2

Losers 8 9 4 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♣

Pass

3NT

Pass

7 ♣

4NT<sup>3</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=3 out of 4

7 ♣ by South

Board 149

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ J 8 3 2  
♥ J  
♦ A T 5 3 2  
♣ T 9 4

♠ K Q T 9 7 6 5  
♥ T 7 5 4  
♦ Q  
♣ 3

♠ 4  
♥ K Q 9 2  
♦ K 9 4  
♣ Q J 6 5 2

N  
W   S   E  
S

♠ A  
♥ A 8 6 3  
♦ J 8 7 6  
♣ A K 8 7

Shape 7411 1435 1444 4153  
HCP 7 11 16 6  
Losers 6 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by North			

**Board 150**  
 South Deals  
 E-W Vul

♠ J 6 4 2  
 ♥ K Q T 7  
 ♦ J 3  
 ♣ Q 4 3

♠ K Q 9 5  
 ♥ 8 4  
 ♦ T 6 4  
 ♣ T 6 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A T 8  
 ♥ A J 6  
 ♦ K Q 8 7 2  
 ♣ A K

♠ 7 3  
 ♥ 9 5 3 2  
 ♦ A 9 5  
 ♣ J 9 8 7

Shape 4234 2434 3352 4423  
 HCP 5 5 21 9  
 Losers 9 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 151**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8

♥ K Q J T 5

♦ Q T 6 5 4

♣ 7 6

♠ Q J T 7 4 2

♥ 7 4 2

♦ J 9

♣ Q 4



♠ K 9 6 5 3

♥ A 9 6 3

♦ K 3

♣ 5 2

♠ A

♥ 8

♦ A 8 7 2

♣ A K J T 9 8 3

Shape 6322 5422 1147 1552

HCP 6 10 16 8

Losers 9 7 4 6

West

*EPBot*

1 ♥

Pass

Pass

All Pass

North

*EPBot*2 ♠<sup>2</sup>4 ♥<sup>3</sup>

5 ♣

East

*EPBot*

3 ♥

Dbl

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

4 ♣

Rdbl

1. 16+ HCP

2. 1X-(1Y)-2Z weak

3. limit raise or better in !C

5 ♣ by South

**Board 152**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 9 5

♥ T 5 4 2

♦ A T 7

♣ 9 3

♠ K T 8

♥ K

♦ 9 5 4 3 2

♣ J 8 6 4



♠ A 6 4 3

♥ 8 7 6 3

♦ J

♣ K Q T 5

♠ 7 2

♥ A Q J 9

♦ K Q 8 6

♣ A 7 2

Shape 3154 4414 2443 4432

HCP 7 10 16 7

Losers 9 7 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

1NT by South

**Board 153**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6 5 2

♥ 9 3

♦ J 9 6 4

♣ Q J T

♠ 3

♥ A 7 5 4

♦ Q T 8 5

♣ 8 7 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T

♥ K Q J T 8 6 2

♦ -

♣ 9 3 2

♠ K J 9 7 4

♥ -

♦ A K 7 3 2

♣ A K 4

Shape 1444 3703 5053 4243

HCP 6 12 18 4

Losers 8 5 4 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

1 ♠

Pass

2NT

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 154**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 5

♥ Q J 9 7 6 2

♦ -

♣ A 8 7 6 3

♠ T 9 8 4

♥ T 5

♦ K 9 6 2

♣ Q 9 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 3

♥ K 4

♦ J 7 5 4 3

♣ J T 4 2

♠ A Q J 6 2

♥ A 8 3

♦ A Q T 8

♣ K

Shape 4243 2254 5341 2605

HCP 5 8 20 7

Losers 9 8 5 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

2♥

Pass

Pass

All Pass

Dbl

3♠

4♦

Pass

Pass

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>3♥<sup>2</sup>

3NT

4♠

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

4♠ by North

Board 155

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q J 2  
♥ A J 9 6 5  
♦ K 2  
♣ T 9 5

♠ 9 8  
♥ Q 8 7 3  
♦ T 9 3  
♣ A J 7 3



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

♠ A T 6 5 4  
♥ T 4  
♦ 5 4  
♣ Q 8 6 4

Shape 2434 5224 3262 3523  
HCP 7 6 16 11  
Losers 9 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♥	2NT	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3NT by North

Board 156

South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

♠ A J 9 2  
♥ Q  
♦ T 8 7 6 4 2  
♣ 9 4



♠ T 4  
♥ A T 7 6 3  
♦ Q J 5 3  
♣ 5 3

♠ K Q 7 6  
♥ K  
♦ A  
♣ A Q J T 8 7 2

Shape 4162 2542 4117 3622  
HCP 7 7 19 7  
Losers 8 8 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♥	Dbl	4 ♥	4 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by South			

**Board 157**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ K Q 8 5

♥ 8 7 3

♦ 6 5

♣ Q 9 4 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 4 3 2

♥ K 9 5 2

♦ J T 9 3

♣ 8 5

♠ A 9 7 6

♥ J T 6

♦ A K 7 4

♣ A J

Shape 4324 3442 4342 2335

HCP 7 4 17 12

Losers 8 10 7 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3 ♠ by South

**Board 158**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 5 4 3  
 ♥ A Q 4  
 ♦ J T 9 3 2  
 ♣ 8

♠ K T 8 7 2

♥ 9

♦ Q 8 6

♣ Q 7 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A J 6

♥ J T 8 6 5 2

♦ 5 4

♣ 5 3

♠ Q

♥ K 7 3

♦ A K 7

♣ A K J T 9 2

Shape 5134 3622 1336 4351

HCP 7 6 20 7

Losers 7 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Splinter

5 ♣ by South

Board 159

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ A K J 5  
♥ 9 3 2  
♦ 6  
♣ K T 4 3 2

♠ 8 7 6  
♥ A Q 5  
♦ T 5 4 2  
♣ 9 6 5



♠ T 9 2  
♥ K J T 8 7 4  
♦ 3  
♣ Q J 7

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

Shape 3343 3613 3172 4315  
HCP 6 7 16 11  
Losers 10 8 4 7

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

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial

5 ♦ by North

**Board 160**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8

♥ J T 5

♦ K J 7 5 3

♣ Q 8 4 2

♠ Q 9 7 5 2

♥ K 8

♦ 9 6 2

♣ J T 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ -

♥ 9 7 6 4 3

♦ Q T

♣ A K 9 7 6 3

♠ A K J T 6 4 3

♥ A Q 2

♦ A 8 4

♣ -

Shape 5233 0526 7330 1354

HCP 6 9 18 7

Losers 9 6 4 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>  
4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 161**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 6  
♥ T 5  
♦ A Q J  
♣ J T 9 6 2

♠ 7 4

♥ 6 4 3 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ A K 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 5 3 2

♥ 9

♦ T 8 6 2

♣ 8 5 4

♠ J T 8

♥ A K Q J 8 7

♦ K 4 3

♣ Q

Shape 2434 5143 3631 3235

HCP 7 4 16 13

Losers 9 9 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Dbl

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

Board 162

South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

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



♠ Q T  
♥ J T 5  
♦ A K T 7 4  
♣ J 4 3

♠ A K 8  
♥ A 8 6 2  
♦ 9 3  
♣ A Q T 5

Shape 2434 2353 3424 6232  
HCP 7 11 17 5  
Losers 9 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Dbl	Pass	3 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3 ♥ by South

Board 163  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ 5 2  
♥ A K 8 3  
♦ A K 8 5  
♣ J 3 2

♠ K 9 8 7 6  
♥ J T 7  
♦ J T 6 2  
♣ 4

N  
W     E  
S

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

♠ A Q T  
♥ Q 4  
♦ Q 3  
♣ A Q T 9 7 5

Shape 5341 3433 3226 2443  
HCP 5 4 16 15  
Losers 9 11 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1NT	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
3 ♠ by North			

**Board 164**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K J 9 6 5

♥ Q 9 8 7 6

♦ 2

♣ 8

♠ T

♥ K 5 2

♦ J 9 7 6 5

♣ K 9 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 3

♥ J T 4 3

♦ Q 8 3

♣ T 7 6 2

♠ 8 7 4 2

♥ A

♦ A K T 4

♣ A Q J 4

Shape 1354 2434 4144 6511

HCP 7 5 18 10

Losers 8 10 5 5

West

*EPBot*

1 ♠

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

2NT by North

North

*EPBot*2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

2NT

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

Board 165

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ K 9 7  
♥ T 5 2  
♦ A Q T 5 4  
♣ 9 4

♠ J 8 5  
♥ Q J 9 6  
♦ K 9 7 6  
♣ T 8



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

♠ T 6 3 2  
♥ 7 4  
♦ 3  
♣ K Q J 7 6 2

Shape 3442 4216 3433 3352  
HCP 7 6 18 9  
Losers 9 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	2NT	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			3NT
1. 16+ HCP			

3NT by North

Board 166

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ T 7 4 3  
♥ -  
♦ Q 9 6 5  
♣ T 9 7 6 2

♠ 9 8 2  
♥ K Q T 9 8 4 3  
♦ -  
♣ J 8 4

♠ A Q 6 5  
♥ A J 7 5 2  
♦ J T 8  
♣ Q

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

N  
W E  
S

Shape 3703 4531 2164 4045  
HCP 6 14 18 2  
Losers 7 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot	EPBot	EPBot	EPBot
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

**Board 167**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ -  
♥ J T 9  
♦ K J 8 5 4  
♣ Q T 7 3 2

♠ 7 6 4

♥ 4 3

♦ A Q 9 3 2

♣ J 9 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9 8 5 2

♥ K 6

♦ T 7

♣ A 6 5 4

♠ A K Q J 3

♥ A Q 8 7 5 2

♦ 6

♣ K

Shape 3253 5224 5611 0355

HCP 7 7 19 7

Losers 9 8 3 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>2NT<sup>2</sup>      Dbl      4 ♣      4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

4 ♥ by South

**Board 168**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A T 7 4  
♥ K T 8 6 2  
♦ 8 6  
♣ T 5

♠ J 9 3

♥ 4 3

♦ J 4 2

♣ Q J 9 8 7



♠ 6

♥ A J 9 7 5

♦ K 9 5 3

♣ A 3 2

♠ K Q 8 5 2

♥ Q

♦ A Q T 7

♣ K 6 4

Shape 3235 1543 5143 4522

HCP 5 12 16 7

Losers 10 7 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

2♥

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♥ by East

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠

Pass

1♥

3♥

1♦<sup>2</sup>

2♠

Board 169

South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

♠ K Q T 4  
♥ 2  
♦ T 9 2  
♣ T 8 7 6 2



♠ -  
♥ K T 8 6 3  
♦ A J 6 5 3  
♣ J 9 4

♠ A 9 6  
♥ A Q 9 7  
♦ 8 7 4  
♣ A Q 5

Shape 4135 0553 3433 6322  
HCP 5 9 16 10  
Losers 8 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1 ♠  
All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP  
  
1 ♠ by West

Board 170

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ A Q J  
♥ 8  
♦ Q 8 6 5 4 3  
♣ A 8 4

♠ 9 7 6 3  
♥ K J 7 2  
♦ K 9 7  
♣ 9 6



♠ T 8 5 4 2  
♥ T 5 3  
♦ -  
♣ Q T 7 5 3

♠ K  
♥ A Q 9 6 4  
♦ A J T 2  
♣ K J 2

Shape 4432 5305 1543 3163  
HCP 7 2 18 13  
Losers 9 8 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			4 ♥
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by South			

**Board 171**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 6  
♥ A 8  
♦ Q 9 8 3  
♣ J T 7 6 3

♠ Q T 9 8 7

♥ 9 7 6

♦ T 7 5

♣ A 4



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

♠ K 5

♥ K T 4

♦ A K J

♣ K Q 9 8 5

Shape 5332 4531 2335 2245

HCP 6 7 19 8

Losers 9 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

Board 172

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ Q J 6  
♥ A 9  
♦ T 9 5  
♣ A Q J 9 7

♠ K 9 7 2  
♥ 4 3 2  
♦ 6 4  
♣ K T 6 2



♠ A T 4  
♥ K Q J T 5  
♦ A Q 3  
♣ 8 3

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

Shape 4324 3352 3532 3235  
HCP 6 4 16 14  
Losers 9 10 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♣	Dbl	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3 ♥ by South

**Board 173**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 2  
♥ 5 3  
♦ K 8 5  
♣ K J 9 8 2

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



♠ 8  
♥ K T 9 6  
♦ T 9 7 6 2  
♣ A 7 3

♠ A T 6 4 3  
♥ A J 7  
♦ A J  
♣ Q T 4

Shape 4432 1453 5323 3235

HCP 7 7 16 10

Losers 8 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

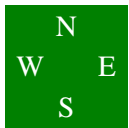
4 ♠ by South

Board 174

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ A Q T 8  
♥ 8 5  
♦ Q 9 7 3 2  
♣ T 3

♠ 9 6 4 2  
♥ J  
♦ T 8 6  
♣ K Q 9 8 2



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

♠ 7 3  
♥ A K 9  
♦ A K 5  
♣ A J 7 6 5

Shape 4135 3721 2335 4252  
HCP 6 7 19 8  
Losers 8 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	4 ♣		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♣ by South			

**Board 175**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ 7 5 3  
 ♥ 9 8 6  
 ♦ A 7 3  
 ♣ A Q 6 3

♠ K Q 8 6 4  
 ♥ T 7 4  
 ♦ T 6 2  
 ♣ 4 2



♠ A 9 2  
 ♥ J 5 3  
 ♦ 9 8  
 ♣ J T 9 8 7

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

Shape 5332 3325 2452 3334  
 HCP 5 6 19 10  
 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

**Board 176**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 6  
♥ K T 3  
♦ A T 8  
♣ Q 5 3 2

♠ T 7 5 4 2

♥ Q 6 5

♦ J 7

♣ K 7 4



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

♠ Q 8

♥ A

♦ K Q 9 5 4 2

♣ A J T 6

Shape 5323 3622 2164 3334

HCP 6 4 16 14

Losers 9 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Dbl	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♥	2 ♦
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Pass	Pass	2 ♥	3 ♦
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♦ by North

**Board 177**  
 South Deals  
 None Vul

♠ T 7  
 ♥ 3 2  
 ♦ K J 6 4 2  
 ♣ A J 9 2

♠ J 4 3 2  
 ♥ T 8 4  
 ♦ Q  
 ♣ Q T 8 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K 8  
 ♥ 9 6 5  
 ♦ T 9 8 7 3  
 ♣ 5 4

♠ Q 9 6 5  
 ♥ A K Q J 7  
 ♦ A 5  
 ♣ K 7

Shape 4315 3352 4522 2254  
 HCP 5 7 19 9  
 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	2 ♣	2 ♦	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by South			

**Board 178**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8 5 2

♥ T 8 6 2

♦ 6 4

♣ A Q 5

♠ Q 9 4 3

♥ J 9 5 4

♦ 9

♣ K 8 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 7

♥ Q 3

♦ A J 8 5 3

♣ T 7 4

♠ K 6

♥ A K 7

♦ K Q T 7 2

♣ J 9 2

Shape 4414 3253 2353 4423

HCP 6 8 16 10

Losers 8 10 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

3 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3 ♣ by South

**Board 179**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 4  
♥ J 8 4  
♦ K Q 9 6  
♣ 9 8 6 2

♠ 9 3

♥ K Q T 9 7

♦ J 8 4

♣ J 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q T 7 5 2

♥ A 3 2

♦ A T 3

♣ T 5

♠ A K J 6

♥ 6 5

♦ 7 5 2

♣ A K Q 4

Shape 2533 5332 4234 2344

HCP 7 10 17 6

Losers 9 8 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

Pass

Pass

Dbl

Pass

2 ♣

Pass

2 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♥ by North

Board 180

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ 8 6 3 2  
♥ K 3 2  
♦ 7 5  
♣ Q 8 6 5



♠ A K J  
♥ T 8 7 4  
♦ K 8 3 2  
♣ A J

♠ Q T 9 7 5  
♥ A Q  
♦ Q T 9 6  
♣ T 4

Shape 4324 5242 3442 1435  
HCP 5 10 16 9  
Losers 9 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♠	
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
1 ♠ by East			

**Board 181**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q J 9 6 5

♥ K 4

♦ J T 7 2

♣ 6

♠ 7 2

♥ Q 8 7 5

♦ Q 9 6 4

♣ Q J 3

W N E S

♠ A 8

♥ J 6

♦ A K 8 5

♣ A 8 7 4 2

♠ T 4 3

♥ A T 9 3 2

♦ 3

♣ K T 9 5

Shape 2443 3514 2245 6241

HCP 7 7 16 10

Losers 8 8 6 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

2 ♠

Dbl

4 ♠

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ X by West

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

**Board 182**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ K J 7

♥ T 4 3

♦ K 8 7 4

♣ T 7 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A T 5 3

♥ 7

♦ Q J T 9 3

♣ 9 5 2

♠ Q 8 6

♥ A Q J 8 2

♦ 6

♣ A Q J 4

Shape 3343 4153 3514 3433

HCP 7 7 16 10

Losers 10 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♥ by South

Board 183

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ 9 4  
♥ K Q  
♦ Q 8 6 3 2  
♣ A Q T 2

♠ J T 3 2  
♥ A 8 7 5  
♦ 7  
♣ J 9 8 6



♠ K 6  
♥ J T 6 4 3 2  
♦ T 9  
♣ 5 4 3

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

Shape 4414 2623 5152 2254  
HCP 6 4 17 13  
Losers 9 9 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			4 ♠
1. 16+ HCP			

4 ♠ by South

**Board 184**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T

♥ A 2

♦ K T 7 3 2

♣ 8 6 5 4 2

♠ 9 6 4

♥ T 6

♦ Q 6 5 4

♣ K T 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 7 2

♥ J 9 8 5 4

♦ A J 9

♣ Q

♠ A Q 8 5 3

♥ K Q 7 3

♦ 8

♣ A J 9

Shape 3244 4531 5413 1255

HCP 5 12 16 7

Losers 9 8 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠

Pass

3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by South

Board 185

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ J 8 7 5  
♥ -  
♦ K 8 5  
♣ Q J T 7 5 4

♠ T 9  
♥ Q T 6 5 4 2  
♦ J 4  
♣ A 8 2

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

♠ A 6  
♥ K 9 3  
♦ A Q 9 7 3  
♣ K 9 6

N  
W     E  
   S

Shape 2623 5431 2353 4036  
HCP 7 10 16 7  
Losers 8 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

**Board 186**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ Q 8 4 3

♥ 7

♦ J 7 5 4

♣ Q T 8 2



♠ 9 7 5

♥ A T 9 8 2

♦ T 6 3

♣ 7 6

♠ A K J T

♥ K 3

♦ A 2

♣ J 9 5 4 3

Shape 4144 3532 4225 2542

HCP 5 4 16 15

Losers 8 10 6 5

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♠ by South

Dbl

3 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠

**Board 187**  
 South Deals  
 None Vul

♠ K 8 6 5  
 ♥ J T 6  
 ♦ T 7 2  
 ♣ T 9 2

♠ Q T 7 4  
 ♥ 2  
 ♦ Q 9 8 3  
 ♣ J 7 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

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

Shape 4144 1822 4144 4333  
 HCP 5 14 17 4  
 Losers 8 4 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by East

**Board 188**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 8 5 2

♥ 6 4

♦ K T 9

♣ 7 4 3

♠ 7 4

♥ J 5

♦ J 6 4

♣ K J T 9 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 6

♥ K T 7

♦ Q 7 5 3 2

♣ A Q 6

♠ A Q T 3

♥ A Q 9 8 3 2

♦ A 8

♣ 8

Shape 2236 2353 4621 5233

HCP 6 14 16 4

Losers 9 6 4 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

2♦

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2♥ by South

**Board 189**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 6 5 3  
♥ A Q J 6 4  
♦ 7 4  
♣ 5 3

♠ J 4 2

♥ K 7 3 2

♦ 9 6

♣ Q 6 4 2



♠ K Q

♥ T 9

♦ A T 8 3

♣ J T 9 8 7

♠ A T 9 8

♥ 8 5

♦ K Q J 5 2

♣ A K

Shape 3424 2245 4252 4522

HCP 6 10 17 7

Losers 9 8 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2 ♠ by South

Board 190  
South Deals  
None Vul

♠ K Q 9 6  
♥ K Q 6  
♦ Q 4  
♣ 8 5 4 3

♠ A J 4 2  
♥ T 9 7 5  
♦ 9 5 2  
♣ Q 9

N  
W     E  
S

♠ T 8 5 3  
♥ 8  
♦ K T 8 7 6 3  
♣ T 7

♠ 7  
♥ A J 4 3 2  
♦ A J  
♣ A K J 6 2

Shape 4432 4162 1525 4324  
HCP 7 3 18 12  
Losers 10 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	4 ♥		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
4 ♥ by South			

**Board 191**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 3  
 ♥ J 8 5 3  
 ♦ K Q J 7 3  
 ♣ Q 5 3

♠ A T 8 6 5 2

♥ K

♦ 8 6 2

♣ T 7 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q 9  
 ♥ Q T 7 6 2  
 ♦ 5 4  
 ♣ 9 8 6

♠ J 7 4

♥ A 9 4

♦ A T 9

♣ A K J 4

Shape 6133 3523 3334 1453

HCP 7 7 17 9

Losers 9 8 8 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. 1X-(1Y)-2Z weak

3. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by North

Board 192

South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

♠ A Q T 6 5  
♥ 4  
♦ 7 4 2  
♣ 9 6 5 4



♠ J 7 2  
♥ T 9 8 2  
♦ J T 8  
♣ A J 8

♠ -  
♥ A K 6 5 3  
♦ A Q 9 5 3  
♣ K Q 3

Shape 5134 3433 0553 5323  
HCP 6 7 18 9  
Losers 8 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3NT by North

Board 193

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ 3  
♥ T 9 7  
♦ Q 8 5 4 2  
♣ Q 9 4 2

♠ T  
♥ Q 8 4 3  
♦ K T 9 7  
♣ 8 6 5 3

N  
W     E  
   S

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

♠ A K J 7 6 2  
♥ K J 6 2  
♦ A 6  
♣ J

Shape 1444 5224 6421 1354  
HCP 5 14 17 4  
Losers 8 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	2 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
2 ♥ by South			

**Board 194**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9 6 3

♥ T 8 5

♦ A 8 4 2

♣ A 3

♠ J T 7 5

♥ 9 3

♦ Q 7 5

♣ K T 5 4



♠ 4 2

♥ K 6 4 2

♦ K J 9 6

♣ 9 7 6

♠ A Q 8

♥ A Q J 7

♦ T 3

♣ Q J 8 2

Shape 4234 2443 3424 4342

HCP 6 7 16 11

Losers 9 9 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2 ♥ by South

**Board 195**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 6  
♥ Q T 6 5  
♦ Q 8 3 2  
♣ T 5 2

♠ Q J 9 5

♥ 4 3

♦ K 7 6 5

♣ 9 7 3



♠ A 8 4 3 2

♥ A K 9 7 2

♦ 9 4

♣ 8

♠ K T

♥ J 8

♦ A J T

♣ A K Q J 6 4

Shape 4243 5521 2236 2443

HCP 6 11 19 4

Losers 9 6 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

1♠

1NT

Pass

2NT

Pass

3♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3♣ by South

Board 196  
South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ T 4 3 2  
♥ Q 9 4  
♦ 7 6 4  
♣ 9 7 3

♠ J 5  
♥ K T 8 6 5  
♦ 9  
♣ Q T 5 4 2

♠ A K Q 8 7  
♥ 7 3  
♦ A T 5 3 2  
♣ K

♠ 9 6  
♥ A J 2  
♦ K Q J 8  
♣ A J 8 6

N  
W       E  
     S

Shape 2515 5251 2344 4333  
HCP 6 16 16 2  
Losers 7 5 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♠	Pass
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♦	Dbl
3 ♠			
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3 ♠ by East			

**Board 197**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9 3  
♥ Q T 9 7  
♦ 8 5  
♣ Q 8 7 2

♠ J T 7 6

♥ K 5

♦ 7 6 3 2

♣ J T 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 5 2

♥ J 4 3

♦ A Q T 9

♣ 9 6 5

♠ A Q 4

♥ A 8 6 2

♦ K J 4

♣ A K 3

Shape 4243 3343 3433 3424

HCP 5 7 21 7

Losers 10 10 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 198**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 5  
♥ J 9 8 7  
♦ J 9 7 6  
♣ Q 7

♠ Q 8 4 2  
♥ K 6 5 4 2  
♦ Q T 5  
♣ 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 6  
♥ A T  
♦ 8 4 2  
♣ A T 9 8 6 2

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

Shape 4531 2236 4234 3442

HCP 7 12 16 5

Losers 7 7 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♣	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Dbl	Pass
Pass	3 ♠		
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. limit raise or better in !S

3 ♠ by South

**Board 199**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

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

♠ J 8 7 6 4 3  
 ♥ 6 4  
 ♦ A 9 8 2  
 ♣ T



♠ A K  
 ♥ A K J 3  
 ♦ K J 7  
 ♣ J 7 5 2

♠ T 5  
 ♥ Q 9 2  
 ♦ Q T 5 3  
 ♣ A 9 8 4

Shape 6241 2344 2434 3424  
 HCP 5 8 20 7  
 Losers 8 8 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 200

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q  
♥ K T 9 8 5 3  
♦ 4  
♣ T 9 8 4 2

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



♠ K T 8 6  
♥ J 7  
♦ J T 9 3 2  
♣ A 3

♠ 4  
♥ A Q 6  
♦ A K Q 8 5  
♣ K J 6 5

Shape 7222 4252 1354 1615  
HCP 7 9 19 5  
Losers 8 8 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

2 ♥      4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

**Board 201**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4 3 2

♥ Q 6 5

♦ K 7

♣ A 8 7 5 2

♠ K Q T 7 5

♥ T 7 4 3

♦ Q

♣ T 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 8

♥ 8 2

♦ A T 6 5 3 2

♣ Q 9

♠ A 6

♥ A K J 9

♦ J 9 8 4

♣ K J 3

Shape 5413 3262 2443 3325

HCP 7 7 17 9

Losers 8 9 7 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4 ♥ by South

Board 202

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ J 7 6 5  
♥ K J 3  
♦ J 5 2  
♣ T 7 6

♠ K T 9  
♥ 9 8 7 5 2  
♦ K 7  
♣ 9 5 2

♠ 4  
♥ A Q 4  
♦ T 9 8 6 3  
♣ A J 4 3

♠ A Q 8 3 2  
♥ T 6  
♦ A Q 4  
♣ K Q 8

W

N  
E  
S

Shape 3523 1354 5233 4333  
HCP 6 11 17 6  
Losers 9 7 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♠		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
4 ♠ by South			

**Board 203**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 7 5

♥ 9 7 4

♦ 6 5 4

♣ A 8 5

♠ A J 9

♥ J 8 3

♦ 2

♣ T 9 7 6 4 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6 4 3 2

♥ 5 2

♦ Q J 8 7 3

♣ Q

♠ Q

♥ A K Q T 6

♦ A K T 9

♣ K J 3

Shape 3316 5251 1543 4333

HCP 6 5 22 7

Losers 9 8 4 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 204**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7 2  
♥ T 4 3  
♦ T 7 5 2  
♣ T 7 6

♠ J T 9 5 3

♥ 8 5

♦ 8

♣ A Q 5 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 4

♥ Q J 9 7 6

♦ K 9 4

♣ K 8 4

♠ A Q 6

♥ A K 2

♦ A Q J 6 3

♣ J 9

Shape 5215 2533 3352 3343

HCP 7 12 21 0

Losers 7 7 5 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

**Board 205**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 7

♥ 7

♦ K 8 5 4 3

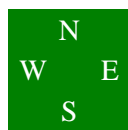
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♠ 6 4 3 2

♥ K Q 9 6 3

♦ 7

♣ T 6 2



♠ K Q 9 8 5

♥ T 5 2

♦ A T 9 2

♣ 9

♠ T

♥ A J 8 4

♦ Q J 6

♣ A K Q 4 3

Shape 4513 5341 1435 3154

HCP 5 9 17 9

Losers 8 7 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♦

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♦ X by West

Pass

3 ♣

1 ♠

3 ♦

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♣

Dbl

Board 206

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ K J 9 8 7 3  
♥ K 9 4  
♦ A 3  
♣ K 4

♠ Q T 4  
♥ 7 5  
♦ K Q 7 5 4  
♣ T 8 3



♠ 6 5 2  
♥ T 8 6  
♦ T 9  
♣ 9 7 6 5 2

♠ A  
♥ A Q J 3 2  
♦ J 8 6 2  
♣ A Q J

Shape 3253 3325 1543 6322  
HCP 7 0 19 14  
Losers 8 11 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1 ♠      3NT  
All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by North

Board 207

South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

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



♠ J 7  
♥ A J  
♦ T 6 4 2  
♣ 9 8 6 5 4

♠ A K T 9 8 6  
♥ T 4 2  
♦ K 8  
♣ A K

Shape 3334 2245 6322 2542  
HCP 6 6 17 11  
Losers 10 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♥	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by South			

**Board 208**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 6 4  
♥ Q T 4  
♦ Q T 8 5  
♣ 9 4

♠ Q 7

♥ 9 7 6

♦ K J 9 6 4 3

♣ T 5



♠ 5 2

♥ A K 5 3 2

♦ 7

♣ Q J 6 3 2

♠ A K T 8 3

♥ J 8

♦ A 2

♣ A K 8 7

Shape 2362 2515 5224 4342

HCP 6 10 19 5

Losers 9 6 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. strength cue bid

3 ♠ by South

**Board 209**  
 South Deals  
 None Vul

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

♠ A T 7 6 4  
 ♥ Q J 8 4  
 ♦ 8 5  
 ♣ T 7



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

♠ -  
 ♥ K T 9 6 5 3  
 ♦ 9 7 3  
 ♣ J 6 5 3

Shape 5422 0634 3154 5233  
 HCP 7 4 23 6  
 Losers 8 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

Pass	3NT		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 210**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ A 3  
 ♥ 3 2  
 ♦ A Q 9 8 2  
 ♣ Q T 6 2

♠ Q T 9 8 4  
 ♥ 9 8 7 5  
 ♦ 3  
 ♣ K 8 3

N  
 W     E  
 S

♠ K J 6 2  
 ♥ A K Q J  
 ♦ 7  
 ♣ A J 9 7

♠ 7 5  
 ♥ T 6 4  
 ♦ K J T 6 5 4  
 ♣ 5 4

Shape 5413 2362 4414 2254  
 HCP 5 4 19 12  
 Losers 8 9 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

1 ♦	Pass	4 ♦	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠		Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

**Board 211**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 8 7 6 5

♥ 7

♦ Q T 7 4

♣ T 9

♠ A 9 2

♥ Q T 8 6 4 3

♦ 6

♣ J 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 3

♥ 9 2

♦ J 9 8 5 3 2

♣ K 3

♠ 4

♥ A K J 5

♦ A K

♣ A Q 8 7 6 4

Shape 3613 3262 1426 6142

HCP 7 8 21 4

Losers 8 8 3 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

3♥

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

5♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

4NT  
7♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

7♥ by North

**Board 212**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9  
♥ T 9 5  
♦ A T 5  
♣ A T 9 8 5

♠ K 5 4 3

♥ J 7 6 4

♦ J 8 7 6

♣ 2



♠ Q 7 6 2  
♥ K Q 3 2  
♦ 2  
♣ Q J 6 3

♠ A T 8

♥ A 8

♦ K Q 9 4 3

♣ K 7 4

Shape 4441 4414 3253 2335

HCP 5 10 16 9

Losers 9 6 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

1NT by South

**Board 213**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ K T 6  
 ♥ K 9 7 2  
 ♦ A 2  
 ♣ J 6 5 3

♠ Q J 9 7 5  
 ♥ Q 8  
 ♦ J T 9 6  
 ♣ 8 2

N  
 W     E  
 S

♠ 8 4 3  
 ♥ J T 6  
 ♦ 8 5  
 ♣ K Q T 7 4

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

Shape 5242 3325 2452 3424  
 HCP 6 6 17 11  
 Losers 9 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
 2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

**Board 214**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ A Q T 9 3 2

♥ T 5

♦ 8 2

♣ 7 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 7 6  
 ♥ Q 9  
 ♦ J 9 7 6 5  
 ♣ Q 8 6

♠ K J 4

♥ A 3

♦ A K Q

♣ A K T 9 5

Shape 6223 3253 3235 1732

HCP 6 5 24 5

Losers 8 10 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

**Board 215**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 7  
♥ A K Q T 5 3  
♦ K 7 6  
♣ Q 3

♠ A T 6 2

♥ 9 6 4

♦ T 9 5

♣ J 8 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 5 4 3

♥ 7 2

♦ J 8 2

♣ T 9 5 4

♠ K J 8

♥ J 8

♦ A Q 4 3

♣ A K 7 6

Shape 4333 4234 3244 2632

HCP 5 1 18 16

Losers 11 11 6 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♥

Dbl

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥

2 ♠

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♠ by South

**Board 216**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A T 6 2

♥ 8 6 4

♦ 5 3

♣ Q 7 3 2

♠ 7

♥ Q J T 9 7 2

♦ Q 9 6

♣ 8 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 4

♥ 5

♦ J 8 7 4 2

♣ A K 9 5

♠ Q J 8 5 3

♥ A K 3

♦ A K T

♣ J T

Shape 1633 3154 5332 4324

HCP 5 11 18 6

Losers 8 7 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

3♥

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4♥ by North

**Board 217**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ 9 8 2

♥ J 5 4 3

♦ J T 9 8

♣ K 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 7 6 4 3

♥ 9 7 2

♦ 3

♣ T 7 6 3

♠ K Q T 5

♥ A K T 8 6

♦ Q

♣ A 5 4

Shape 3442 5314 4513 1174

HCP 5 1 18 16

Losers 10 10 5 4

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♦	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥	Pass	Dbl
3 ♦	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
4 ♦	Dbl		Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♦ X by West

**Board 218**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 6 4  
♥ 5  
♦ A T 9 6  
♣ A Q 9 5 3

♠ A T 7 2  
♥ A Q 7 3  
♦ K  
♣ K T 8 4

Shape 4522 3145 4414 2362

HCP 5 13 16 6

Losers 9 6 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 219

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ A K 7 3  
♥ Q  
♦ J 9 5  
♣ K T 7 4 3

♠ Q J T 9 8 5  
♥ K 9 6 4  
♦ 8  
♣ 9 6



♠ 6 4  
♥ J T 7 5 3 2  
♦ T 6 3  
♣ J 5

♠ 2  
♥ A 8  
♦ A K Q 7 4 2  
♣ A Q 8 2

Shape 6412 2632 1264 4135  
HCP 6 2 19 13  
Losers 7 10 3 7

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

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

**Board 220**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 8 5 4 2

♥ J 7 3

♦ -

♣ Q 6 4 2

♠ J T 7 6

♥ K 6 4 2

♦ J 4 3 2

♣ 7



♠ Q 3

♥ T 9 5

♦ K 6 5

♣ K J T 9 3

♠ K

♥ A Q 8

♦ A Q T 9 8 7

♣ A 8 5

Shape 4441 2335 1363 6304

HCP 5 9 19 7

Losers 9 9 5 7

West

*EPBot*

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

North

*EPBot*

Dbl

5 ♦

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♦

5 ♦ by South

**Board 221**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 9 7 6 5

♥ Q

♦ Q T

♣ A 9 6 4

♠ 2

♥ J 5 4 3 2

♦ K 8 5 3 2

♣ J 8



♠ 8

♥ K T 9 8 6

♦ 6

♣ Q T 7 5 3 2

♠ K Q T 4 3

♥ A 7

♦ A J 9 7 4

♣ K

Shape 1552 1516 5251 6124

HCP 5 5 17 13

Losers 8 6 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♦ by North

2 ♥

3 ♦

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

**Board 222**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ J 4

♥ 8 6 4

♦ A 9 7

♣ Q T 8 6 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q T 9 6 5 2

♥ Q T

♦ T 8

♣ A 9 4

♠ A 7

♥ A 9 3

♦ K Q J 6 3

♣ K 7 5

Shape 2335 6223 2353 3532

HCP 7 8 17 8

Losers 9 8 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

2 ♥<sup>2</sup>

4 ♣

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♦

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

4 ♣ by South

**Board 223**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J T 7 3 2

♥ Q 5 4 2

♦ 8 2

♣ 8 7

♠ A 6 5 4

♥ J 9 6 3

♦ 6 3

♣ J 6 4



♠ Q 8

♥ K 8 7

♦ A K J T 7 5 4

♣ 2

♠ K 9

♥ A T

♦ Q 9

♣ A K Q T 9 5 3

Shape 4423 2371 2227 5422

HCP 6 13 18 3

Losers 10 6 4 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>Pass 1 ♦<sup>2</sup> 2 ♦ 3 ♣

Pass Pass 3 ♦ 4 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♣ by South

**Board 224**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ T 8 5

♥ A Q T 8

♦ 9 8 2

♣ T 8 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 7 3

♥ 9 6 5

♦ 6 3

♣ A K 5 3

♠ A Q J 6 4

♥ K 4

♦ K Q T 4

♣ J 4

Shape 3433 4324 5242 1444

HCP 6 10 16 8

Losers 10 8 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3♠ by South

Board 225

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q 6 4  
♥ 5 4 3  
♦ 8 4  
♣ A J T 5 3

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

N  
W     E  
S

♠ K T 9 8 3 2  
♥ K J 2  
♦ 9  
♣ K 9 6

♠ A 7  
♥ A Q T 8 6  
♦ A T 6  
♣ Q 7 2

Shape 2272 6313 2533 3325  
HCP 7 10 16 7  
Losers 7 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	5 ♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
5 ♦ by North			

**Board 226**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ T 7 6 3

♥ K Q J 8

♦ J 9 6

♣ 9 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 9 4

♥ T 6 5

♦ K 8

♣ 8 7 4 3

♠ A K 5 2

♥ A 7 2

♦ A T 4 2

♣ Q 2

Shape 4432 4324 4342 1345

HCP 7 6 17 10

Losers 9 9 7 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3 ♠ by South

**Board 227**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 8 6 5 2

♥ A K 8 4

♦ J 3 2

♣ Q

♠ 7 4 3

♥ 6 3

♦ T 8 4

♣ A K T 8 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K

♥ Q T 7 5

♦ 7

♣ J 9 7 6 5 4 3

♠ A Q J 9

♥ J 9 2

♦ A K Q 9 6 5

♣ -

Shape 3235 1417 4360 5431

HCP 7 6 17 10

Losers 9 7 4 8

West

*EPBot*

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

4 ♣ by South

North

*EPBot*2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

4 ♣

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♦

**Board 228**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6  
♥ 6  
♦ A J T 4 3  
♣ K J 9 7 4 3

♠ Q 8  
♥ J T 9 7 2  
♦ 7 6 5  
♣ A 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 5 4 2  
♥ K 8 5 4  
♦ K 9  
♣ T 8 2

♠ A K J T 7 3  
♥ A Q 3  
♦ Q 8 2  
♣ Q

Shape 2533 4423 6331 1156

HCP 7 6 18 9

Losers 10 9 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

Pass	4 ♠		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

4 ♠ by South

**Board 229**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9  
♥ A T 4  
♦ 9 6 5  
♣ Q 9 8 4 3

♠ 6 5 4 2

♥ K 8 3 2

♦ 3 2

♣ K T 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K Q J

♥ J 7 6 5

♦ A K Q

♣ 6 5

♠ 8 7 3

♥ Q 9

♦ J T 8 7 4

♣ A J 2

Shape 4423 3253 4432 2335

HCP 6 8 20 6

Losers 9 10 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4 ♥ by South

**Board 230**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 8 6 4 3

♥ 9 8 7 2

♦ J 9

♣ 8 2

♠ A T 2

♥ Q J T

♦ 8 7 6 4

♣ 6 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 7

♥ K 6 4 3

♦ T 5

♣ A J 9 7 4

♠ Q 9 5

♥ A 5

♦ A K Q 3 2

♣ K Q T

Shape 3343 2425 3253 5422

HCP 7 9 20 4

Losers 10 8 4 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3NT

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 231**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6  
♥ 5 3  
♦ 9 8 5 3  
♣ J T 9 4 3

♠ 5 3 2

♥ A J 7 6 2

♦ J T 2

♣ 6 2



♠ T 7 4

♥ K T 9 4

♦ K Q 7 4

♣ K 7

♠ A K Q J 9

♥ Q 8

♦ A 6

♣ A Q 8 5

Shape 3532 3442 5224 2245

HCP 6 11 22 1

Losers 10 7 4 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

4 ♠

Pass

**Board 232**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ 4 2

♥ Q J T 5

♦ T 7 6

♣ Q T 9 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 9 5 3

♥ A 9 3

♦ Q 9 2

♣ 7 3

♠ A J 7 6

♥ 8 7

♦ A K J 4

♣ A K 2

Shape 2434 5332 4243 2434

HCP 5 9 20 6

Losers 9 8 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 233**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 7 6 2

♥ J 9 4

♦ J 2

♣ 9 8 4

♠ A 9

♥ Q T 7 2

♦ T 7 5

♣ J 7 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 5 4 3

♥ A

♦ 8 6 4 3

♣ A T 3

♠ 8

♥ K 8 6 5 3

♦ A K Q 9

♣ K Q 2

Shape 2434 5143 1543 5323

HCP 7 12 17 4

Losers 9 7 4 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥

3 ♠

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 234**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 8

♥ -

♦ A K Q T 8 6 5 4

♣ 5 4 2

♠ K 7 5

♥ 9 6 2

♦ 9 2

♣ A T 8 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 6 4 2

♥ A 7 5

♦ J 7 3

♣ J 9 6

♠ A J T 3

♥ K Q J T 8 4 3

♦ -

♣ K Q

Shape 3325 4333 4702 2083

HCP 7 6 16 11

Losers 9 11 4 5

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♦

Pass

Pass

All Pass

2 ♦<sup>2</sup>

4 ♥

5 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass

Pass

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥

4NT

5 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by South

**Board 235**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 9 6 3

♥ 8 5

♦ J 7 2

♣ J 8 6 4

♠ J 8 7 5 2

♥ 2

♦ A T 6 3

♣ T 5 2



♠ T 4

♥ K J T 4 3

♦ K Q 9

♣ 9 7 3

♠ K Q

♥ A Q 9 7 6

♦ 8 5 4

♣ A K Q

Shape 5143 2533 2533 4234

HCP 5 9 20 6

Losers 9 8 5 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

1NT

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

**Board 236**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ Q 7 4 2

♥ 7 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ K J 9 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 8 6

♥ K 9 8 3

♦ 8 3

♣ 8 6 4

♠ A 9 5

♥ A Q J 4

♦ A 9 7

♣ Q T 7

Shape 4324 4423 3433 2263

HCP 6 7 17 10

Losers 9 9 7 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

2 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2NT by South

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2NT

Board 237

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 6 5 3 2

♥ 8

♦ Q 8 2

♣ 9 7 5 2

♠ 9 8 4

♥ 5 4

♦ J 7 6 4 3

♣ A 8 6



♠ Q J 7

♥ K J 9 6 3 2

♦ K T

♣ 4 3

♠ K T

♥ A Q T 7

♦ A 9 5

♣ K Q J T

Shape 3253 3622 2434 5134

HCP 5 10 19 6

Losers 10 7 5 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

2♥

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

Board 238  
South Deals  
None Vul

♠ 6 5 3 2  
♥ 8 2  
♦ A 6 3  
♣ Q 9 5 2

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

N  
W     E  
   S

♠ Q J  
♥ A K 9 5 4 3  
♦ J T  
♣ T 6 4

♠ A 8 7  
♥ Q T  
♦ Q 9 7 2  
♣ A K J 7

Shape 4342 2623 3244 4234  
HCP 7 11 16 6  
Losers 9 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♥	
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
2 ♥ by East			

**Board 239**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 6 2  
♥ T 7  
♦ J 8  
♣ K J T 9 4 2

♠ Q 9

♥ 8 5 4 3

♦ 7 6 5

♣ A 8 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

♠ A 8 5 4

♥ A Q J 6

♦ K Q T 2

♣ Q

Shape 2434 4342 4441 3226

HCP 6 11 18 5

Losers 10 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
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Pass	4 ♥		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 240**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 4 3 2

♥ 7 6 3

♦ 2

♣ A J T 3

♠ K J 9

♥ T 5 4

♦ T 9 8 6

♣ Q 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q T 6 5

♥ Q 8 2

♦ A K J 4

♣ 9 5

♠ A

♥ A K J 9

♦ Q 7 5 3

♣ K 8 7 2

Shape 3343 4342 1444 5314

HCP 6 12 17 5

Losers 10 7 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♥ by South

Board 241

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ K T 9 5  
♥ 3  
♦ A 7  
♣ A Q T 7 6 2

♠ Q J 8 7 6 4 3  
♥ 5 2  
♦ Q T  
♣ 8 5



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

♠ -  
♥ A K Q T 9 8 4  
♦ K 9 8 6  
♣ K J

Shape 7222 2353 0742 4126  
HCP 5 6 16 13  
Losers 8 10 3 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

2 ♣      4 ♠  
All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

Board 242

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ A J T 7  
♥ Q T 2  
♦ 6  
♣ Q J 9 7 5

♠ 8 5  
♥ K 9 6 5 4 3  
♦ T 9  
♣ A 6 3

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

N  
W   E  
S

♠ 2  
♥ A J 7  
♦ A K Q 8 3 2  
♣ K T 2

Shape 2623 6142 1363 4315  
HCP 7 6 17 10  
Losers 8 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

**Board 243**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 3

♥ K T 9

♦ J T 4 3

♣ K 6 4

♠ Q J 6 4 2

♥ 6 4 3

♦ K 2

♣ 5 3 2



♠ K 7 5

♥ A J 7

♦ 9 6 5

♣ J T 9 8

♠ A T

♥ Q 8 5 2

♦ A Q 8 7

♣ A Q 7

Shape 5323 3334 2443 3343

HCP 6 9 18 7

Losers 9 10 5 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

Board 244  
South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ 4 3  
♥ 9 8 7 2  
♦ T 8 7  
♣ J 8 5 4

♠ 6 5 2  
♥ Q J 6 4  
♦ 9 6 2  
♣ Q 6 3

N  
W     E  
   S

♠ A K Q T 8 7  
♥ A 5  
♦ J 5 3  
♣ K 2

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

Shape 3433 6232 2344 2434  
HCP 5 17 17 1  
Losers 10 5 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♠	
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
1 ♠ by East			

Board 245

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ Q J 5 4 3  
♥ 6 3  
♦ J 5 4  
♣ A T 9

♠ A 6 2  
♥ T 5 4  
♦ T 9 7 2  
♣ J 7 5



♠ K T 9 8 7  
♥ J 8  
♦ A 8  
♣ K 8 4 2

♠ -  
♥ A K Q 9 7 2  
♦ K Q 6 3  
♣ Q 6 3

Shape 3343 5224 0643 5233  
HCP 5 11 16 8  
Losers 11 7 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by West			

**Board 246**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 2  
♥ A J 9 8 7 5 4  
♦ 8 7 5  
♣ 9 5

♠ T 9 7 4 3

♥ T 3

♦ K 6 4

♣ A T 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q J 8 6

♥ 6 2

♦ -

♣ K Q J 8 6 4

♠ A 5

♥ K Q

♦ A Q J T 9 3 2

♣ 7 2

Shape 5233 5206 2272 1732

HCP 7 12 16 5

Losers 9 4 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥

Dbl

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

4 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♦ by South

**Board 247**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K T 2  
♥ T 4  
♦ 8 6 5  
♣ Q T 9 8 6

♠ Q J 9 7 6 4

♥ 9 8 5 3

♦ 7

♣ K 3



♠ 8 5  
♥ K J 7  
♦ K Q J T 9 2  
♣ 5 2

♠ A 3

♥ A Q 6 2

♦ A 4 3

♣ A J 7 4

Shape 6412 2362 2434 3235

HCP 6 10 19 5

Losers 7 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4 ♠ by South

**Board 248**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6  
♥ 5 2  
♦ J 6 2  
♣ A K Q J T 8 7

♠ T 3 2  
♥ K 6 3  
♦ Q 9 5 4  
♣ 4 3 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ A Q 5 4  
♥ A Q J 9  
♦ A 8 3  
♣ 9 5

♠ K J 9 8 7  
♥ T 8 7 4  
♦ K T 7  
♣ 6

Shape 3343 5431 4432 1237

HCP 5 7 17 11

Losers 10 8 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

2♣	Pass	Pass	1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♦		Dbl

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2♦ by North

Board 249

South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

♠ Q 8 4  
♥ K Q 9 7 4  
♦ 9 4  
♣ T 9 2



♠ 5  
♥ J T 8 6 5  
♦ J 3 2  
♣ Q J 7 5

♠ A T  
♥ 2  
♦ A Q T 7 5  
♣ A K 8 6 4

Shape 3523 1534 2155 7231  
HCP 7 5 17 11  
Losers 8 9 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1 ♠                      3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by North

**Board 250**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 8 7 3  
♥ 2  
♦ J 8 6 5 4  
♣ 8 5 3

♠ K J 9 6 4

♥ T 9 6 5

♦ K 7

♣ T 4



♠ A Q 5

♥ Q 7 4

♦ Q T 9 3

♣ K Q 7

♠ 2

♥ A K J 8 3

♦ A 2

♣ A J 9 6 2

Shape 5422 3343 1525 4153

HCP 7 15 17 1

Losers 8 6 5 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1NT

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

1NTX by East

Board 251

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ A K 6  
♥ 4  
♦ K 9 6 5 3  
♣ K T 8 3

♠ Q 8 3  
♥ 8 6 3  
♦ Q T 7 2  
♣ J 6 2



♠ J 9 5 2  
♥ A Q J 7  
♦ A J 8  
♣ A Q

♠ T 7 4  
♥ K T 9 5 2  
♦ 4  
♣ 9 7 5 4

Shape 3343 3514 4432 3154  
HCP 5 3 19 13  
Losers 10 9 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT		1NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

2NT by South

**Board 252**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5 4 3

♥ K

♦ 7 2

♣ J T 9 8 7 6

♠ 8 7 2

♥ J T 4

♦ Q J T 5

♣ Q 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 6

♥ 9 5 3 2

♦ A 9 8 6 3

♣ A

♠ A Q 9

♥ A Q 8 7 6

♦ K 4

♣ K 5 4

Shape 3343 3451 3523 4126

HCP 6 11 18 5

Losers 10 7 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♥ by South

**Board 253**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

♠ T  
 ♥ J 9 6 5 4  
 ♦ T 8 7 4  
 ♣ 8 6 4

♠ J 8 4 3  
 ♥ T 8 3 2  
 ♦ 9 6 2  
 ♣ A Q



♠ 7 5  
 ♥ A K  
 ♦ K Q J 3  
 ♣ K T 7 3 2

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

Shape 4432 6223 2245 1543  
 HCP 7 16 16 1  
 Losers 10 6 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

2NT by North

Board 254

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ K Q T 7 2  
♥ Q 2  
♦ A K J 8  
♣ J 2

♠ 9 8 6 4 3  
♥ A 8  
♦ Q 3  
♣ 9 8 7 3



♠ J 5  
♥ J T 5 3  
♦ T 6 5 2  
♣ T 5 4

♠ A  
♥ K 9 7 6 4  
♦ 9 7 4  
♣ A K Q 6

Shape 5224 2443 1534 5242  
HCP 6 2 16 16  
Losers 9 11 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Rdbl	2 ♣	Pass	Pass
2 ♦	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♥ by South			

Board 255

South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

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



♠ A K J 7  
♥ T 4 3  
♦ 7 6 5 4 2  
♣ T

♠ T 6 2  
♥ A 2  
♦ A K T 8 3  
♣ A K 7

Shape 3613 4351 3253 3226  
HCP 6 8 18 8  
Losers 8 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

Board 256

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ A 9 8 5 3 2  
♥ T 5 2  
♦ K 4 3  
♣ J

♠ J  
♥ J 8 6 4 3  
♦ 8 5  
♣ A 9 5 4 3



♠ 7 6 4  
♥ -  
♦ Q T 9 6 2  
♣ Q T 7 6 2

♠ K Q T  
♥ A K Q 9 7  
♦ A J 7  
♣ K 8

Shape 1525 3055 3532 6331  
HCP 6 4 22 8  
Losers 8 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Dbl	4 ♠	5 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
5 ♥ by South			

**Board 257**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 8 7 6

♥ Q 6 4

♦ 7

♣ A 6 4 3

♠ Q 4

♥ T 5

♦ 9 8 5 2

♣ K Q T 7 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 5 3 2

♥ 9 8 7 3 2

♦ 4

♣ J 9

♠ K

♥ A K J

♦ A K Q J T 6 3

♣ 8 2

Shape 2245 5512 1372 5314

HCP 7 5 21 7

Losers 8 8 4 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 258**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9 7 4  
♥ T 3  
♦ J T 4 3 2  
♣ 8 4

♠ 5

♥ K 9 8 6 2

♦ 8 7 5

♣ K 7 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A T 6 3 2

♥ 5 4

♦ A K Q

♣ T 6 2

♠ Q J 8

♥ A Q J 7

♦ 9 6

♣ A Q J 9

Shape 1534 5233 3424 4252

HCP 6 13 17 4

Losers 8 7 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by East

Board 259

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ A J T 7 4  
♥ A Q 3  
♦ T 8  
♣ J 7 3

♠ Q 9  
♥ J T 9 8 7 6 2  
♦ Q 6 5 2  
♣ -



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

♠ K 8 2  
♥ -  
♦ A K J 4 3  
♣ K Q T 8 6

Shape 2740 3325 3055 5323  
HCP 5 7 16 12  
Losers 7 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1 ♠  
All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by North

**Board 260**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 3  
♥ A K 8 6 5  
♦ 8  
♣ K T 6 5 4 2

♠ 9 7 6 4  
♥ J T 7  
♦ A T 6 3 2  
♣ 9



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

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

Shape 4351 3433 5143 1516

HCP 5 8 17 10

Losers 9 10 4 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by North

Board 261

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ J 8 4 2  
♥ J 9 6  
♦ J 9 4  
♣ A J 8

♠ 9 7  
♥ K 8 2  
♦ 8 6 5 2  
♣ Q T 5 4



♠ A K Q 3  
♥ A 7 5  
♦ K T 7  
♣ K 7 6

♠ T 6 5  
♥ Q T 4 3  
♦ A Q 3  
♣ 9 3 2

Shape 2344 3433 4333 4333  
HCP 5 8 19 8  
Losers 9 9 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

1NT by South

**Board 262**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 6 5  
♥ 5 2  
♦ Q J 8 5 3  
♣ 8 7 3

♠ 7 3

♥ K 4

♦ A T 9 7 4 2

♣ 6 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 8 4

♥ 8 7 3

♦ K

♣ K Q J T 9 4

♠ A Q J 9 2

♥ A Q J T 9 6

♦ 6

♣ A

Shape 2263 3316 5611 3253

HCP 7 12 18 3

Losers 8 7 3 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 263**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

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

♠ A J 8 4  
 ♥ T 9 5 4  
 ♦ 8 7  
 ♣ 7 6 2



♠ Q T 9 5  
 ♥ 8 6  
 ♦ J T 2  
 ♣ K Q T 5

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

Shape 4423 4234 3352 2434  
 HCP 5 8 18 9  
 Losers 10 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

Pass	1♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			1NT

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

1NT by South

Board 264

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ 7  
♥ J 8 3 2  
♦ K 8 2  
♣ T 9 7 4 3

♠ J T 6 5 4 3 2  
♥ A T 5 4  
♦ 4  
♣ 2



♠ Q 9  
♥ Q  
♦ Q J T 9 7 5 3  
♣ K Q J

♠ A K 8  
♥ K 9 7 6  
♦ A 6  
♣ A 8 6 5

Shape 7411 2173 3424 1435  
HCP 5 13 18 4  
Losers 7 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4♠ by North

Board 265

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ A Q T 7  
♥ K 7 6  
♦ K Q 2  
♣ J T 9

♠ J 8 3 2  
♥ A 3  
♦ T 9 7 3  
♣ 8 6 5



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

♠ 9 4  
♥ J T 8 5 4  
♦ J 8 6 5  
♣ Q 3

Shape 4243 2542 3325 4333  
HCP 5 4 16 15  
Losers 10 10 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1NT	Pass	2 ♦	3 ♣
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3 ♣ by South

**Board 266**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 3  
♥ J 8 5 4 2  
♦ 8 3 2  
♣ K J 4

♠ 4 2

♥ A T 9 3

♦ 7 4

♣ Q 9 7 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 9 8 5

♥ Q 7 6

♦ J 6 5

♣ 6 2

♠ K T 7 6

♥ K

♦ A K Q T 9

♣ A T 8

Shape 2425 5332 4153 2533

HCP 6 6 19 9

Losers 8 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 267**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 2  
♥ 9 6 5  
♦ A T 8 7 6 2  
♣ T 9

♠ Q J 6

♥ T 3 2

♦ 5 3

♣ K 8 7 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 7 3

♥ K 8 4

♦ Q J 9 4

♣ A J 5

♠ A T 9 8 4

♥ A Q J 7

♦ K

♣ Q 3 2

Shape 3325 3343 5413 2362

HCP 6 14 16 4

Losers 9 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♦ X by West

**Board 268**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 6 3

♥ 7 5

♦ A J 8 4

♣ 8 6 3

♠ J T 8 4

♥ Q 8 6 4

♦ 6 2

♣ A 9 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 2

♥ J T 3 2

♦ 7 5 3

♣ K J T 2

♠ Q 7 5

♥ A K 9

♦ K Q T 9

♣ Q 7 4

Shape 4423 2434 3343 4243

HCP 7 8 16 9

Losers 9 9 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2NT by South

**Board 269**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4 3 2

♥ Q 7 2

♦ K T 9 7 3

♣ A 8

♠ 6

♥ T 9 5

♦ Q J 6 2

♣ K T 7 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 8 7

♥ J 6 4 3

♦ A

♣ J 6 4 3

♠ A Q J 9 5

♥ A K 8

♦ 8 5 4

♣ Q 9

Shape 1345 4414 5332 3352

HCP 6 9 16 9

Losers 8 8 7 8

West

*EPBot*

1 ♦

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♣ by South

North

*EPBot*

Pass

2 ♣

East

*EPBot*

1 ♥

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠

**Board 270**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ J T 8 7 4

♥ 5 4

♦ J 9

♣ K T 8 2



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

♠ A K

♥ A K Q 8

♦ Q T 3

♣ A Q 9 5

Shape 5224 2434 2434 4351

HCP 5 4 24 7

Losers 9 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

Pass	1♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4♠		3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♠ by North

**Board 271**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 4  
♥ J T 8 6  
♦ 9 4 2  
♣ 8 6 5 3

♠ K Q T 6 3

♥ 9 7 4 2

♦ T 8 6

♣ T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 7 5 2

♥ A 3

♦ J 5 3

♣ A K J 7

♠ A J

♥ K Q 5

♦ A K Q 7

♣ Q 9 4 2

Shape 5431 4234 2344 2434

HCP 5 13 21 1

Losers 8 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
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Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 272**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 8 5

♥ 9 6 5 2

♦ A T

♣ J 7 5

♠ Q 9 7 4

♥ A 7 3

♦ 9 8 6 2

♣ T 6



♠ K 3 2

♥ T 8 4

♦ K 5 4 3

♣ K 8 2

♠ A 6

♥ K Q J

♦ Q J 7

♣ A Q 9 4 3

Shape 4342 3343 2335 4423

HCP 6 9 19 6

Losers 9 9 5 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2NT

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 273**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 4 3

♥ J 9 6 3

♦ K T 8

♣ Q 5

♠ 7

♥ K Q 8

♦ J 9 5 4

♣ T 8 7 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 5

♥ A T 5 4 2

♦ Q 7 3

♣ K 9 6

♠ A Q J T 6 2

♥ 7

♦ A 6 2

♣ A J 4

Shape 1345 2533 6133 4432

HCP 6 9 16 9

Losers 8 8 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

1 ♠

2 ♥

Pass

Pass

3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by South

**Board 274**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A 9 7  
♥ J 9 5 4 3  
♦ 8 5 3 2  
♣ T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 8 3  
♥ K Q 6  
♦ Q 6  
♣ A Q 7 3

♠ 6 5 4 2  
♥ 8 7 2  
♦ J T  
♣ 9 8 6 5

Shape 3541 4324 4324 2254

HCP 5 1 17 17

Losers 9 11 6 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1NT

2 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♥ by North

Board 275  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

♠ J 6 4 3  
♥ Q T 3  
♦ Q 8 5  
♣ J T 6

♠ A T 8 7 5 2  
♥ 6 4 2  
♦ 4 3  
♣ A 5

N  
W     E  
S

♠ K Q 9  
♥ A 9 7  
♦ A T 7 6  
♣ K 9 2

Shape 4333 6322 3343 0445  
HCP 6 8 16 10  
Losers 10 8 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♠	
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
2 ♠ by East			

**Board 276**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6 3

♥ 4

♦ A 8 7 5

♣ K 6 5 4 3

♠ K Q T 9 5

♥ 2

♦ T 9 6 3

♣ Q 8 7

W N E S

♠ A J 7

♥ A K 9 6

♦ Q J 4 2

♣ A J

♠ 4 2

♥ Q J T 8 7 5 3

♦ K

♣ T 9 2

Shape 5143 2713 3442 3145

HCP 7 6 20 7

Losers 7 8 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

3♥

1♣<sup>1</sup>

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 277**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ 8 4 3  
 ♥ J 9 6  
 ♦ K J T 6  
 ♣ A 7 6

♠ Q 9 7 5  
 ♥ T 8 3  
 ♦ Q  
 ♣ K T 9 5 4



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

♠ T 2  
 ♥ K Q 5 4  
 ♦ 8 7 5  
 ♣ Q J 3 2

Shape 4315 2434 4351 3343  
 HCP 7 8 16 9  
 Losers 8 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2NT		
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

2NT by North

**Board 278**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ T 4

♥ K Q 5

♦ T 8 7 4

♣ J 8 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 6 2

♥ A T 7

♦ J

♣ A Q T 9 3 2

♠ K J 7 5

♥ 3

♦ A K Q 9 6 3

♣ K 7

Shape 2344 3316 4162 4621

HCP 6 15 16 3

Losers 9 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♣	2 ♦
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Pass	2NT	3 ♣	3 ♦
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♦ by North

**Board 279**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 5 3  
♥ J 3  
♦ Q 6  
♣ A Q 9 7 3

♠ 7 2

♥ 6 5 2

♦ J 9 8 3

♣ K J T 5



♠ K T 9 8 6 4

♥ 8 7 4

♦ T 5

♣ 6 4

♠ A

♥ A K Q T 9

♦ A K 7 4 2

♣ 8 2

Shape 2344 6322 1552 4225

HCP 5 3 20 12

Losers 10 9 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	4 ♥		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

Board 280

South Deals  
None Vul

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

♠ 9 8  
♥ 9 7 6  
♦ K  
♣ Q J T 8 7 6 4

N  
W       E  
      S

♠ 7 6 2  
♥ J T 8 5 3  
♦ T 9 3  
♣ 5 3

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

Shape 2317 3532 5242 3352  
HCP 6 1 16 17  
Losers 8 11 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1NT	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3 ♣ by South

**Board 281**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 6  
♥ K T 6 5 4  
♦ 5  
♣ Q 8 7 6 4

♠ K 8

♥ J 9 7 3

♦ J T 8

♣ T 5 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 3

♥ 8

♦ A K 9 7 6 3

♣ K J 9

♠ A T 7 5 4 2

♥ A Q 2

♦ Q 4 2

♣ A

Shape 2434 3163 6331 2515

HCP 5 14 16 5

Losers 10 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♦	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	Dbl		
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♦ X by East

**Board 282**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 8 7 5 2

♥ Q 8 7

♦ K

♣ 8 6 5

♠ Q 4 3

♥ J 9 5 3

♦ J 9 8 5

♣ J 9



♠ 6

♥ A K T

♦ Q T 7 6 3

♣ K T 4 3

♠ A K J

♥ 6 4 2

♦ A 4 2

♣ A Q 7 2

Shape 3442 1354 3334 6313

HCP 5 12 18 5

Losers 10 6 7 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♦

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

**Board 283**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 7  
♥ T 3 2  
♦ K Q J T 5 2  
♣ Q 8

♠ J 6 5 4 2

♥ 9 7 4

♦ 9

♣ A 6 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 8

♥ K Q J 8

♦ A 3

♣ T 7 4

♠ 9 3

♥ A 6 5

♦ 8 7 6 4

♣ K J 9 3

Shape 5314 2344 4423 2362

HCP 5 8 16 11

Losers 9 9 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♦ X by West

**Board 284**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 8 6 5 4

♥ A K 6 4

♦ 6

♣ Q 4 3

♠ 3 2

♥ 8 7 5

♦ K 9 7 3

♣ K 7 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ -

♥ Q J T 9

♦ Q J T 5 4

♣ J 9 8 6

♠ A K Q J 9 7

♥ 3 2

♦ A 8 2

♣ A T

Shape 2344 0454 6232 5413

HCP 6 7 18 9

Losers 9 7 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3NT

All Pass

2♠

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 285**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 7 4 3

♥ T 2

♦ 6 3

♣ J 8 6 2

♠ Q 8 5

♥ J 9 8 3

♦ 9 8

♣ Q T 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 2

♥ 7 5

♦ A Q J 5 4 2

♣ A K 9

♠ A 9 6

♥ A K Q 6 4

♦ K T 7

♣ 7 4

Shape 3424 2263 3532 5224

HCP 5 17 16 2

Losers 9 5 6 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♦

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♥ by South

**Board 286**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ Q T 5 3  
♥ T 7  
♦ J 6  
♣ Q J T 9 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

♠ A J 2  
♥ A 8 5 4 3  
♦ T 5  
♣ 7 4 3

Shape 4225 3523 4243 2452

HCP 6 9 19 6

Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. strength cue bid

3 ♦ by North

**Board 287**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

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

♠ T 4 3  
 ♥ 2  
 ♦ A 8 7 6 4  
 ♣ K 9 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 6 5 2  
 ♥ T 8 7  
 ♦ T  
 ♣ A T 8 2

♠ A K 7  
 ♥ A K Q 4 3  
 ♦ Q J 5  
 ♣ J 3

Shape 3154 5314 3532 2443  
 HCP 7 5 20 8  
 Losers 8 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 288**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T  
♥ T 5  
♦ 6 5 4 2  
♣ A Q 7 6 4

♠ 8 3

♥ 8 6 4 2

♦ A 9 8

♣ K T 9 3



♠ 9 6 2

♥ A K J 7 3

♦ J T 3

♣ 8 2

♠ A K Q 7 5 4

♥ Q 9

♦ K Q 7

♣ J 5

Shape 2434 3532 6232 2245

HCP 7 9 17 7

Losers 9 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. strength cue bid

2 ♠ by South

**Board 289**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ A Q J 9 7 6

♥ T 6 5 2

♦ 6

♣ 9 3



♠ K T 8  
♥ Q 9 7 4 3  
♦ K 2  
♣ Q J 4

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A

♦ A Q 8 7 5 3

♣ A K 2

Shape 6412 3523 3163 1345

HCP 7 11 17 5

Losers 7 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♥	2 ♦
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

**Board 290**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 7 6 2

♥ K 9 7 6

♦ A 8 7

♣ Q J

♠ 9 4 3

♥ Q T 2

♦ Q J 6 4 3

♣ 6 2



♠ Q J T 5

♥ 8 3

♦ K T 9 5 2

♣ T 3

♠ A 8

♥ A J 5 4

♦ -

♣ A K 9 8 7 5 4

Shape 3352 4252 2407 4432

HCP 5 6 16 13

Losers 9 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♣ by South

**Board 291**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 9 6 4  
♥ 2  
♦ Q J 9 7 5 2  
♣ 2

♠ 8 5 2

♥ A T 9

♦ T 6

♣ J T 9 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7

♥ Q J 6 4 3

♦ K 3

♣ K Q 7 6 4

♠ A K Q 3

♥ K 8 7 5

♦ A 8 4

♣ A 8

Shape 3325 1525 4432 5161

HCP 5 11 20 4

Losers 10 5 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

1♥

1NT

Pass

2NT

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 292**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 4  
♥ A T 8 4 2  
♦ 8 6 5 4  
♣ J

♠ J T 6 3  
♥ 7  
♦ K Q T 9 2  
♣ T 8 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

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

Shape 4153 3325 3424 3541

HCP 6 10 16 8

Losers 8 8 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

2NT by South

Board 293

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ A Q 7 5 4 3 2  
♥ -  
♦ 9 2  
♣ K 9 4 2

♠ T  
♥ 8 7 5  
♦ A 8 6 5 4  
♣ Q J T 6



♠ K J 8  
♥ A K Q J 6 2  
♦ K J  
♣ A 3

♠ 9 6  
♥ T 9 4 3  
♦ Q T 7 3  
♣ 8 7 5

Shape 1354 2443 3622 7024  
HCP 7 2 22 9  
Losers 8 10 4 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♠	Dbl	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by South			

Board 294

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ 6 5  
♥ Q T 9  
♦ 9 7 3  
♣ K T 8 7 5

♠ J 7  
♥ K J 7 5 4 3  
♦ T 8 5 4 2  
♣ -

N  
W     E  
S

♠ A K Q T 4 2  
♥ 6  
♦ Q J 6  
♣ 9 6 4

♠ 9 8 3  
♥ A 8 2  
♦ A K  
♣ A Q J 3 2

Shape 2650 6133 3325 2335  
HCP 5 12 18 5  
Losers 7 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	3 ♠	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

**Board 295**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 9 8 7

♥ 9 8

♦ 6 3

♣ T 9 5 2

♠ T 4 3

♥ J T 6 4

♦ A 8 2

♣ Q 8 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6

♥ Q 5 3 2

♦ K Q J 7 4

♣ K 7 6

♠ A J 5 2

♥ A K 7

♦ T 9 5

♣ A J 3

Shape 3433 1453 4333 5224

HCP 7 11 17 5

Losers 10 6 8 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2NT by South

**Board 296**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K T 5  
♥ A Q 7 4  
♦ T 9 5  
♣ K J 5

♠ Q 4 2

♥ 9 5

♦ Q 6 3 2

♣ Q 9 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 3

♥ J T 8 6 2

♦ K J 7

♣ T 7 2

♠ A J 8 7 6

♥ K 3

♦ A 8 4

♣ A 8 4

Shape 3244 2533 5233 3433

HCP 6 5 16 13

Losers 8 10 7 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Dbl

1♦<sup>2</sup>

1♥

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♠

Pass

3♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3♠ by South

Board 297

South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

♠ T 8 5 4 3 2  
♥ 9 5  
♦ T 9 8  
♣ A J



♠ K  
♥ A Q J 7  
♦ K Q 7  
♣ K Q T 6 4

♠ 9  
♥ K T 4 2  
♦ A J 6 5 4  
♣ 9 3 2

Shape 6232 1453 1435 5323  
HCP 5 8 20 7  
Losers 9 8 4 9

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

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 298**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 7

♥ K 5 2

♦ K J 9 8 7 6 5

♣ -

♠ T 5 2

♥ J 8

♦ Q 4

♣ A 8 6 5 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8

♥ A 9 4 3

♦ T 3 2

♣ Q T 9 7 4

♠ A Q 9 6 4 3

♥ Q T 7 6

♦ A

♣ K J

Shape 3226 1435 6412 3370

HCP 7 6 16 11

Losers 9 8 4 6

West

*EPBot*

1 ♦

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

*EPBot*2 ♦<sup>2</sup>

4 ♠

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠

4 ♠ by South

**Board 299**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 6 4 3

♥ K 3

♦ 9 7 6 3 2

♣ 5

♠ J T 8 2

♥ 7 6

♦ K Q T 8 4

♣ J 3



♠ A 7 5

♥ Q J T 5 4 2

♦ -

♣ K 9 4 2

♠ Q

♥ A 9 8

♦ A J 5

♣ A Q T 8 7 6

Shape 4252 3604 1336 5251

HCP 7 10 17 6

Losers 8 6 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>  
3 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♣ by South

**Board 300**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ T 9 8 7 4 3

♥ J

♦ K Q T 6

♣ 4 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 6  
♥ Q T 6 2  
♦ 8 7 4 3  
♣ J 9 8

♠ A Q 2

♥ K 7 4 3

♦ A J

♣ A K T 5

Shape 6142 2443 3424 2434

HCP 6 4 21 9

Losers 7 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 301**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 7 4  
♥ T 3 2  
♦ Q 2  
♣ J 8 7 6 3

♠ K T 5

♥ 8 6 4

♦ K J 6 5 4

♣ T 5



♠ J 8 6 3

♥ K 9

♦ T 9 8 7 3

♣ 9 4

♠ Q 9 2

♥ A Q J 7 5

♦ A

♣ A K Q 2

Shape 3352 4252 3514 3325

HCP 7 4 22 7

Losers 9 9 3 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 302**  
 South Deals  
 None Vul

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

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 3  
 ♥ A T 5 4 2  
 ♦ A 9 8 7 4  
 ♣ -

♠ A 8 4  
 ♥ K 7 6  
 ♦ 3 2  
 ♣ A K Q T 6

Shape 3136 3550 3325 4432  
 HCP 7 10 16 7  
 Losers 8 6 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Splinter

5 ♣ by South

**Board 303**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ 9 7  
♥ J 4 3  
♦ T  
♣ K Q J T 9 8 5

N  
W E  
S

♠ J 6 2  
♥ T 9 5 2  
♦ 9 8 7 3  
♣ 7 6

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

Shape 2317 3442 5422 3262

HCP 7 1 18 14

Losers 7 11 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♦	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♦	6 ♣		3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

6 ♣ by South

**Board 304**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 6 5

♥ 9 8

♦ Q 7 4 3

♣ T 9 4

♠ K 2

♥ 7 4 3 2

♦ K J 9

♣ 8 5 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 8 4 3

♥ J T

♦ A T 8 2

♣ K Q J

♠ A Q 7

♥ A K Q 6 5

♦ 6 5

♣ A 7 6

Shape 2434 4243 3523 4243

HCP 7 11 19 3

Losers 9 8 5 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 305**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 6 2  
 ♥ A Q 3  
 ♦ J 7 6 4  
 ♣ A 4 2

♠ 9 7 4 3

♥ 6

♦ A T 8 5 3

♣ Q 8 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T

♥ J T 9 8 7 5 4

♦ Q 9 2

♣ J 9

♠ A K Q 8 5

♥ K 2

♦ K

♣ K T 7 6 5

Shape 4153 1732 5215 3343

HCP 6 4 18 12

Losers 8 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by South

**Board 306**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ K T 9 8

♥ J 6

♦ J 3 2

♣ Q T 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 6 5 4 3  
 ♥ Q 9 5 4  
 ♦ A 8 7 4  
 ♣ -

♠ A J 2

♥ A K T 8 2

♦ 5

♣ A K 9 7

Shape 4234 5440 3514 1255

HCP 7 8 19 6

Losers 9 6 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♣ by South

**Board 307**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 4  
 ♥ T 8 2  
 ♦ A 4  
 ♣ A 8 6 5 4 2

♠ Q 9 8 6 5

♥ A J

♦ 9 8 7 3

♣ 9 3



♠ J 3 2  
 ♥ Q 9 7 4  
 ♦ Q J T  
 ♣ Q J T

♠ A K T

♥ K 6 5 3

♦ K 6 5 2

♣ K 7

Shape 5242 3433 3442 2326

HCP 7 9 16 8

Losers 8 9 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by South

**Board 308**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

♠ J T 4 3  
 ♥ Q J 9 6  
 ♦ Q J 6  
 ♣ A 2

♠ 9 6  
 ♥ K 5 3  
 ♦ K 7 3 2  
 ♣ T 9 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K Q 2  
 ♥ A T 8 2  
 ♦ A 8  
 ♣ K 7 6

♠ 8 7 5  
 ♥ 7 4  
 ♦ T 9 5 4  
 ♣ Q J 8 3

Shape 2344 3244 4423 4432  
 HCP 6 3 20 11  
 Losers 9 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

Pass	3NT		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 309**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 6  
♥ 8 7 6 5 4 2  
♦ 2  
♣ J T 9 7

♠ 9 5 4 3  
♥ 3  
♦ A 6 5 4 3  
♣ Q 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A T 8 7  
♥ Q T 9  
♦ K Q J 9 8  
♣ A

♠ K Q 2  
♥ A K J  
♦ T 7  
♣ K 8 5 4 2

Shape 4153 4351 3325 2614

HCP 6 16 16 2

Losers 8 5 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Splinter

5 ♣ by South

**Board 310**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ K T

♥ J 9 6 4

♦ Q J 9 5 3

♣ 7 6



♠ Q 9 8 7 5 4 2

♥ A

♦ 8

♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ J 3

♥ K T 8 3 2

♦ A K T 6

♣ A Q

Shape 2452 7114 2542 2335

HCP 7 6 17 10

Losers 8 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 311**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

♠ T 7 5 3  
 ♥ A Q 8 7  
 ♦ J 8  
 ♣ K 8 6

♠ 9 6  
 ♥ 5  
 ♦ A T 9 4 2  
 ♣ Q J T 9 7



♠ K Q J 8 2  
 ♥ K J 2  
 ♦ K Q 6 3  
 ♣ A

♠ A 4  
 ♥ T 9 6 4 3  
 ♦ 7 5  
 ♣ 5 4 3 2

Shape 2155 2524 5341 4423  
 HCP 7 4 19 10  
 Losers 7 9 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 312**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K T 8 4

♥ Q 9

♦ J 9 8

♣ Q J 7 5

♠ A 3

♥ J T 7 2

♦ 3

♣ T 9 8 6 4 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7 6 2

♥ A K 8 5 4

♦ K 6 5 2

♣ 3

♠ Q J 9 5

♥ 6 3

♦ A Q T 7 4

♣ A K

Shape 2416 3541 4252 4234

HCP 5 10 16 9

Losers 8 7 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♦ by North

**Board 313**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 8 5 3

♥ 8 2

♦ 7 6 5

♣ A J 3 2

♠ K 9 7 6 2

♥ Q 5

♦ Q 8 4 2

♣ T 9



♠ J T

♥ 7 6 4 3

♦ K T 9

♣ Q 8 5 4

♠ A 4

♥ A K J T 9

♦ A J 3

♣ K 7 6

Shape 5242 2434 2533 4234

HCP 7 6 20 7

Losers 8 9 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 314**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 5 2

♥ 7

♦ Q 4

♣ A Q T 5

♠ J 9 4

♥ Q J T 3 2

♦ J 3

♣ 7 6 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 3

♥ 9 4

♦ T 9 8 7 6 5 2

♣ 9

♠ 6

♥ A K 8 6 5

♦ A K

♣ K J 8 4 3

Shape 3523 3271 1525 6124

HCP 5 3 18 14

Losers 10 8 4 5

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

2 ♥

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

Dbl

Pass

Pass

2NT

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by North

**Board 315**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 5  
♥ Q J T 5  
♦ A J 9 6  
♣ T 9 4

♠ T 8 4 2  
♥ A 2  
♦ Q T 7 3 2  
♣ J 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

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

Shape 4252 4315 3433 2443

HCP 7 7 18 8

Losers 8 7 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

2NT by South

**Board 316**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J 8 2

♥ J 6 5

♦ 7 6

♣ K T 8 7

♠ K

♥ 9 8 7 4

♦ 5 4 2

♣ Q 6 5 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9 7 6 4

♥ T 3

♦ K 3

♣ A J 9 4

♠ Q 5 3

♥ A K Q 2

♦ A Q J T 9 8

♣ -

Shape 1435 5224 3460 4324

HCP 5 8 18 9

Losers 9 8 3 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>Pass 1 ♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 5 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♦ by North

Board 317

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J T 9 8 4 2  
♥ Q T 8 6 5  
♦ J  
♣ -

♠ 7 5 3  
♥ 7 2  
♦ Q 7 6 4 3  
♣ A T 7



♠ A K  
♥ A K J 4  
♦ A 5 2  
♣ K Q 9 4

♠ 6  
♥ 9 3  
♦ K T 9 8  
♣ J 8 6 5 3 2

Shape 3253 1246 2434 7510  
HCP 6 4 24 6  
Losers 9 8 4 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♠	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			3NT
1. 16+ HCP			

3NT by South

**Board 318**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 6 4  
♥ A J T 4  
♦ T 8  
♣ T 8 7 5

♠ K J 9 5 3

♥ Q 6 2

♦ 9 7 4

♣ 9 4



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

♠ A 2

♥ 8 5

♦ K Q 5 3 2

♣ A K Q 2

Shape 5332 3433 2254 3424

HCP 6 11 18 5

Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

**Board 319**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K T 6  
♥ 9 7 6 3  
♦ 6 5  
♣ K J 6 4

♠ 7 5 3

♥ A 8 5 4 2

♦ 7

♣ Q 9 7 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 4 2

♥ Q J

♦ J T 9 8 4

♣ T 2

♠ Q J 8

♥ K T

♦ A K Q 3 2

♣ A 8 3

Shape 3514 4252 3253 3424

HCP 6 8 19 7

Losers 8 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♥ by South

**Board 320**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ T 8 5 4

♥ 9 6 5 3

♦ A 8 2

♣ J 3



♠ 6

♥ J 7 4

♦ K Q J T 4

♣ A T 8 4

♠ A K Q 3

♥ A K Q T 2

♦ 7 5

♣ 7 5

Shape 4432 1354 4522 4135

HCP 5 11 18 6

Losers 10 7 4 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

Board 321

South Deals  
None Vul

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

♠ Q J 8 2  
♥ -  
♦ 8 6 3 2  
♣ Q 8 5 4 2



♠ K 9 6 5  
♥ K 9 7 5  
♦ A Q 5  
♣ A K

♠ -  
♥ A 8 6 3  
♦ K J T 9 7  
♣ T 7 6 3

Shape 4045 0454 4432 5512  
HCP 5 8 19 8  
Losers 7 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT		1NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

2NT by South

**Board 322**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7 3  
 ♥ Q 7 6 4  
 ♦ Q J 7 4  
 ♣ K 6

♠ Q T 5

♥ K T 3 2

♦ 6 5

♣ J 8 7 2



♠ J 9 6 4

♥ J 9 8

♦ K 9 8 3 2

♣ 5

♠ A K 2

♥ A 5

♦ A T

♣ A Q T 9 4 3

Shape 3424 4351 3226 3442

HCP 6 5 21 8

Losers 9 9 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 323**  
 South Deals  
 E-W Vul

♠ J 9 7  
 ♥ A T 8 6  
 ♦ T 7 3  
 ♣ 9 8 4

♠ T 8 3 2  
 ♥ K Q 4 3  
 ♦ 8  
 ♣ J 6 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 5  
 ♥ 7 2  
 ♦ A 9 5 4  
 ♣ A K Q T 7 5

♠ A K Q 6 4  
 ♥ J 9 5  
 ♦ K Q J 6 2  
 ♣ -

Shape 4414 1246 5350 3433  
 HCP 6 13 16 5  
 Losers 8 5 4 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 324**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 7 4

♥ K T 4

♦ J 9 4 3

♣ 8 7 2

♠ K 3

♥ J 7 3 2

♦ K 8 6 5

♣ 6 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A T 8 6 5 2

♥ 9

♦ Q T 7 2

♣ A T

♠ J 9

♥ A Q 8 6 5

♦ A

♣ K Q J 9 3

Shape 2443 6142 2515 3343

HCP 7 10 17 6

Losers 9 6 4 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 325**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 8 6 4 3

♥ K Q 9 2

♦ 5

♣ T 8 4

♠ A 7 5

♥ 7 5 4

♦ T 7 6 4

♣ K 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 2

♥ T

♦ A Q 9 8 3

♣ Q 9 7 6

♠ K T

♥ A J 8 6 3

♦ K J 2

♣ A J 5

Shape 3343 3154 2533 5413

HCP 7 9 17 7

Losers 10 7 7 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 326**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 8 7

♥ J 9 5 3

♦ 8 6 2

♣ 4 3

♠ T 4

♥ T 7 6 4

♦ Q 7 5 3

♣ K 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q J 6 2

♥ 2

♦ A 4

♣ Q J T 7 6

♠ 5 3

♥ A K Q 8

♦ K J T 9

♣ A 9 8

Shape 2443 5125 2443 4432

HCP 5 13 17 5

Losers 9 5 6 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

1♠

Pass

Pass

Dbl

Pass

2♥

Pass

Pass

3♣

Dbl

3♠

4♥

Pass

Pass

4♠

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♠X by East

**Board 327**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 8 7  
♥ K Q 7 6  
♦ 7 3  
♣ A J T

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 6 5 2  
♥ J 4  
♦ T 5  
♣ K 9 5 4 2

♠ A  
♥ A 8 5 3  
♦ A Q 4 2  
♣ Q 8 6 3

Shape 4351 4225 1444 4423

HCP 7 6 16 11

Losers 8 8 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4 ♥ by South

**Board 328**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 6 5 4 2

♥ T 2

♦ K 9 7 5 2

♣ -

♠ J 9 8

♥ Q 5

♦ J 8

♣ K T 8 7 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 3

♥ 8 4 3

♦ A Q 6 4 3

♣ 9 4 2

♠ K 7

♥ A K J 9 7 6

♦ T

♣ A Q J 6

Shape 3226 2353 2614 6250

HCP 7 6 18 9

Losers 9 9 4 5

West

*EPBot*

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

North

*EPBot*2NT<sup>2</sup>

4 ♥

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥

4 ♥ by South

**Board 329**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 2

♥ J 3

♦ A Q T 9

♣ A J T 7 3

♠ K 8 5

♥ 8 2

♦ K J 7 6 3

♣ 8 6 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 6 4 3

♥ A T 9 5 4

♦ 4 2

♣ 9

♠ A Q 9

♥ K Q 7 6

♦ 8 5

♣ K Q 5 4

Shape 3253 5521 3424 2245

HCP 7 5 16 12

Losers 9 8 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

Board 330

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T  
♥ A K 8 7 5 2  
♦ J T 7 4  
♣ 8 2

♠ A 8 7 5

♥ 9 4

♦ 8 3 2

♣ Q T 9 7



♠ K 4 2

♥ Q J 3

♦ A K Q

♣ J 6 5 4

♠ Q J 9 6 3

♥ T 6

♦ 9 6 5

♣ A K 3

Shape 4234 5233 3334 1642

HCP 6 10 16 8

Losers 9 8 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

2♥	Dbl	Pass	1♣ <sup>1</sup> 2♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2♠ by South

Board 331

South Deals  
None Vul

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

♠ J 8 6 5  
♥ Q J 8 7  
♦ Q 9 6 4  
♣ 4



♠ A 7 2  
♥ A T 6  
♦ K 5 3  
♣ Q J T 7

♠ Q T 9 3  
♥ K 9 5  
♦ A 8  
♣ A K 5 2

Shape 4441 3334 4324 2344  
HCP 6 14 16 4  
Losers 8 8 6 10

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

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial
- 3. Stayman

3 ♠ by South

Board 332

South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

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



♠ T 2  
♥ A K Q  
♦ A Q T 6 3  
♣ J 7 2

♠ 9 4 3  
♥ J T 9 7 4  
♦ J 8 5  
♣ Q 5

Shape 3244 3532 2353 5314  
HCP 7 4 16 13  
Losers 9 11 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1 ♠            2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2NT by North

**Board 333**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9  
♥ K T 8 3  
♦ 7 4  
♣ J T 9 8 5

♠ A J 6 4

♥ 7 6 5

♦ 9 6

♣ Q 6 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

♠ 8 5 2

♥ A J

♦ A K J 3 2

♣ K 7 4

Shape 4324 4441 3253 2425

HCP 7 13 16 4

Losers 9 5 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

2NT by South

Board 334

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q 9 8  
♥ 7  
♦ K T  
♣ A T 8 7 5 4 3

♠ 4  
♥ A J 9 8 3  
♦ J 9 7 6 4  
♣ J 6



♠ A J T 7 3  
♥ Q 6 5  
♦ A Q 5  
♣ K 2

♠ K 6 5 2  
♥ K T 4 2  
♦ 8 3 2  
♣ Q 9

Shape 1552 4432 5332 3127  
HCP 7 8 16 9  
Losers 8 9 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♣	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			3 ♠

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♠ by South

**Board 335**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ J 4

♥ K J 8 6 4 3

♦ 8 7

♣ J T 4

W N E S

♠ A K 6

♥ Q 9 5

♦ K Q

♣ A 9 8 7 2

♠ Q T 9 7 5 3

♥ A T 7

♦ J T 4

♣ 3

Shape 2623 6331 3325 2164

HCP 6 7 18 9

Losers 9 8 6 6

West

*EPBot*

2 ♦

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♦ X by West

North

*EPBot*

2 ♥

Dbl

East

*EPBot*

4 ♦

South

*EPBot*

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

Board 336

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ A 5  
♥ Q T 6 4 3  
♦ A 6 5 4  
♣ 9 4

♠ 8 7 3 2  
♥ K J 9 7 5  
♦ T 2  
♣ J 2



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

♠ K J T 9 4  
♥ -  
♦ 9 8 7 3  
♣ K T 8 3

Shape 4522 5044 2335 2542  
HCP 5 7 18 10  
Losers 9 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			2NT
1. 16+ HCP			

2NT by South

**Board 337**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ Q J T 5 3

♥ 8 6 5

♦ K 7

♣ J 3 2



♠ 8  
♥ T 7  
♦ J T 6 5 4 2  
♣ A 9 5 4

♠ K 9 7 2

♥ A K Q J 4 3

♦ A Q

♣ 6

Shape 5323 1264 4621 3235

HCP 7 5 19 9

Losers 9 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	4 ♥		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 338**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 3 2

♥ K 6 5

♦ J 8 5 3

♣ J T 9

♠ 9 5 4

♥ A Q J 4 3

♦ T 6 4

♣ 8 6



♠ J T 8 6

♥ 9 8

♦ A 9 7 2

♣ K 7 5

♠ A K 7

♥ T 7 2

♦ K Q

♣ A Q 4 3 2

Shape 3532 4243 3325 3343

HCP 7 8 18 7

Losers 9 9 6 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

1NT

Pass

2NT

Pass

2 ♥

All Pass

4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

Board 339

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ -  
♥ K J 9 5  
♦ Q T 4 2  
♣ K J 9 8 7

♠ Q J T 9 6 5 4  
♥ 7 3  
♦ 5  
♣ A 6 4

♠ 7 2  
♥ Q T 8 6 4 2  
♦ J 8 6  
♣ T 5

♠ A K 8 3  
♥ A  
♦ A K 9 7 3  
♣ Q 3 2

N  
W E  
S

Shape 7213 2632 4153 0445  
HCP 7 3 20 10  
Losers 7 9 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by North			

Board 340

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ 9 4  
♥ A J T 7 2  
♦ 8 6 4 3  
♣ A T

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



♠ A T  
♥ K 9 4 3  
♦ A Q J  
♣ K Q J 5

♠ K Q 8 5 2  
♥ -  
♦ 9 7  
♣ 9 8 7 6 3 2

Shape 4441 5026 2434 2542  
HCP 6 5 20 9  
Losers 8 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			3NT
1. 16+ HCP			

3NT by South

**Board 341**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 8 5 2  
♥ T 8 5 4 2  
♦ Q J 6 2  
♣ -

♠ A 9 6 4

♥ K 6 3

♦ T 3

♣ 6 5 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 7

♥ 9 7

♦ K 9 8 5

♣ A T 9 4

♠ K 3

♥ A Q J

♦ A 7 4

♣ K Q J 8 7

Shape 4324 3244 2335 4540

HCP 7 8 20 5

Losers 9 9 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 342**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8 6 4 2

♥ 6 4

♦ 7

♣ K 9 8 5 3

♠ T 5

♥ A J 8

♦ J 9 6 5 3 2

♣ 6 2



♠ K Q 7 3

♥ Q T 7 5

♦ Q 8 4

♣ A 7

♠ A 9

♥ K 9 3 2

♦ A K T

♣ Q J T 4

Shape 2362 4432 2434 5215

HCP 6 13 17 4

Losers 9 6 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

3♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3♦<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

4. automat

3♦ by North

**Board 343**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K 9

♥ T

♦ 7 5 3 2

♣ A 8 7 5 4

♠ 7 5 3

♥ J 8

♦ J 6 4

♣ Q J T 9 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 6 4

♥ K 9 7 6 5

♦ Q T 9

♣ 3 2

♠ Q T 8 2

♥ A Q 4 3 2

♦ A K 8

♣ K

Shape 3235 3532 4531 3145

HCP 5 6 18 11

Losers 10 9 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♥

Dbl

Rdbl

Pass

Pass

2 ♣

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♣X by West

Board 344

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ J 5 3  
♥ T 5  
♦ K T 9 8 2  
♣ A 5 3

♠ Q T  
♥ A J 8 2  
♦ 6 5  
♣ T 9 8 6 4



♠ A 9 8 7 2  
♥ 9 7 4  
♦ Q 4 3  
♣ Q 7

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

Shape 2425 5332 3433 3253  
HCP 7 8 17 8  
Losers 9 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3 ♥ by North

**Board 345**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 8 2

♥ 4

♦ A 9 8 6 3 2

♣ J 7 2

♠ A 5

♥ Q 2

♦ J T 4

♣ T 8 6 5 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q 7 3

♥ T 9 7 6 5 3

♦ Q 5

♣ Q

♠ J 9 6 4

♥ A K J 8

♦ K 7

♣ A K 9

Shape 2236 4621 4423 3163

HCP 7 9 19 5

Losers 9 7 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

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

3NT by South

**Board 346**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 4

♥ K J

♦ Q 8

♣ A Q T 6 5 2

♠ 6 5 3 2

♥ A T 9 8 7

♦ 9 5 3

♣ J



♠ K J

♥ 6 5 2

♦ 7 4 2

♣ K 9 8 7 3

♠ A Q 8 7

♥ Q 4 3

♦ A K J T 6

♣ 4

Shape 4531 2335 4351 3226

HCP 5 7 16 12

Losers 9 9 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♦ by North

**Board 347**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 5 4  
♥ A Q 4 2  
♦ K T 9 4  
♣ 9 3

♠ Q J

♥ T 9 8 5

♦ 7 5 3 2

♣ K 8 4



♠ A K 3 2

♥ K 6 3

♦ A J 6

♣ A J 6

♠ T 9 8 7

♥ J 7

♦ Q 8

♣ Q T 7 5 2

Shape 2443 4225 4333 3442

HCP 6 5 20 9

Losers 10 9 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 348**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 8 6 5

♥ 8 4

♦ J 8 5

♣ 5 3 2

♠ J 7

♥ K Q T 7 6 3

♦ T 3 2

♣ T 7



♠ K Q T 3 2

♥ J 9

♦ K Q 7 6

♣ 9 8

♠ 4

♥ A 5 2

♦ A 9 4

♣ A K Q J 6 4

Shape 2632 5242 1336 5233

HCP 6 11 18 5

Losers 8 6 5 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

3♥

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4♥ by North

**Board 349**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

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

♠ T 7 5 4 2  
 ♥ A K 8 7  
 ♦ T 3  
 ♣ 8 5



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

♠ Q 3  
 ♥ Q T 9 6  
 ♦ K 8 6 2  
 ♣ J 4 2

Shape 5422 2443 4144 2434  
 HCP 7 8 16 9  
 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

Pass	4 ♠		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 350**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 5  
♥ A 3  
♦ J T 9 4 3  
♣ K 9 6

♠ T 8

♥ 8 5 2

♦ A Q 6 5

♣ J T 8 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 4

♥ K Q J 7 4

♦ K 8 7

♣ A 4 3

Shape 2344 6313 2533 3253

HCP 7 6 16 11

Losers 9 8 6 8

♠ A 9 7 6 3 2

♥ T 9 6

♦ 2

♣ Q 7 2

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♦

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by South

2NT

4 ♥

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥

Board 351

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 2  
♥ T 7  
♦ T 6 4  
♣ A Q 2

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



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

♠ A T 5  
♥ A K 9  
♦ Q 9 5  
♣ K T 8 5

Shape 3622 2254 3334 5233  
HCP 6 9 16 9  
Losers 8 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	3 ♦	3 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3 ♥ by North

Board 352  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

♠ 4 3 2  
♥ 6 5 2  
♦ A K T 9 5  
♣ 7 2

N  
W     E  
S

♠ 6 5  
♥ J T 8 7  
♦ Q 7 6  
♣ K T 8 5

♠ A K J T 8 7  
♥ A K Q  
♦ 3  
♣ Q J 9

Shape 3352 2434 6313 2344  
HCP 7 6 20 7  
Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
4 ♠ by South			

**Board 353**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9

♥ A Q T 7 3 2

♦ K Q J 6

♣ Q 8

♠ Q 8 6

♥ 5 4

♦ A 9 8 7 3

♣ 9 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 5 3 2

♥ 9 8

♦ T 5 2

♣ J T 7 6

♠ A K T 7 4

♥ K J 6

♦ 4

♣ A K 5 4

Shape 3253 4234 5314 1642

HCP 6 2 18 14

Losers 9 11 5 5

West

*EPBot*

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

*EPBot*2 ♥<sup>2</sup>

4 ♠

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠

4 ♠ by South

Board 354  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ Q T 8 4  
♥ T 8 5  
♦ 8 6 4 3  
♣ 8 6

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

N  
W     E  
S

♠ A K 7 3  
♥ Q  
♦ A 9 7 2  
♣ T 7 3 2

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

Shape 2632 4144 3325 4342  
HCP 7 13 18 2  
Losers 9 7 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
4 ♥ by South			

**Board 355**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 6 2  
♥ Q 2  
♦ K J T 9  
♣ 8 7 4 2

♠ T 9 8 4 3

♥ K T 4

♦ Q 6

♣ Q 9 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q J 7

♥ J 9 8 7 5

♦ 5

♣ T 6 5

♠ 5

♥ A 6 3

♦ A 8 7 4 3 2

♣ A K J

Shape 5323 4513 1363 3244

HCP 7 8 16 9

Losers 9 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♥	2 ♦
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

**Board 356**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K T 9 8 5

♥ A 7 4

♦ 5

♣ J T 4 2

♠ Q J 7 6 4

♥ 5 3

♦ K J 9 2

♣ 7 6



♠ 3 2

♥ J T 2

♦ 8 7 6 4

♣ K 8 5 3

♠ A

♥ K Q 9 8 6

♦ A Q T 3

♣ A Q 9

Shape 5242 2344 1543 5314

HCP 7 4 21 8

Losers 8 10 3 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

Pass

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>  
Dbl

1 ♠ X by West

Board 357

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ K 9 7  
♥ K 9 8  
♦ Q J T 6 3  
♣ J 7

♠ Q 3  
♥ 4 3  
♦ A 8 7 2  
♣ T 5 4 3 2



♠ A T 8 2  
♥ A Q 5  
♦ K 9 5 4  
♣ A K

♠ J 6 5 4  
♥ J T 7 6 2  
♦ -  
♣ Q 9 8 6

Shape 2245 4504 4342 3352  
HCP 6 4 20 10  
Losers 9 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT		1NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

2NT by South

Board 358

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ T 9 8 4  
♥ 6  
♦ K J T 5 3  
♣ 9 8 3

♠ 6 5  
♥ A K T 9 8 7  
♦ 8 4 2  
♣ 5 2

N  
WSE  
S

♠ 7 3 2  
♥ 5 4 3 2  
♦ A Q 7  
♣ A K T

♠ A K Q J  
♥ Q J  
♦ 9 6  
♣ Q J 7 6 4

Shape 2632 3433 4225 4153  
HCP 7 13 16 4  
Losers 8 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot	EPBot	EPBot	EPBot
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass      3♥  
All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3♥ by North

**Board 359**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ 9 6

♥ T 9 7 4

♦ 7 6 2

♣ K Q 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K Q J T 5

♥ Q 8 6 5 3

♦ 8

♣ T

♠ 8 4 2

♥ A K 2

♦ A K Q J

♣ A J 9

Shape 2434 6511 3343 2155

HCP 5 12 22 1

Losers 9 4 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♠	Dbl
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Pass	2 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Dbl	3 ♦
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. strength cue bid

3 ♦ by North

**Board 360**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ T 7 5 3 2

♥ 3

♦ A K 7 3

♣ 8 4 3



♠ -  
 ♥ K J T 8 6  
 ♦ J T 9 4  
 ♣ Q 9 7 6

♠ A K Q 9 8 4

♥ 7 5

♦ 6

♣ A K J T

Shape 5143 0544 6214 2542

HCP 7 7 17 9

Losers 8 7 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by North

**Board 361**  
 South Deals  
 E-W Vul

♠ K 8 7  
 ♥ J 6 3  
 ♦ T 8 2  
 ♣ A 9 3 2

♠ 9 4 2  
 ♥ 7 2  
 ♦ A 5 4 3  
 ♣ J T 7 6



♠ 5 3  
 ♥ A K T 4  
 ♦ K J 9  
 ♣ K Q 5 4

♠ A Q J T 6  
 ♥ Q 9 8 5  
 ♦ Q 7 6  
 ♣ 8

Shape 3244 5431 2434 3334  
 HCP 5 11 16 8  
 Losers 10 6 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

1 ♠ by East

**Board 362**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q T 9 5

♥ A J T

♦ Q 9 6

♣ 9 3 2

♠ 8 6 4 3

♥ 7 6 4 3 2

♦ A K 8

♣ 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 7

♥ Q 5

♦ 5 4 3 2

♣ Q 8 7 4

♠ A 2

♥ K 9 8

♦ J T 7

♣ A K J T 6

Shape 4531 3244 2335 4333

HCP 7 8 16 9

Losers 8 9 7 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 ♥

All Pass

4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 363**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A K T 2

♥ K 8 5 2

♦ 8 7

♣ J 9 5

♠ 9 6 5 3

♥ 9 7 6

♦ A K 9 6 2

♣ 6



♠ 7 4

♥ T 3

♦ Q J T 5 4

♣ T 8 7 2

♠ Q J 8

♥ A Q J 4

♦ 3

♣ A K Q 4 3

Shape 4351 2254 3415 4423

HCP 7 3 19 11

Losers 8 9 4 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3NT

2♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 364**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 8 6 5 2

♥ Q 6 5

♦ K J 8 6

♣ J

♠ A 9 4

♥ 7

♦ Q T 9 4 3 2

♣ T 8 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 3

♥ A 9 8 3 2

♦ 5

♣ Q 7 6 2

♠ K 7

♥ K J T 4

♦ A 7

♣ A K 9 4 3

Shape 3163 3514 2425 5341

HCP 6 7 18 9

Losers 8 8 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

4 ♣ by South

Board 365

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ J T 9 6 4  
♥ K T 9  
♦ K 7 5  
♣ K 9

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

N  
W     E  
S

♠ Q 8 2  
♥ 8 3  
♦ Q J T 4 2  
♣ 6 4 2

♠ A K 5  
♥ 6 2  
♦ A 8  
♣ A Q J T 5 3

Shape 2632 3253 3226 5332  
HCP 7 5 18 10  
Losers 8 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	2 ♥		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♥ by North			

Board 366

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ T 9 5 2  
♥ 9 7  
♦ K 6 5 4 2  
♣ Q 3

♠ A 4  
♥ 8 6 5 4  
♦ J 8 7  
♣ T 7 6 2



♠ K J 8 6  
♥ J T 3  
♦ Q 9  
♣ A J 9 8

♠ Q 7 3  
♥ A K Q 2  
♦ A T 3  
♣ K 5 4

Shape 2434 4324 3433 4252  
HCP 5 12 18 5  
Losers 10 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

1NT by South

**Board 367**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ 9 8 7 4 3

♥ 9 8

♦ K 7

♣ Q 8 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K  
♥ Q T 7 6 2  
♦ A 5 4  
♣ T 9 2

♠ Q J 6 2

♥ A J 5

♦ 3 2

♣ A K J 6

Shape 5224 2533 4324 2362

HCP 5 13 16 6

Losers 8 7 7 8

West

*EPBot*

2 ♦

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♦ X by West

North

*EPBot*

2 ♠

Dbl

East

*EPBot*

4 ♦

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

**Board 368**  
 South Deals  
 E-W Vul

♠ Q T 8 6  
 ♥ Q 7 6 2  
 ♦ K 3  
 ♣ J T 2

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



♠ 7 5 3  
 ♥ A J T  
 ♦ A J 9 7  
 ♣ A Q 5

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

Shape 3244 3433 3343 4423  
 HCP 6 10 16 8  
 Losers 9 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

1NT by South

**Board 369**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 7 6 5

♥ A J 5

♦ K 3

♣ 9 8 7 2

♠ Q 3

♥ T 8 4 3

♦ Q J 9 8

♣ Q T 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 8 4 2

♥ Q 6 2

♦ T 4 2

♣ J 6

♠ A K

♥ K 9 7

♦ A 7 6 5

♣ A K 4 3

Shape 2443 5332 2344 4324

HCP 7 4 21 8

Losers 9 10 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3NT by South

Board 370

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ 8 2  
♥ Q T 7 5 2  
♦ 9 7 6  
♣ 7 3 2

♠ T 6  
♥ 6  
♦ T 8 5  
♣ A K T 9 8 6 5

N  
W     E  
   S

♠ A J 5 4  
♥ K J 9 4  
♦ A J 4  
♣ J 4

♠ K Q 9 7 3  
♥ A 8 3  
♦ K Q 3 2  
♣ Q

Shape 2137 4432 5341 2533  
HCP 7 15 16 2  
Losers 7 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
3 ♣ by South			

**Board 371**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ A K T 9 3

♥ T 9 5

♦ T 9 5

♣ T 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 6 4 2  
♥ K J 6 2  
♦ Q 8 4 3  
♣ 8

♠ Q 5

♥ A Q 7 3

♦ K 6

♣ A J 7 4 2

Shape 5332 4441 2425 2245

HCP 7 6 16 11

Losers 9 8 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 372**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

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

♠ J T 4  
 ♥ K Q J 9 5  
 ♦ T 9  
 ♣ 9 8 7



♠ 8 2  
 ♥ 8 6 2  
 ♦ Q J 6 5  
 ♣ A T 6 2

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

Shape 3523 2344 5233 3343  
 HCP 7 7 16 10  
 Losers 9 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 373**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ T 7 5 2  
 ♥ 8 6 4 3  
 ♦ Q 3  
 ♣ J 7 3

♠ Q 8 4  
 ♥ Q 5  
 ♦ T 7 6 4 2  
 ♣ Q 5 2



♠ A K J 6  
 ♥ J T  
 ♦ 9 8 5  
 ♣ K T 6 4

♠ 9 3  
 ♥ A K 9 7 2  
 ♦ A K J  
 ♣ A 9 8

Shape 3253 4234 2533 4423  
 HCP 6 12 19 3  
 Losers 9 8 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♦ by North

**Board 374**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T  
♥ J 8 6 2  
♦ A K J T 9 8  
♣ Q 9

♠ 9 7 5  
♥ K Q T 7 3  
♦ 7 5 4  
♣ 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 8 4 3 2  
♥ 4  
♦ 2  
♣ T 8 7 5 4 2

♠ A K Q 6  
♥ A 9 5  
♦ Q 6 3  
♣ A K J

Shape 3532 5116 4333 1462

HCP 5 1 23 11

Losers 9 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	Pass	Pass	Dbl
1 ♥	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
2 ♦	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT		
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by South

**Board 375**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q T 2  
♥ T 8 4 2  
♦ Q 6 4  
♣ A 9 8

♠ 8 6 3

♥ A Q 5

♦ J T 9 8 5

♣ 7 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 9 5

♥ J 6 3

♦ A 7 3

♣ 5 3 2

♠ A 7 4

♥ K 9 7

♦ K 2

♣ K Q J T 6

Shape 3352 4333 3325 3433

HCP 7 9 16 8

Losers 9 10 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♣ by South

Board 376

South Deals  
None Vul

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

♠ Q T 8  
♥ 7 5 4 3  
♦ 3  
♣ K 9 8 6 4



♠ 6 4  
♥ K Q T 6  
♦ K 7 6 5  
♣ T 7 3

♠ A 3  
♥ A 9 2  
♦ A Q J T  
♣ A Q J 2

Shape 3415 2443 2344 6241  
HCP 5 8 22 5  
Losers 8 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Dbl	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3NT by South

**Board 377**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 7 5

♥ T 2

♦ T 9 3

♣ A J 6 3

♠ A T 9 6

♥ J 8 7

♦ J 8 7 5 2

♣ 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 4 3

♥ 9 5 3

♦ K Q 6 4

♣ Q 8 5

♠ 8 2

♥ A K Q 6 4

♦ A

♣ K T 9 7 4

Shape 4351 3343 2515 4234

HCP 6 8 16 10

Losers 9 9 4 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♥

Pass

3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4 ♥ by South

Board 378

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 6 4  
♥ T 7  
♦ Q J T 3 2  
♣ 9 6

♠ Q 7 5 3  
♥ Q 2  
♦ 9 6  
♣ Q J T 7 5



♠ A T 9 2  
♥ A 9  
♦ A K 8 5 4  
♣ A 4

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

Shape 4225 1714 4252 4252  
HCP 7 7 19 7  
Losers 8 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	4 ♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

4 ♦ by North

**Board 379**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 3  
♥ K Q J 6 4  
♦ J T 9 5  
♣ A J

♠ A 9 7 5

♥ 3

♦ 3

♣ K T 9 7 6 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 4 2

♥ T 9 5

♦ Q 8 7 6

♣ 8 2

♠ K 8 6

♥ A 8 7 2

♦ A K 4 2

♣ Q 5

Shape 4117 4342 3442 2542

HCP 7 5 16 12

Losers 6 9 7 7

West

*EPBot*

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

*EPBot*2 ♥<sup>2</sup>

3 ♣

East

*EPBot*

Pass

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2NT

3NT

3NT by South

**Board 380**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 9 6

♥ J 3

♦ A 9 5 4

♣ Q 9 3

♠ 4 2

♥ Q 9 7 4 2

♦ Q J 8 6 3

♣ J



♠ T 8 7 5

♥ T 5

♦ K T

♣ 8 6 5 4 2

♠ A J 3

♥ A K 8 6

♦ 7 2

♣ A K T 7

Shape 2551 4225 3424 4243

HCP 6 3 19 12

Losers 7 9 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>Pass 1 ♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NTPass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4 ♥ by South

**Board 381**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6 5 4 2

♥ Q T 7 6

♦ -

♣ 9 8 3 2

♠ J 9 7 3

♥ 8 5 3

♦ K Q T 5

♣ T 4



♠ A K T

♥ K 9 4

♦ 8 6 4 3 2

♣ J 6

♠ Q

♥ A J 2

♦ A J 9 7

♣ A K Q 7 5

Shape 4342 3352 1345 5404

HCP 6 11 21 2

Losers 9 8 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 382**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ J 5 4 3 2

♥ 7 3

♦ K 4

♣ J 7 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 6  
♥ A K 9 8  
♦ T 6  
♣ T 9 5 2

♠ A T 8

♥ Q T 2

♦ A Q J 5

♣ K 8 4

Shape 5224 3424 3343 2452

HCP 5 10 16 9

Losers 9 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

**Board 383**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 8 2  
 ♥ 7 6  
 ♦ T 6  
 ♣ A J 9 8 7 2

♠ 3

♥ J 8 2

♦ Q J 9 8 7 5 3

♣ Q 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7 5 4

♥ K 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K T 6 5 4

♠ A K J 9 6

♥ A Q T 9 4 3

♦ A K

♣ -

Shape 1372 4225 5620 3226

HCP 6 8 21 5

Losers 8 7 2 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

**Board 384**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 8 7 5

♥ Q J

♦ 5 4

♣ T 5 3 2

♠ K T

♥ 6 5 2

♦ Q 9 7 3

♣ Q 9 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 6 4 3

♥ K T 9 7 4 3

♦ J 8

♣ K

♠ J 2

♥ A 8

♦ A K T 6 2

♣ A J 8 7

Shape 2344 4621 2254 5224

HCP 7 11 17 5

Losers 8 7 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♦

Pass

4 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♦ by North

**Board 385**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K T 5 3 2

♥ K 6 5

♦ J 9 5

♣ K 7

♠ 9 8 7 4

♥ A 9 8 4 2

♦ 4

♣ J T 2



♠ A J 6

♥ T 7 3

♦ 6

♣ Q 9 8 6 5 3

♠ Q

♥ Q J

♦ A K Q T 8 7 3 2

♣ A 4

Shape 4513 3316 1282 5332

HCP 5 7 18 10

Losers 9 8 4 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♥

5 ♦

2 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

4 ♦

5 ♦ by South

**Board 386**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 8 6  
♥ K J 3  
♦ Q 7 6 3 2  
♣ Q T

♠ 9 7 4 2

♥ T 6

♦ J T 8 5

♣ A 8 3



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

♠ A T

♥ A 2

♦ A 9

♣ K J 9 6 5 4 2

Shape 4243 4621 2227 3352

HCP 5 9 16 10

Losers 10 6 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♣ by South

**Board 387**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 7 6 2

♥ K 9 6 5

♦ 2

♣ J 6 4

♠ T 8 5 4

♥ A J 8 7 4 3

♦ 8 5

♣ Q



♠ K Q

♥ T 2

♦ T 9 7 4

♣ K 9 8 5 3

♠ J 3

♥ Q

♦ A K Q J 6 3

♣ A T 7 2

Shape 4621 2245 2164 5413

HCP 7 8 17 8

Losers 8 8 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

3NT

3 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 388**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q T 9 8 6 2

♥ Q T 7 2

♦ J

♣ A

♠ -

♥ 8 6 3

♦ T 7 6

♣ K Q J 8 7 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 9 5 4

♦ 9 8 5 3

♣ 9 6

♠ K J 7

♥ K J

♦ A K Q 4 2

♣ T 5 4

Shape 0337 3442 3253 7411

HCP 6 4 17 13

Losers 7 10 6 4

West

*EPBot*

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

*EPBot*2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

4 ♣

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♦

4 ♣ by South

**Board 389**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ K 9 6  
 ♥ J T 6  
 ♦ T 8 6 3  
 ♣ Q 5 3

♠ T 8 7  
 ♥ Q 2  
 ♦ J 7 4 2  
 ♣ A 7 6 4



♠ J 2  
 ♥ K 8 5 4 3  
 ♦ Q 5  
 ♣ J T 9 2

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

Shape 3244 2524 5332 3343  
 HCP 7 7 20 6  
 Losers 10 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

Pass	3NT		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by South

**Board 390**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J T 5 2

♥ Q J T 8

♦ J 8 5 2

♣ -

♠ 6 4 3

♥ K 6 2

♦ T 4 3

♣ K J 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q 9 7

♥ 5 4

♦ Q 9 7 6

♣ 7 6 4

♠ 8

♥ A 9 7 3

♦ A K

♣ A Q T 9 8 2

Shape 3334 4243 1426 5440

HCP 7 7 17 9

Losers 10 8 4 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♣

Pass

4 ♣

Pass

5 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

5 ♣ by South

Board 391

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ 6 5  
♥ K 5 4  
♦ A 9 8 6 4  
♣ K 9 4

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



♠ J T 4 2  
♥ J 2  
♦ K 7 3 2  
♣ Q T 7

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

Shape 2515 4243 5332 2353  
HCP 7 7 16 10  
Losers 7 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥		Dbl
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

Board 392  
South Deals  
None Vul

♠ K 8 4  
♥ K Q 9 7  
♦ K Q J  
♣ K 4 3

♠ Q T 9 6  
♥ J T 6 3  
♦ A 8 3 2  
♣ T

N

W     E

S

♠ A J 5  
♥ A 5 2  
♦ 9 7  
♣ A Q J 9 7

Shape 4441 3244 3325 3433  
HCP 7 0 16 17  
Losers 8 11 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1NT  
All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP

1NT by West

**Board 393**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 2  
♥ Q 8 7 6 5  
♦ Q 9 7 3 2  
♣ 3

♠ 9 7 3

♥ A J 3

♦ 4

♣ T 9 7 6 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6 5 4

♥ T

♦ J T 6 5

♣ A Q J 8 2

♠ A K Q J 8

♥ K 9 4 2

♦ A K 8

♣ K

Shape 3316 3145 5431 2551

HCP 5 8 23 4

Losers 9 8 4 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 394**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ J 8 6 4

♥ 5 3

♦ Q 7 5 2

♣ A T 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 3

♥ A J 9 4 2

♦ J T 9

♣ 7 4 2

♠ A Q 9 7 2

♥ K T 8

♦ K

♣ K J 8 6

Shape 4243 2533 5314 2353

HCP 7 6 16 11

Losers 9 10 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♦

2NT

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by South

**Board 395**  
 South Deals  
 None Vul

♠ K 6  
 ♥ A K 3  
 ♦ T 8 5 4  
 ♣ J 9 6 3

♠ Q 7 4 3 2  
 ♥ Q T 8 4  
 ♦ Q 9  
 ♣ T 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A J T  
 ♥ 7 6 2  
 ♦ A K 6 3  
 ♣ A K 2

♠ 9 8 5  
 ♥ J 9 5  
 ♦ J 7 2  
 ♣ Q 8 5 4

Shape 5422 3334 3343 2344  
 HCP 6 4 19 11  
 Losers 8 11 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

4 ♠ by North

**Board 396**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 6 4  
♥ A 7  
♦ J 2  
♣ Q T 8 6 4 2

♠ K J 5  
♥ T 8 2  
♦ Q T 7 6 3  
♣ J 7



♠ 8 3 2  
♥ 9 6 3  
♦ A 9 8 5 4  
♣ 9 5

♠ A Q T 7  
♥ K Q J 5 4  
♦ K  
♣ A K 3

Shape 3352 3352 4513 3226

HCP 7 4 22 7

Losers 9 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	4 ♥		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

Board 397  
South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ 8 5  
♥ Q 2  
♦ J T 5 4 2  
♣ J T 5 3

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

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

♠ A T 6 3  
♥ A  
♦ A K Q 9 8  
♣ K 8 7

W N E S

Shape 1732 6304 4153 2254  
HCP 6 10 20 4  
Losers 8 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot	EPBot	EPBot	EPBot
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

**Board 398**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 5 4  
♥ Q T 5 4 2  
♦ 9 6 4  
♣ J 4

♠ 6 3

♥ J 3

♦ A 8 7 5

♣ Q 9 8 5 3



♠ A 7

♥ K 9 8

♦ T 3

♣ A K T 7 6 2

♠ K Q J T 8 2

♥ A 7 6

♦ K Q J 2

♣ -

Shape 2245 2326 6340 3532

HCP 7 14 16 3

Losers 8 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 399**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

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

♠ T 8 2  
 ♥ J 7  
 ♦ J T 9 6  
 ♣ K 6 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

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

Shape 3244 3514 3442 4243  
 HCP 5 8 16 11  
 Losers 10 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

All Pass

- 16+ HCP
- artificial

1♠ by West

**Board 400**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 9 7

♥ 6 4 2

♦ J 7 5

♣ Q 6 5

♠ A J 3

♥ Q 9 8 7 5

♦ T 6

♣ 9 7 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 6 2

♥ T 3

♦ A K 4 2

♣ J 8 3 2

♠ K 5 4

♥ A K J

♦ Q 9 8 3

♣ A K T

Shape 3523 3244 3343 4333

HCP 7 8 20 5

Losers 9 9 6 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2NT

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

3NT

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 401**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 9 7

♥ J 8 5 4

♦ 7 4

♣ A J T

♠ 8 6 3

♥ T 9 3 2

♦ K Q 3

♣ 7 4 3



♠ T 4 2

♥ A 6

♦ J 8 6 5 2

♣ K 8 2

♠ A Q 5

♥ K Q 7

♦ A T 9

♣ Q 9 6 5

Shape 3433 3253 3334 4423

HCP 5 8 17 10

Losers 10 9 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

1NT by South

**Board 402**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

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

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K 9 7  
 ♥ A  
 ♦ J 9 8  
 ♣ A T 9 8 6

♠ 6 4  
 ♥ Q T 8 5 3  
 ♦ Q T 5 2  
 ♣ K 3

Shape 4423 2542 4135 3343  
 HCP 5 7 16 12  
 Losers 10 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♥	2 ♣
Pass	Pass	2 ♥	Pass
Pass	3 ♣		
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3 ♣ by South

**Board 403**  
 South Deals  
 E-W Vul

♠ Q J 4  
 ♥ 7 5  
 ♦ J 7 5 4  
 ♣ T 8 5 4

♠ K 9 6

♥ 2

♦ 9 3 2

♣ Q J 9 6 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 7 3

♥ K Q J T 9

♦ A K T 8 6

♣ -

♠ A T 5 2

♥ A 8 6 4 3

♦ Q

♣ A K 7

Shape 3136 3550 4513 3244

HCP 6 13 17 4

Losers 8 5 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. strength cue bid

2NT by South

**Board 404**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 8

♥ 8 4

♦ J 4 3 2

♣ 9 7 6 3

♠ 4 3

♥ T 9 7

♦ K T 9 8

♣ A T 8 5



♠ T 9 6 5

♥ K 5 2

♦ Q 7 6

♣ K J 2

♠ A Q 7 2

♥ A Q J 6 3

♦ A 5

♣ Q 4

Shape 2344 4333 4522 3244

HCP 7 9 19 5

Losers 9 9 5 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 405**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ 9 8 4 3

♥ A Q 8

♦ 8 3

♣ 8 6 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A J 6 5

♥ T 7 4

♦ Q 5 2

♣ J 9 3

♠ K 7

♥ J 6

♦ A K 9 7

♣ A K Q T 4

Shape 4324 4333 2245 3541

HCP 6 8 20 6

Losers 9 10 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 406**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 8 4 2

♥ J 4 3

♦ 4 2

♣ 7 6 3

♠ 9

♥ 5 2

♦ A J T 9 5 3

♣ 9 8 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6 5 3

♥ A K Q 9

♦ 8 7

♣ K J T

♠ A J 7

♥ T 8 7 6

♦ K Q 6

♣ A Q 4

Shape 1264 4423 3433 5323

HCP 5 13 16 6

Losers 8 7 7 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

3♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3♦<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

4. automat

3♦ by North

**Board 407**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 8 6

♥ T

♦ A T 7 6 3 2

♣ 6 2

♠ J 7 4 2

♥ J 3

♦ J 9

♣ K 8 7 4 3



♠ T 3

♥ Q 9 8 5 2

♦ Q 8

♣ A J T 5

♠ A Q 5

♥ A K 7 6 4

♦ K 5 4

♣ Q 9

Shape 4225 2524 3532 4162

HCP 6 9 18 7

Losers 9 8 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦      1 ♠      Pass      2 ♥

Pass      3 ♣      Pass      3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♠ by North

Board 408  
South Deals  
None Vul

♠ A J 5 2  
♥ J 7 4  
♦ T 7 6  
♣ 9 7 3

♠ 6  
♥ K T 9 8 6 3  
♦ K 9 8 4 2  
♣ 5

N  
W   E  
S

♠ K T 8 4 3  
♥ 5  
♦ A 5  
♣ K Q 8 6 2

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

Shape 1651 5125 3334 4333  
HCP 6 12 16 6  
Losers 6 5 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass            3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♥ by North

Board 409

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ J 9 8 7 3  
♥ 9 3 2  
♦ 6 5  
♣ T 5 2

♠ T 5  
♥ T  
♦ K Q T 9 3  
♣ 8 7 6 4 3

♠ A K 6 4 2  
♥ K Q 7 6  
♦ J 7  
♣ Q J

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

N  
W E  
S

Shape 2155 5422 1543 5323  
HCP 5 16 18 1  
Losers 7 6 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♠	2 ♥
3 ♠			
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3 ♠ by East			

Board 410

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ A 5 2  
♥ J  
♦ K 9 5 4 3  
♣ A K 9 3

♠ Q 9  
♥ K T 9 6  
♦ J T 6  
♣ T 8 7 2

N  
W   E  
S

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

♠ K J 8 7 6  
♥ A 2  
♦ A Q 7 2  
♣ Q J

Shape 2434 3613 5242 3154  
HCP 6 2 17 15  
Losers 10 9 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1NT		1 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

1NT by North

**Board 411**  
 South Deals  
 None Vul

♠ J 9 8 4  
 ♥ A K 9  
 ♦ Q T 3  
 ♣ 8 5 3

♠ T 6 5 2  
 ♥ T 7 3 2  
 ♦ A 5  
 ♣ Q T 6



♠ A 7  
 ♥ J 8 5  
 ♦ J 7 4  
 ♣ J 9 7 4 2

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

Shape 4423 2335 3352 4333  
 HCP 6 7 17 10  
 Losers 9 10 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

2NT by South

Board 412  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ K J 9 5  
♥ J 9 2  
♦ 9 7 4  
♣ A 9 2

♠ T 4  
♥ K Q 8 7 5 4  
♦ J  
♣ J 7 5 4

N  
W       E  
      S

♠ 6 3  
♥ T 3  
♦ Q T 8 5 3  
♣ Q T 8 3

♠ A Q 8 7 2  
♥ A 6  
♦ A K 6 2  
♣ K 6

Shape 2614 2254 5242 4333  
HCP 7 4 20 9  
Losers 7 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

**Board 413**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

♠ A 9 6  
 ♥ Q 9 7 2  
 ♦ T 6 2  
 ♣ A T 5

♠ K Q 7 5 2  
 ♥ T 8 6 5  
 ♦ J 8 7 5  
 ♣ -



♠ 4  
 ♥ K J 4 3  
 ♦ Q 9 4  
 ♣ J 6 4 3 2

♠ J T 8 3  
 ♥ A  
 ♦ A K 3  
 ♣ K Q 9 8 7

Shape 5440 1435 4135 3433  
 HCP 6 7 17 10  
 Losers 7 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 414

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ K J 4  
♥ A 9 8 7 5  
♦ 7  
♣ K T 5 2

♠ T 9 7 6  
♥ K J 6 2  
♦ J 4 2  
♣ 9 3



♠ A Q 3  
♥ T 4 3  
♦ A K 6  
♣ A J 8 6

♠ 8 5 2  
♥ Q  
♦ Q T 9 8 5 3  
♣ Q 7 4

Shape 4432 3163 3334 3514  
HCP 5 6 18 11  
Losers 10 8 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♥	Dbl	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

1NT by North

**Board 415**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 7 3  
♥ T 6 4 3  
♦ K 9 5 4  
♣ K 8

♠ K 9 8 2

♥ Q 5 2

♦ T 8 6

♣ 9 4 2



♠ 6 5

♥ A J 8 7

♦ A Q J 7 2

♣ J 3

♠ A Q J 4

♥ K 9

♦ 3

♣ A Q T 7 6 5

Shape 4333 2452 4216 3442

HCP 5 13 16 6

Losers 10 7 4 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♦

3 ♣

3 ♦

Pass

Pass

4 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♣ by South

**Board 416**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4 3 2  
♥ Q 6  
♦ Q 9 7 5  
♣ 9 6 5 3

♠ T 8 7 6 5

♥ A T 4 3 2

♦ J T 4

♣ -

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ -

♥ J 9 8 5

♦ A K 6 2

♣ K T 8 7 4

♠ A K Q J 9

♥ K 7

♦ 8 3

♣ A Q J 2

Shape 5530 0445 5224 3244

HCP 5 11 20 4

Losers 8 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠		
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 417**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A J 9 8 5

♥ 5 4 2

♦ A K 9 2

♣ 5

♠ 7 3 2

♥ K 6 3

♦ 5 3

♣ K 9 8 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6 4

♥ Q T 8

♦ T 7 4

♣ J T 7 2

♠ K Q

♥ A J 9 7

♦ Q J 8 6

♣ A Q 6

Shape 3325 3334 2443 5341

HCP 6 3 19 12

Losers 9 11 6 7

West

*EPBot*

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

*EPBot*2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3NT

3NT by South

**Board 418**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K Q 3

♥ Q T 6

♦ 8 7

♣ K 9 6 4

♠ 7 6 4 2

♥ J 3 2

♦ A 2

♣ J 8 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 8

♥ 9 8 4

♦ K T 9 6 4

♣ T 5

♠ T 5

♥ A K 7 5

♦ Q J 5 3

♣ A Q 7

Shape 4324 3352 2443 4324

HCP 6 4 16 14

Losers 10 10 6 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2♥ by South

**Board 419**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 3  
♥ A 4 3  
♦ A K T 9 8 7 5  
♣ J

♠ Q 9 4

♥ K J 8 7

♦ 3

♣ 7 6 5 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 7 6

♥ Q T 9 5

♦ Q 6 4

♣ Q 9 8

♠ A K J T 2

♥ 6 2

♦ J 2

♣ A K T 2

Shape 3415 3433 5224 2371

HCP 6 6 16 12

Losers 8 9 6 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♦

1 ♥

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠

2 ♦

3 ♣

3 ♦

4 ♣

4 ♦

Pass

Pass

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♦ X by West

**Board 420**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q T 2  
♥ J 7  
♦ K 8 4  
♣ J T 7 6 2

♠ 8 5 4

♥ A K 3 2

♦ T 9 2

♣ 8 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K J 9 7

♥ 8 6 4

♦ J 6 5 3

♣ 9

♠ 6 3

♥ Q T 9 5

♦ A Q 7

♣ A K Q 5

Shape 3433 5341 2434 3235

HCP 7 9 17 7

Losers 10 8 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

Pass

Pass

2 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. strength cue bid

3 ♥ by South

**Board 421**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 7 5 3

♥ T 4

♦ K 3

♣ J 8 3 2

♠ J 8 4 2

♥ A 7 5

♦ 9 6 5 2

♣ T 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6

♥ 8 6 2

♦ A Q T 8

♣ A K 6 5

♠ A K

♥ K Q J 9 3

♦ J 7 4

♣ Q 7 4

Shape 4342 2344 2533 5224

HCP 5 13 16 6

Losers 10 7 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by South

**Board 422**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 2  
♥ A T 8 3  
♦ T 9 5 2  
♣ Q 9 4

♠ T 4 3  
♥ J 9 6 2  
♦ A J 4  
♣ 8 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

♠ A 8 6  
♥ Q 7 5  
♦ K Q 7 6  
♣ A J 5

Shape 3433 5224 3343 2443

HCP 6 10 16 8

Losers 11 7 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. strength cue bid

3♦ by North

Board 423

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ Q T  
♥ J T 8 7  
♦ T 7 3  
♣ A Q 7 5

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



♠ K 8 4 3  
♥ A Q 6 5  
♦ A K 4  
♣ J T

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

Shape 3244 4333 4432 2434  
HCP 6 8 17 9  
Losers 9 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

1NT by South

**Board 424**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 7  
♥ T 9 6 2  
♦ A K 9 6  
♣ Q 3

♠ J

♥ A 5

♦ J T 8 7 5 2

♣ 9 7 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 6 4 3 2

♥ J 4 3

♦ 3

♣ A T 8 5

♠ A Q T 5

♥ K Q 8 7

♦ Q 4

♣ K J 2

Shape 1264 5314 4423 3442

HCP 6 8 17 9

Losers 8 8 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

1♠

Pass

2♣<sup>3</sup>

2♦

2♠

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Reverse drury

2NT by South

**Board 425**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J T 6 5

♥ J T 8 2

♦ T 9

♣ J 8

♠ 7 2

♥ A 9 6

♦ 8 4 3

♣ Q 9 7 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 4

♥ 5 4

♦ K Q 6 5 2

♣ A K 3 2

♠ A K 9 3

♥ K Q 7 3

♦ A J 7

♣ T 6

Shape 2335 2254 4432 5422

HCP 6 12 17 5

Losers 9 6 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♦

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

Pass

3 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♣ by South

**Board 426**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

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

♠ T 6 5 4 2  
 ♥ J T 9 3 2  
 ♦ A  
 ♣ 4 2



♠ A 7  
 ♥ A Q 8  
 ♦ K 5 4  
 ♣ A T 9 8 7

♠ Q J 9 8  
 ♥ 5  
 ♦ Q T 9 7 6  
 ♣ 6 5 3

Shape 5512 4153 2335 2443  
 HCP 5 5 17 13  
 Losers 8 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

**Board 427**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q T 9 6

♥ A 5 3

♦ A J 2

♣ 9 4 2

♠ 4 3 2

♥ J T 9

♦ T 9 7 5

♣ A T 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K J 7

♥ Q 8

♦ Q 8 4

♣ K J 7 6

♠ 8 5

♥ K 7 6 4 2

♦ K 6 3

♣ Q 5 3

Shape 3343 2533 4234 4333

HCP 5 8 16 11

Losers 11 8 7 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

1♥

1♣<sup>1</sup>2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Reverse drury

2♥ by East

Board 428

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ Q  
♥ A T 8 7 4  
♦ T 8 4 3  
♣ Q J 8

♠ T 8 6 5 4  
♥ 5 2  
♦ Q 7  
♣ A 6 5 4



♠ 9 2  
♥ K J 9 3  
♦ K J 6 2  
♣ T 9 3

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

Shape 5224 2443 5233 1543  
HCP 6 8 17 9  
Losers 9 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠		2 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by North			

Board 429

South Deals  
Both Vul

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

♠ 9 8 2  
♥ K 7  
♦ T 7 6 2  
♣ A T 9 7



♠ A K 7 3  
♥ A 3  
♦ A J 9 8  
♣ K 8 6

♠ T 4  
♥ Q T 9 8 2  
♦ K Q 3  
♣ Q 5 4

Shape 3244 2533 4243 4423  
HCP 7 9 19 5  
Losers 9 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♥	Dbl
2 ♥	3NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3NT by North			

**Board 430**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ A T 9 8 3 2

♥ J T 6 5

♦ Q T

♣ 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 6 4

♥ K 9

♦ J 7

♣ K T 7 6 3

♠ Q 7

♥ A Q 3

♦ A K 6 4

♣ J 9 8 5

Shape 6421 4225 2344 1453

HCP 7 11 16 6

Losers 8 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4 ♠ by South

**Board 431**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 7 4 2

♥ K J

♦ J 6 4 2

♣ T 4 2

♠ 9 8 5

♥ T 9 8

♦ A Q 7

♣ J 9 8 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q J

♥ 7 6 5 4 3 2

♦ T 9 8

♣ 5

♠ T 6 3

♥ A Q

♦ K 5 3

♣ A K Q 7 3

Shape 3334 3631 3235 4243

HCP 7 7 18 8

Losers 10 8 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2NT

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 432

South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

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

N  
W   E  
S

♠ Q 2  
♥ J T 7  
♦ K T 2  
♣ A 8 5 4 2

♠ A T 9  
♥ A 3  
♦ A Q 7 5 4  
♣ K 9 7

Shape 3703 2335 3253 5152  
HCP 6 10 17 7  
Losers 7 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

**Board 433**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 9 5  
♥ J 9 7 4 2  
♦ J 2  
♣ 7 5

♠ 8 6

♥ 8 6 3

♦ A Q T 8 5 4

♣ J 8



♠ 3 2  
♥ A K T 5  
♦ 7 6 3  
♣ Q T 4 2

♠ A K Q 7 4

♥ Q

♦ K 9

♣ A K 9 6 3

Shape 2362 2434 5125 4522

HCP 7 9 21 3

Losers 8 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 434**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 8 7 2

♥ -

♦ T 9 8 5 4 3

♣ A K T

♠ T 6 4

♥ Q T 5

♦ K 7

♣ Q 9 8 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J

♥ J 9 4 3 2

♦ Q 6 2

♣ J 7 3

♠ A 9 5 3

♥ A K 8 7 6

♦ A J

♣ 6 2

Shape 3325 2533 4522 4063

HCP 7 7 16 10

Losers 8 10 6 6

West

*EPBot*

1 ♦

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by South

North

*EPBot*

2NT

4 ♥

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥

**Board 435**

South Deals

E-W Vul

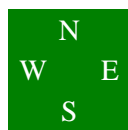
♠ Q 3  
♥ K J 8 6 5  
♦ 8 2  
♣ Q T 6 5

♠ 9 8 5 2

♥ 4 2

♦ Q J 3

♣ A 9 7 3



♠ J 7 6

♥ Q 9 3

♦ T 7 6 5 4

♣ K 8

♠ A K T 4

♥ A T 7

♦ A K 9

♣ J 4 2

Shape 4234 3352 4333 2524

HCP 7 6 19 8

Losers 9 9 7 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2 ♠ by South

**Board 436**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 9 6 3

♥ 6 4 3

♦ A T

♣ Q 7 3 2

♠ K T 7

♥ T 9 7

♦ Q J 5 2

♣ 8 6 5



♠ Q J 8 5

♥ 5 2

♦ K 6 4 3

♣ T 9 4

♠ 4 2

♥ A K Q J 8

♦ 9 8 7

♣ A K J

Shape 3343 4243 2533 4324

HCP 6 6 18 10

Losers 10 9 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♥ by South

**Board 437**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ A J 5  
 ♥ J 9 5 4  
 ♦ 8 6 4  
 ♣ 8 6 5

♠ T 9 6 4 3  
 ♥ Q T 2  
 ♦ J T  
 ♣ Q 9 4



♠ K Q 8 7  
 ♥ K  
 ♦ K Q 5 3  
 ♣ K J T 2

♠ 2  
 ♥ A 8 7 6 3  
 ♦ A 9 7 2  
 ♣ A 7 3

Shape 5323 1543 4144 3433  
 HCP 5 12 17 6  
 Losers 9 7 5 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

2 ♠ by North

**Board 438**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 6  
♥ Q T 9  
♦ T 9 8  
♣ T 8 4 3 2

♠ 7 5 3 2

♥ 8 7 6 2

♦ -

♣ K Q J 7 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 4

♥ K 5 4 3

♦ K J 6 3 2

♣ A

♠ A Q T 8

♥ A J

♦ A Q 7 5 4

♣ 9 6

Shape 4405 3451 4252 2335

HCP 6 14 17 3

Losers 7 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3♣ by South

**Board 439**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ A 5 2

♥ K T 6 5

♦ 9 6

♣ T 9 8 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 4 3

♥ A 9 8

♦ K Q T 2

♣ 6 5

♠ K 7

♥ Q 7 3

♦ J 4

♣ A K Q J 3 2

Shape 3424 4342 2326 4351

HCP 7 10 16 7

Losers 9 8 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3NT

2♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

**Board 440**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 7 2  
♥ A Q T 9 7 2  
♦ -  
♣ J 5 4 2

♠ T 9 6  
♥ 3  
♦ Q J 9 8 6  
♣ A T 9 7

W N  
E S

♠ K 3  
♥ K 8 6 4  
♦ T 5 4 3  
♣ Q 8 3

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

Shape 3154 2443 5242 3604

HCP 7 8 16 9

Losers 8 8 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

2♥	Pass	4♥	1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl		Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4♥X by West

**Board 441**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 6 2  
♥ 8 7 6 3  
♦ 8 7 5  
♣ A 7 6

♠ J 5 4 3

♥ K 5 2

♦ J T 9 4

♣ Q T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q T 8 7

♥ J

♦ Q 6 2

♣ J 9 5 3

♠ A

♥ A Q T 9 4

♦ A K 3

♣ K 8 4 2

Shape 4342 5134 1534 3433

HCP 7 9 20 4

Losers 10 7 4 11

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3NT

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. strength cue bid

4 ♥ by South

**Board 442**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 6  
♥ T 2  
♦ K 9 8 7 5  
♣ K T 5 3

♠ A J T 9 5

♥ 8 6 5

♦ J T

♣ 9 7 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 4 3 2  
♥ K Q 9 4  
♦ 6 4 3 2  
♣ Q

♠ Q 8

♥ A J 7 3

♦ A Q

♣ A J 8 6 4

Shape 5323 4441 2425 2254

HCP 6 10 18 6

Losers 10 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

Board 443

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ 4 2  
♥ A Q 9 5 3  
♦ Q T  
♣ J 9 7 5

♠ T 9 6 3  
♥ -  
♦ K J 7 6 5  
♣ K T 6 3



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

♠ A 8 7  
♥ T 8 4 2  
♦ A 9 4 3 2  
♣ 2

Shape 4054 3451 4414 2524  
HCP 7 8 16 9  
Losers 7 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	Dbl	2 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠		2 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by South			

**Board 444**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ Q 7 6 3

♥ T 6 3 2

♦ 9

♣ K J T 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K J T 5

♥ 9 5

♦ T 8 5

♣ 6 3 2

♠ 8

♥ A K Q 4

♦ A K Q J

♣ A 9 5 4

Shape 4414 5233 1444 3352

HCP 6 8 23 3

Losers 8 9 3 11

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Dbl

2 ♠

3 ♣

Pass

4 ♣

Pass

5 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♣ by South

**Board 445**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ Q 4 3 2  
♥ J T 2  
♦ Q 9 8 7 5  
♣ 7



♠ A J T 9 7 6  
♥ A K 9 8  
♦ A  
♣ T 9

♠ K  
♥ 4  
♦ K J T 6 3  
♣ A K Q 8 4 3

Shape 4351 6412 1156 2524

HCP 5 16 16 3

Losers 8 5 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♣ by South

**Board 446**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ J 8 4 3

♥ Q 6 4 3 2

♦ 5

♣ K J 4



♠ 7

♥ 9 8

♦ K Q J T 8 7 3

♣ 9 6 5

♠ A K T 6 5 2

♥ K 7

♦ 9 4

♣ A Q T

Shape 4513 1273 6223 2434

HCP 7 6 16 11

Losers 8 7 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by South

**Board 447**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ T 9

♥ T 7 6 2

♦ K Q J 2

♣ J 6 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K 8 5

♥ A Q 4

♦ A 9 7 4

♣ T 8

♠ Q 4 3

♥ J 3

♦ 8 6 5

♣ A Q 9 5 3

Shape 2443 3235 4342 4423

HCP 7 9 17 7

Losers 9 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2NT by South

**Board 448**  
 South Deals  
 E-W Vul

♠ T 6  
 ♥ J 8 4  
 ♦ K 7 6  
 ♣ J T 9 7 5

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



♠ 8 5  
 ♥ T 9 3  
 ♦ A Q J T 5 4 2  
 ♣ Q

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

Shape 6124 2371 3613 2335  
 HCP 6 9 20 5  
 Losers 7 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

**Board 449**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 8 7 6 4

♥ J T 2

♦ K J 4 3

♣ 7

♠ Q 3 2

♥ 9 5

♦ Q 7 6 2

♣ K T 9 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J

♥ A 8 6 4

♦ T 9 8

♣ J 8 5 3

♠ A 9 5

♥ K Q 7 3

♦ A 5

♣ A Q 6 4

Shape 3244 2434 3424 5341

HCP 7 9 19 5

Losers 8 9 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2NT

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 450

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ J T 4 3  
♥ J T 6 5 4  
♦ J  
♣ A T 8

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



♠ Q 7  
♥ 7  
♦ K T 9 7 5  
♣ J 7 5 4 3

♠ A K  
♥ A Q 9 8 3  
♦ A 2  
♣ K Q 9 2

Shape 5251 2155 2524 4513  
HCP 5 6 22 7  
Losers 7 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3NT by North			

Board 451

South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

♠ K 8 5  
♥ T 3 2  
♦ K 8 7 6 3  
♣ 8 2

N  
W     E  
S

♠ Q J T 9 6 3  
♥ 4  
♦ J T 9 4  
♣ T 6

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

Shape 3352 6142 2713 2236  
HCP 6 4 20 10  
Losers 9 8 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♠	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

4 ♥ by South

**Board 452**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7 6 5 2

♥ 6 4

♦ Q 2

♣ A 7 4 3

♠ 4

♥ K Q J 3

♦ T 9 7 4 3

♣ J 6 2



♠ K T 9

♥ A T 9 8 2

♦ K J 8 5

♣ T

♠ A Q J 3

♥ 7 5

♦ A 6

♣ K Q 9 8 5

Shape 1453 3541 4225 5224

HCP 7 11 16 6

Losers 8 7 5 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♣

Pass

5 ♣

4 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

5 ♣ by South

**Board 453**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ -  
 ♥ 8 7 5  
 ♦ J T 9 6 3  
 ♣ A Q J 3 2

♠ K T 8 7 4 2

♥ Q 9 2

♦ 4

♣ T 9 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

♠ A Q J 5

♥ K 4 3

♦ A Q 8 5

♣ 7 6

Shape 6313 3433 4342 0355

HCP 5 11 16 8

Losers 8 9 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

3. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by North

**Board 454**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 8 7 4 2

♥ Q 8 4 3

♦ A Q T

♣ 4

♠ J 5 3

♥ T 7

♦ K 9 7 4

♣ K 8 7 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9

♥ J 9 5

♦ J 8 5 3 2

♣ J 9 3

♠ A Q 6

♥ A K 6 2

♦ 6

♣ A Q T 6 2

Shape 3244 2353 3415 5431

HCP 7 3 19 11

Losers 9 11 4 6

West

*EPBot*

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

*EPBot*2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

4 ♣

East

*EPBot*

Pass

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♣

5 ♣

5 ♣ by South

**Board 455**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K 6 2  
♥ K T 8 5 4  
♦ A T 3  
♣ 9

♠ J 9 7

♥ 9 3

♦ 7 4

♣ K J 8 5 4 2



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

♠ T 3

♥ A Q 2

♦ K Q J 8

♣ A Q 7 6

Shape 3226 4342 2344 4531

HCP 5 3 18 14

Losers 9 10 5 6

West

*EPBot*

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !C

3 ♣ by South

North

*EPBot*

2 ♣

3 ♣

East

*EPBot*

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>2 ♥<sup>2</sup>

**Board 456**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 3  
♥ A K 9 6 3  
♦ 9 7 6 4 3  
♣ 3

♠ J 9 6 2

♥ J T 2

♦ T 2

♣ Q J 6 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q 8

♥ 4

♦ A 8 5

♣ K 9 8 7 5 4

♠ A T 5 4

♥ Q 8 7 5

♦ K Q J

♣ A T

Shape 4324 3136 4432 2551

HCP 5 12 16 7

Losers 10 6 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

2♣

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2♥ by West

**Board 457**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 8 6

♥ K

♦ A Q T 7 6 3

♣ 8 3

♠ K J T 7 4 3

♥ 9 7

♦ 9 8

♣ K 5 2



♠ 2

♥ A Q T 8 6 5 4 3 2

♦ 4

♣ 9 7

♠ A 5

♥ J

♦ K J 5 2

♣ A Q J T 6 4

Shape 6223 1912 2146 4162

HCP 7 6 16 11

Losers 8 5 5 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♦

Pass

All Pass

2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

4 ♠

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠

1. 16+ HCP

2. 1X-(1Y)-2Z weak

4 ♠ by North

Board 458

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ J 8  
♥ A T 9 7 3  
♦ J 8 7 4  
♣ T 9

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

N  
W     E  
   S

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

♠ A T 6  
♥ Q 8  
♦ A K 5 3  
♣ K 8 7 2

Shape 3226 5431 3244 2542  
HCP 7 11 16 6  
Losers 8 6 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♠	Pass
Pass	2NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
2NT by North			

**Board 459**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 6 4 3  
♥ Q 2  
♦ A Q 6 2  
♣ 9 8 2

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



♠ A T 7 5  
♥ J 6  
♦ 8 5 3  
♣ K J 7 6

♠ Q  
♥ A K 7 5  
♦ K T 4  
♣ A Q T 4 3

Shape 4531 4234 1435 4243

HCP 5 9 18 8

Losers 9 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

Pass	1♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			2♣

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2♣ by South

**Board 460**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 8 7 2

♥ A T 9

♦ J 8 2

♣ T 8 2

♠ J 6 5

♥ K 7 6 3

♦ Q T 9 7 6

♣ 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 4 3

♥ Q J 8 5 4

♦ A 4

♣ K 7 4

♠ A K 9

♥ 2

♦ K 5 3

♣ A Q J 9 6 5

Shape 3451 3523 3136 4333

HCP 6 10 17 7

Losers 8 8 5 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♥

2 ♣

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

3 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♦ by North

**Board 461**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 8 3

♥ K T 2

♦ J 8 6

♣ K 8 4

♠ K 5 4

♥ 7 4

♦ 9 4 2

♣ Q J 9 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 7

♥ Q J 9 6 5 3

♦ Q T 3

♣ 5

♠ Q 6 2

♥ A 8

♦ A K 7 5

♣ A T 6 2

Shape 3235 3631 3244 4333

HCP 6 9 17 8

Losers 9 7 6 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

3 ♣

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♣ by South

Board 462

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ J T 8 7  
♥ 5  
♦ Q T 9 4 2  
♣ K 9 5

♠ 9 6 4  
♥ K 9 8 3  
♦ K 8 6 5  
♣ 6 3



♠ Q 5 2  
♥ 4 2  
♦ J  
♣ Q J T 8 7 4 2

♠ A K 3  
♥ A Q J T 7 6  
♦ A 7 3  
♣ A

Shape 3442 3217 3631 4153  
HCP 6 6 22 6  
Losers 9 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♣	3 ♥
5 ♣	Pass	Pass	Dbl
All Pass			

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial

5 ♣X by East

**Board 463**  
 South Deals  
 N-S Vul

♠ K T 7 3  
 ♥ K 4  
 ♦ 7 6 4  
 ♣ 9 7 6 3

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

N  
 W     E  
 S

♠ A 9 4  
 ♥ T 8 5  
 ♦ A K Q T  
 ♣ A 5 4

♠ Q 8 6 5 2  
 ♥ A Q 2  
 ♦ 3 2  
 ♣ Q J T

Shape 1543 5323 3343 4234  
 HCP 6 11 17 6  
 Losers 9 7 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP  
 2. artificial

3♠ by East

**Board 464**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K T 6 2

♥ 8 6 5 4

♦ K 6 3

♣ 8 6

♠ 9 8 7

♥ K J T 7

♦ J T 4

♣ Q T 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 4

♥ Q 3 2

♦ Q 9 8 5

♣ A 9 5 3

♠ A Q 5 3

♥ A 9

♦ A 7 2

♣ K J 7 4

Shape 3433 2344 4234 4432

HCP 7 9 18 6

Losers 10 8 6 9

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2NT by South

Board 465  
South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q 7 4  
♥ K T 5 2  
♦ Q T 9  
♣ K 5 4

♠ 6  
♥ 9 3  
♦ 7 5 4  
♣ A Q T 9 8 7 6

N  
W   E  
S

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

♠ A K J T 8 3  
♥ A Q J 4  
♦ A 8 6  
♣ -

Shape 1237 3343 6430 3433  
HCP 6 5 19 10  
Losers 7 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3NT		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3NT by North

**Board 466**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 8 6

♥ K 6 3

♦ 9 5

♣ K T 8 7

♠ A J T 9 5

♥ T 8 7

♦ J 4

♣ 5 4 2



♠ 3 2

♥ Q J 5 2

♦ K T 7 3 2

♣ 9 3

♠ 7 4

♥ A 9 4

♦ A Q 8 6

♣ A Q J 6

Shape 5323 2452 2344 4324

HCP 6 6 17 11

Losers 10 8 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

**Board 467**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6 5  
 ♥ J 9 6  
 ♦ J T 7 5  
 ♣ Q 6 3

♠ 9 7 3 2  
 ♥ K Q 7 5 3  
 ♦ 3 2  
 ♣ 5 2



♠ A Q J T  
 ♥ A T 8  
 ♦ K 9  
 ♣ K J T 9

♠ K 4  
 ♥ 4 2  
 ♦ A Q 8 6 4  
 ♣ A 8 7 4

Shape 4522 2254 4324 3343

HCP 5 13 18 4

Losers 8 6 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♦	2NT
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Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♥ by South

**Board 468**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 5 3

♥ K J 9 5

♦ A 5

♣ 7 5 2

♠ 8 7 6 4

♥ A T 4 2

♦ Q 8 4 3

♣ 9



♠ T

♥ Q 8

♦ J T 9 7 2

♣ K T 8 4 3

♠ A K 9 2

♥ 7 6 3

♦ K 6

♣ A Q J 6

Shape 4441 1255 4324 4423

HCP 6 6 17 11

Losers 8 8 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>2NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass

3♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Unusual 2NT

3♣ by West

**Board 469**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5  
♥ T 7 5 4 3  
♦ A T 2  
♣ Q 9 6 2

♠ T 7

♥ J 9 6

♦ J 7 4 3

♣ K J T 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 6 4 2

♥ A Q 2

♦ Q 8 5

♣ A 8 5

♠ K Q J 9 8 3

♥ K 8

♦ K 9 6

♣ 7 4

Shape 2344 6232 4333 1534

HCP 6 12 16 6

Losers 10 6 7 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

2♠

Pass

Pass

Dbl

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

Board 470

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ K T 6 2  
♥ J 6  
♦ 8 3 2  
♣ Q J 8 2

♠ 9 7  
♥ K Q 9 7 5 2  
♦ T 6 5 4  
♣ 3

N  
W     E  
   S

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

♠ Q 8  
♥ A T 3  
♦ A Q J 9  
♣ A K T 4

Shape 2641 5224 2344 4234  
HCP 5 8 20 7  
Losers 7 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			

**Board 471**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 8 7 3

♥ 2

♦ T 7 6

♣ Q T 9 6

♠ 9 2

♥ K 7 6 5

♦ J 9 4 2

♣ K 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 6 5 4

♥ T 8 3

♦ A 5

♣ A J 8

♠ A

♥ A Q J 9 4

♦ K Q 8 3

♣ 7 4 3

Shape 2443 5323 1543 5134

HCP 7 10 16 7

Losers 9 9 5 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

2 ♥

2 ♠

3 ♥

Pass

Pass

3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by East

**Board 472**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 4 3  
♥ J T 7 3 2  
♦ 7 4  
♣ 9 3 2

♠ T 7 6 2

♥ Q 6

♦ Q J T 8 6 5

♣ 5



♠ A Q J 8  
♥ A 8 5 4  
♦ 3 2  
♣ Q 8 4

♠ K 5

♥ K 9

♦ A K 9

♣ A K J T 7 6

Shape 4261 4423 2236 3523

HCP 5 13 21 1

Losers 8 7 4 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

3NT by South

**Board 473**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7  
♥ A J 7 6 5  
♦ 9 8 6 3  
♣ T 8

♠ 3 2

♥ 9 8 2

♦ A K T 7 4

♣ 7 3 2



♠ T 5 4

♥ K Q 4

♦ Q 5 2

♣ A J 9 6

♠ A K Q J 9 6

♥ T 3

♦ J

♣ K Q 5 4

Shape 2353 3334 6214 2542

HCP 7 12 16 5

Losers 9 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 474**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ Q J 7 6 3  
♥ K T 9 8 6 2  
♦ -  
♣ J 6



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

♠ T  
♥ Q  
♦ A K Q J 7 5 3  
♣ A T 8 4

Shape 5602 4531 1174 3136

HCP 7 4 16 13

Losers 6 9 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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2 ♣	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
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Pass	4 ♠	Pass	5 ♦
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

5 ♦ by South

Board 475  
South Deals  
None Vul

♠ K T 6 5  
♥ K 9 3  
♦ A 2  
♣ A K 7 6

♠ Q J 8 2  
♥ T 5 4  
♦ Q 7 3  
♣ T 8 4

N  
W   E  
S

♠ 9 7 4  
♥ 2  
♦ J T 9 6 4  
♣ J 9 5 3

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

Shape 4333 3154 2632 4324  
HCP 5 2 16 17  
Losers 10 10 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1NT	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3 ♥ by South

**Board 476**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A T 9 6  
♥ Q T 7  
♦ K Q T 4  
♣ Q 6

♠ 8 7

♥ J 9 4 2

♦ 8 6 5

♣ A 7 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 5

♥ 8 6 3

♦ J 3 2

♣ K T 9 8 2

♠ K Q 4 3 2

♥ A K 5

♦ A 9 7

♣ J 3

Shape 2434 2335 5332 4342

HCP 5 5 17 13

Losers 10 10 6 7

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

1NT by North

**Board 477**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J T 8 2

♥ Q 9 8 4

♦ K

♣ T 8 5

♠ K 3

♥ J 6 2

♦ 8 7

♣ Q 9 7 4 3 2

W N E S

♠ Q 6 5

♥ T 5 3

♦ J 9 3 2

♣ A J 6

♠ 9 7 4

♥ A K 7

♦ A Q T 6 5 4

♣ K

Shape 2326 3343 3361 5413

HCP 6 8 16 10

Losers 8 10 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♣ by South

2 ♣

3 ♣

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♦

Board 478  
South Deals  
None Vul

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

♠ 9 8 6 2  
♥ Q T 2  
♦ Q 8 5 2  
♣ Q J

N  
W   E  
S

♠ K 7 4 3  
♥ J 6  
♦ T 7 6  
♣ K T 7 3

♠ A T  
♥ A 9 8 5  
♦ A 9 4 3  
♣ A 6 2

Shape 4342 4234 2443 3424  
HCP 7 7 16 10  
Losers 9 9 7 8

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

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial
- 3. Stayman

2NT by South

Board 479

South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

♠ K J T 9 8 5 3  
♥ J 2  
♦ 6 3  
♣ T 2



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

♠ 7 6 2  
♥ A T 7 3  
♦ A Q 8 2  
♣ K 6

Shape 7222 3442 2254 1525  
HCP 5 13 19 3  
Losers 8 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass      4 ♠  
All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

Board 480  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ 5 4  
♥ 5 4 2  
♦ T 8 6 2  
♣ K J 6 5

♠ 7  
♥ K 8 6  
♦ Q 9 7 3  
♣ T 8 7 4 3

N  
W   E  
S

♠ Q J T 3 2  
♥ Q J T 3  
♦ A 4  
♣ Q 2

♠ A K 9 8 6  
♥ A 9 7  
♦ K J 5  
♣ A 9

Shape 1345 5422 5332 2344  
HCP 5 12 19 4  
Losers 8 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1♦ <sup>2</sup>	1♠	1♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			1NT
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

1NT by South

Board 481

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q 9 8 6 5 4  
♥ J T 9  
♦ 6 2  
♣ K 5

♠ A T 7  
♥ 8 5 2  
♦ J 3  
♣ J T 9 7 4



♠ K 2  
♥ A K Q 7 3  
♦ A K T 5  
♣ Q 3

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

Shape 3325 2254 2542 6322  
HCP 6 7 21 6  
Losers 10 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Pass	Pass	3 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

3 ♥ by South

**Board 482**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5  
♥ T 9 5 4  
♦ A Q 6 5  
♣ K 8 7 4

♠ K J

♥ J 8 6 2

♦ J 9 7 3 2

♣ J 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 7 6 2  
♥ K Q 7 3  
♦ T 4  
♣ T 6 5

♠ A Q 9 8 4 3

♥ A

♦ K 8

♣ A Q 9 3

Shape 2452 4423 6124 1444

HCP 7 5 19 9

Losers 9 9 3 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

**Board 483**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9  
♥ 8  
♦ K Q J T 8  
♣ Q J 9 8 5

♠ J 8 6 5

♥ K J T 7

♦ 9 7 5 2

♣ 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 4 3 2  
♥ Q 5 4 2  
♦ 6  
♣ K T 3 2

♠ A Q 7

♥ A 9 6 3

♦ A 4 3

♣ A 7 6

Shape 4441 4414 3433 2155

HCP 5 8 18 9

Losers 9 7 7 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*1 ♣<sup>1</sup>2NT<sup>2</sup>

Dbl

3 ♣

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

3 ♣X by East

**Board 484**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ 8 3

♥ J 7 5 4

♦ 4 3 2

♣ K J 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K Q T 7

♥ -

♦ K J T 6 5

♣ 9 8 6

♠ 4 2

♥ A Q T 8 3

♦ A Q

♣ A T 5 4

Shape 2434 5053 2524 4432

HCP 5 13 16 6

Losers 10 5 6 10

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

1 ♠

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥

2 ♠

3 ♥

3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by East

Board 485

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ K J T 9 6 4 3  
♥ T 9 5 4  
♦ 8 6  
♣ -

♠ 8 7  
♥ 2  
♦ 5 4  
♣ A K T 8 7 6 3 2

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

N  
W     E  
S

♠ A  
♥ A J 8 7  
♦ K Q T 3  
♣ Q J 5 4

Shape 2128 3451 1444 7420  
HCP 7 12 17 4  
Losers 6 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♠	5 ♣		1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
5 ♣ by South			

Board 486

South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ K Q 7 6  
♥ 4 2  
♦ K 9 7 2  
♣ T 7 3

♠ 9 5 4  
♥ A Q 9 8 6 3  
♦ T 3  
♣ 4 2



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

Shape 3622 2434 4144 4243  
HCP 6 7 19 8  
Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass            3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♥ by North

**Board 487**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ J T 8 7  
 ♥ 8 7 5 4 3  
 ♦ Q 7 6  
 ♣ A

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 5 3 2  
 ♥ A Q 9 2  
 ♦ A K  
 ♣ K 9 2

♠ 9 6  
 ♥ K T  
 ♦ T 8 5 3 2  
 ♣ J T 6 5

Shape 4531 2254 4423 3235

HCP 7 4 19 10

Losers 8 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			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

4 ♥ by South

**Board 488**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 5  
♥ K Q 3  
♦ K T 9 7 6 5 2  
♣ T

♠ T 7 6  
♥ J T 6 2  
♦ A 8 3  
♣ 9 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

♠ A K J 4 2  
♥ A 8 4  
♦ Q 4  
♣ A 7 4

Shape 3433 3316 5323 2371

HCP 5 7 18 10

Losers 11 8 7 6

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

3 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♠ by South

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠

**Board 489**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 8  
 ♥ Q J 9 6 4  
 ♦ T 8 5 3  
 ♣ Q 7

♠ 9 2

♥ K T 8 7 3

♦ K 9 6

♣ 6 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 7 5 4

♥ -

♦ J 7

♣ A T 9 8 3 2

♠ A K 6 3

♥ A 5 2

♦ A Q 4 2

♣ K J

Shape 2533 5026 4342 2542

HCP 6 6 21 7

Losers 9 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			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

4 ♥ by South

Board 490

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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



♠ 9 5  
♥ K Q J 2  
♦ T 9 8 5  
♣ 8 7 4

♠ 6  
♥ A T  
♦ A J 6 4 3  
♣ A K Q 9 5

Shape 2542 2443 1255 8203  
HCP 6 6 18 10  
Losers 8 9 4 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

4 ♠  
All Pass  
1. 16+ HCP  
  
4 ♠ by West

**Board 491**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ J 9 6 2

♥ J 2

♦ Q J T 3

♣ T 8 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 5 3

♥ A Q T

♦ 9 8 6

♣ A Q 5 3

♠ A Q 8 4

♥ K 9 6 5

♦ A

♣ K J 6 2

Shape 4243 3334 4414 2452

HCP 5 12 17 6

Losers 10 8 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by North

**Board 492**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 6 5 4 3

♥ J 9 8

♦ K Q

♣ J T

♠ 8

♥ Q 6

♦ 8 5 2

♣ A 9 7 6 4 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 2

♥ T 5

♦ T 9 7 6 4

♣ K Q 8

♠ K Q 7

♥ A K 7 4 3 2

♦ A J 3

♣ 5

Shape 1237 3253 3631 6322

HCP 6 6 17 11

Losers 8 9 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

1 ♠

Pass

Pass

Pass

All Pass

2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

4 ♣

4NT

5 ♥

Pass

Pass

Pass

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥

4 ♥

5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

6 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

**Board 493**  
 South Deals  
 Both Vul

♠ Q 3 2  
 ♥ K T 9 4  
 ♦ T 8  
 ♣ A 8 7 3

♠ K T 9 8 7  
 ♥ J 8  
 ♦ J 4 2  
 ♣ Q 9 2



♠ A J 5  
 ♥ 5 3  
 ♦ Q 9 6 5  
 ♣ J 6 5 4

♠ 6 4  
 ♥ A Q 7 6 2  
 ♦ A K 7 3  
 ♣ K T

Shape 5233 3244 2542 3424  
 HCP 7 8 16 9  
 Losers 9 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

2 ♠ by North

**Board 494**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 4 2  
♥ J 4 3  
♦ A Q J 2  
♣ 6 3 2

♠ K 8 6 3

♥ T 9 5

♦ 9 8 7 5

♣ Q J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 5

♥ K 8 6

♦ T 4 3

♣ T 8 7 5 4

♠ A Q 9 7

♥ A Q 7 2

♦ K 6

♣ A K 9

Shape 4342 2335 4423 3343

HCP 6 4 22 8

Losers 10 10 4 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4 ♠ by South

**Board 495**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 8 5 3

♥ 8 3

♦ J

♣ Q 7 5 4 2

♠ 4

♥ Q T 7 4

♦ T 8 7 4

♣ K J 8 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K Q 6

♥ K 9 5 2

♦ 5

♣ A T 9 3

♠ J 7 2

♥ A J 6

♦ A K Q 9 6 3 2

♣ -

Shape 1444 3370 4414 5215

HCP 6 15 16 3

Losers 8 5 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

2 ♦

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♦ by East

Board 496  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ 9 7 5 4  
♥ K 8 4  
♦ Q 6  
♣ K T 9 6

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

N  
W   E  
S

♠ A J 3  
♥ A J T 5 3  
♦ 4 3  
♣ 8 3 2

♠ K T 6 2  
♥ Q  
♦ A K J T 8 2  
♣ Q J

Shape 2434 3523 4162 4324  
HCP 6 10 16 8  
Losers 10 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♥	2 ♦
2 ♥	3 ♦		
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3 ♦ by North			

**Board 497**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 6 5

♥ 7 6 5 4

♦ K 9

♣ T 8 5

♠ 9 7 3 2

♥ 9 8 2

♦ A Q 3

♣ 9 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 8 4

♥ K J T 3

♦ J 8 7

♣ 7 4 2

♠ J T

♥ A Q

♦ T 6 5 4 2

♣ A K Q J

Shape 4333 3433 2254 4423

HCP 6 9 17 8

Losers 10 10 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

2NT by South

**Board 498**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q  
 ♥ Q 7 4 3  
 ♦ T 9  
 ♣ Q J T 9 8 3

♠ J 6 5 4 3

♥ K 5 2

♦ K 7 6 2

♣ 6



♠ A T 8  
 ♥ J T 8 6  
 ♦ J 8 4 3  
 ♣ 7 4

♠ K 9 7 2

♥ A 9

♦ A Q 5

♣ A K 5 2

Shape 5341 3442 4234 1426

HCP 7 6 20 7

Losers 8 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4 ♠ by South

**Board 499**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7

♥ Q 9 5 3

♦ A J 6 2

♣ J T 4 3

♠ J 5 2

♥ T

♦ Q T 7 5 4 3

♣ Q 9 7



♠ Q 9 8 3

♥ A J 8 6 2

♦ 9

♣ A 8 6

♠ A K T 6 4

♥ K 7 4

♦ K 8

♣ K 5 2

Shape 3163 4513 5323 1444

HCP 5 11 16 8

Losers 8 7 6 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

Pass

2 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by South

1 ♦<sup>2</sup>

3 ♠

1 ♥

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠

Board 500

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ 8 6 4  
♥ K Q 9  
♦ K T 9 5 2  
♣ Q 9

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



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

Shape 3343 3523 4225 3352  
HCP 7 7 16 10  
Losers 10 10 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

1 ♦                      2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2NT by North