

Board 1

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 6 5 4 2

♥ 9 4

♦ 8 5 2

♣ T 9

♠ A

♥ A K 8 6

♦ K Q J T 4

♣ Q 6 2

	N	
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♠ Q J 8

♥ T 3 2

♦ 7 6

♣ A J 7 5 3

♠ K 7 3

♥ Q J 7 5

♦ A 9 3

♣ K 8 4

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Shape 1453 3325 3433 6232

HCP 19 8 13 0

Losers 4 9 8 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. !H queen and !C king

6 ♥ by South

Board 2

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5 3
♥ J T 6 4 3
♦ Q 3
♣ J T 4

♠ Q 4

♥ K Q

♦ A K J T 5

♣ A 9 8 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 8 7 6 2

♥ 9 8 5

♦ 9 6 2

♣ K 6

♠ A K T

♥ A 7 2

♦ 8 7 4

♣ Q 7 5 3

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Shape 2254 5332 3334 3523

HCP 19 3 13 5

Losers 6 10 8 11

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

6 ♣ by South

Board 3

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 6
♥ T 9 8 5 2
♦ T
♣ Q T 9 4

♠ A K 7
♥ A K 6 3
♦ A Q J 3 2
♣ 6



♠ T 9 4
♥ J 7 4
♦ 9 8 7
♣ 8 7 3 2

♠ 8 5 3 2
♥ Q
♦ K 6 5 4
♣ A K J 5

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Shape 3451 3334 4144 3514

HCP 21 1 13 5

Losers 4 12 7 8

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

1. Fourth suit

6♦ by South

Board 4

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 8 3 2

♥ K T 5 4

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 2

♠ K

♥ A Q 9 3

♦ K Q J 9 6

♣ Q J 8



♠ Q T 6 5

♥ 7 2

♦ 8

♣ A T 9 7 4 3

♠ A 7 4

♥ J 8 6

♦ A T 5 4

♣ K 6 5

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Shape 1453 4216 3343 5431

HCP 18 6 12 4

Losers 5 7 9 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

6 ♦

All Pass

1. Checkback

6 ♦ by South

Board 5

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 5 2
♥ 8 6 5
♦ 7 6 5
♣ K 9 6 2

♠ K Q J 7 4

♥ 7

♦ A K 9 3 2

♣ A 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8
♥ K Q J 9 4 3
♦ 8 4
♣ J T 8 5

♠ A 9 6 3

♥ A T 2

♦ Q J T

♣ Q 7 4

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Shape 5152 1624 4333 3334

HCP 17 7 13 3

Losers 4 7 8 11

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by North

Board 6

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 5 4
♥ T 7 5 2
♦ 5
♣ Q J T 8 2

♠ A 6

♥ 9 4

♦ A K Q J T 3

♣ K 9 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 8 7 3 2

♥ Q J 8

♦ 7 6

♣ 5 3

♠ J T

♥ A K 6 3

♦ 9 8 4 2

♣ A 6 4

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Shape 2263 6322 2443 3415

HCP 17 5 12 6

Losers 5 8 8 8

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 7

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 6

♥ 3 2

♦ 8 5 4

♣ T 9 8 7 2

♠ K Q T 5

♥ A K Q 8 4

♦ Q 7

♣ Q J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 7 3 2

♥ 7

♦ J T 2

♣ K 6 5 4 3

♠ J 4

♥ J T 9 6 5

♦ A K 9 6 3

♣ A

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Shape 4522 4135 2551 3235

HCP 19 8 13 0

Losers 5 8 6 11

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. shortness !C
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. surplus
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6♥ by South

Board 8
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 6 2
 ♥ 6 2
 ♦ 9 8 7 3
 ♣ 9 6 2

♠ A J
 ♥ Q J 5
 ♦ K Q J 6 4
 ♣ K T 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 5 4 3
 ♥ A 9 7 4
 ♦ A T 5 2
 ♣ Q

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

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Shape 2353 3406 4441 4243

HCP 17 8 13 2

Losers 6 7 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 6♦ by South

Board 9

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 5 2
♥ 8 5
♦ K Q 9 7 6 4
♣ 9 5

♠ A K Q J 8 3

♥ J 3 2

♦ -

♣ A Q T 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 4
♥ Q T 9 4
♦ A T 8 5 3
♣ 6

♠ 6

♥ A K 7 6

♦ J 2

♣ K J 8 7 3 2

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Shape 6304 3451 1426 3262

HCP 17 6 12 5

Losers 4 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣
2 ♦	2 ♠ ¹	5 ♦	Dbl
Pass	6 ♣		
All Pass			

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

6 ♣ by South

Board 10
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ Q J 9 4
 ♥ J T 4
 ♦ 9 6 2
 ♣ 6 3 2

♠ A T 2
 ♥ K 5
 ♦ A K Q J 8 7
 ♣ 7 5



♠ 8 7 5
 ♥ A 9 6 2
 ♦ 3
 ♣ Q J T 8 4

♠ K 6 3
 ♥ Q 8 7 3
 ♦ T 5 4
 ♣ A K 9

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Shape 3262 3415 3433 4333

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 5 8 8 11

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

1. Fourth suit

5 ♦ by North

Board 11

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 6
 ♥ T 4
 ♦ J T 5 2
 ♣ K 9 8 7 5

♠ A K Q 9 5 3 2

♥ K J 7 2

♦ 3

♣ A

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 4
 ♥ 8 3
 ♦ K Q 9 6
 ♣ Q T 6 4 3 2

♠ J 8 7

♥ A Q 9 6 5

♦ A 8 7 4

♣ J

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Shape 7411 1246 3541 2245

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 3 6 7 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !C

3. Splinter

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6♥ by South

Board 12

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 9 5 2

♥ J 7 5 2

♦ 8

♣ 8 7 5

♠ A 7 6 4 3

♥ K 3

♦ A K Q J T

♣ J



♠ T 8

♥ Q 9 8

♦ 6 5

♣ K T 9 4 3 2

♠ Q

♥ A T 6 4

♦ 9 7 4 3 2

♣ A Q 6

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Shape 5251 2326 1453 5413

HCP 18 5 12 5

Losers 4 8 7 9

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

1. Checkback

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

7♦ by South

Board 13
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ 9 2
 ♥ Q T 3 2
 ♦ Q 7 3
 ♣ 9 8 3 2

♠ K 4 3
 ♥ K 8 4
 ♦ A K J 8 2
 ♣ K T



♠ A Q 8 6
 ♥ A 9 7 5
 ♦ T 6 4
 ♣ Q 5

♠ J T 7 5
 ♥ J 6
 ♦ 9 5
 ♣ A J 7 6 4

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Shape 3352 4225 4432 2434

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 6 9 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 14

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8
♥ J 4 3 2
♦ K 5
♣ Q T 6 5 4 2

♠ A Q 7 5
♥ T
♦ A Q J T 2
♣ A 9 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 6 4 3
♥ Q 8 7 6 5
♦ 9 4
♣ J 7

♠ K T 9 2
♥ A K 9
♦ 8 7 6 3
♣ K 8

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Shape 4153 4522 4342 1426

HCP 17 4 13 6

Losers 5 9 7 7

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6♠ by North

Board 15

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J T 7 5 2
♥ K Q 8 6 2
♦ 4
♣ J 5

♠ -

♥ A 7 5 3
♦ A Q J T 2
♣ A Q 9 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 8 6 4
♥ T 9 4
♦ 8 7 5
♣ T 6

♠ K Q 3

♥ J

♦ K 9 6 3

♣ K 8 7 4 3

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Shape 0454 5332 3145 5512

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 4 10 6 7

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

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

Board 16

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 4
♥ K 7 6 4
♦ 8 7
♣ A T 9 8 6

♠ J 8 3 2
♥ A J 2
♦ A K Q 6 2
♣ Q



♠ T 6 5
♥ Q 8 5
♦ T 9 5
♣ 7 5 3 2

♠ A K Q 9
♥ T 9 3
♦ J 4 3
♣ K J 4

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Shape 4351 3334 4333 2425

HCP 17 2 14 7

Losers 6 11 8 8

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

1. Fourth suit

4 ♠ by South

Board 17
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ K Q
 ♥ 8 5 4 2
 ♦ T 3 2
 ♣ T 5 3 2

♠ T 9 6 3
 ♥ K J
 ♦ K Q J 7 5
 ♣ A K



♠ 7 5 4 2
 ♥ 9 7 6
 ♦ A 9
 ♣ J 9 8 4

♠ A J 8
 ♥ A Q T 3
 ♦ 8 6 4
 ♣ Q 7 6

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Shape 4252 4324 3433 2434

HCP 17 5 13 5

Losers 5 10 8 10

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

1. Fourth suit

3NT by South

Board 18
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ K T 8 6
 ♥ 9 2
 ♦ 9 8 2
 ♣ T 9 7 6

♠ A J 2
 ♥ A 6 5
 ♦ A K Q 7 3
 ♣ 4 2



♠ 7 5 4 3
 ♥ J T 8 7 4
 ♦ 4
 ♣ A Q 5

♠ Q 9
 ♥ K Q 3
 ♦ J T 6 5
 ♣ K J 8 3

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Shape 3352 4513 2344 4234

HCP 18 7 12 3

Losers 6 8 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 19
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ 9 6 4
 ♥ T 4 2
 ♦ 8 5 2
 ♣ A J 8 5

♠ A 8 7
 ♥ A K 9
 ♦ K Q J T 6
 ♣ 4 2



♠ Q T 3
 ♥ J 5 3
 ♦ 9 4
 ♣ K T 7 6 3

♠ K J 5 2
 ♥ Q 8 7 6
 ♦ A 7 3
 ♣ Q 9

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Shape 3352 3325 4432 3334

HCP 17 6 12 5

Losers 6 9 8 11

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 20

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A T 2
♥ Q 7 5 2
♦ 4
♣ T 9 6 3 2

♠ K 6 3

♥ K 6 4

♦ A K Q J 6

♣ Q 4



♠ Q 9 8 7 5 4

♥ J T 9 8

♦ T 2

♣ J

♠ J

♥ A 3

♦ 9 8 7 5 3

♣ A K 8 7 5

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Shape 3352 6421 1255 3415

HCP 18 4 12 6

Losers 6 8 6 8

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

1. Inverted minors

5♦ by South

Board 21

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 8 7 5 4

♥ 9 4

♦ J 8 7 2

♣ 6 5

♠ 9

♥ A Q J 8 7

♦ Q 9 4

♣ A K J 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 3 2

♥ T

♦ K T 6 5 3

♣ 8 4 3

♠ K Q 6

♥ K 6 5 3 2

♦ A

♣ Q T 9 2

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Shape 1534 4153 3514 5242

HCP 17 4 14 5

Losers 5 9 5 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6♥ by South

Board 22

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q T 9 6 3

♥ T 6 2

♦ 5

♣ 9 6 5 2

♠ A J

♥ A 4

♦ A K Q 3 2

♣ K 8 7 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 7 5 4

♥ J 8 7 3

♦ J T 8

♣ T 3

♠ 8 2

♥ K Q 9 5

♦ 9 7 6 4

♣ A Q J

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Shape 2254 4432 2443 5314

HCP 21 5 12 2

Losers 4 10 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

7♦ by South

Board 23

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 6 4

♥ 9 8 7 6

♦ 7 5

♣ J 9 3

♠ J 5

♥ 4

♦ A K Q 6 3

♣ A K 8 7 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 3

♥ J T 3 2

♦ T 9

♣ T 6 4

♠ 8 7 2

♥ A K Q 5

♦ J 8 4 2

♣ Q 5

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Shape 2155 4423 3442 4423

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 4 9 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

5♦ by South

Board 24

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 3 2
♥ A 8 6 5
♦ 4
♣ T 9 8 7 4

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ -

♦ A K J 7 5 2

♣ A K J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q T
♥ Q T 7 4 3 2
♦ 6
♣ 6 3 2

♠ A 8 5

♥ K J 9

♦ Q T 9 8 3

♣ Q 5

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Shape 4063 3613 3352 3415

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 5 7 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	6♦		
All Pass			

1. Checkback

6♦ by South

Board 25

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 5
 ♥ 8 7 6 4 3
 ♦ J 8
 ♣ Q 5 3

♠ T

♥ K T 9 5

♦ A K Q 4 2

♣ A K J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q 6 4

♥ A Q

♦ 9 6 5 3

♣ T 7 2

♠ K J 9 3 2

♥ J 2

♦ T 7

♣ 9 8 6 4

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Shape 1453 5224 4243 3523

HCP 20 5 12 3

Losers 4 9 8 10

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

1. Fourth suit
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
5. King ask by 5NT
6. K=0
- 7♦ by South

Board 26

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 8 7 2

♥ K J 5 2

♦ 9 6 2

♣ Q

♠ K

♥ A 7 6

♦ A K J T 5

♣ K 9 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6 5 4

♥ T 9 4 3

♦ Q 4 3

♣ T 4 3

♠ A Q 9 3

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 7

♣ A J 8 7 6

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Shape 1354 3433 4225 5431

HCP 18 2 13 7

Losers 6 11 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

6 ♣ by South

Board 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 6 4 2
 ♥ Q T 7 5 2
 ♦ 3
 ♣ J 9 4

♠ A K J 7

♥ 6

♦ A Q J T 8 5

♣ A 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9 8 5 3
 ♥ K J 8
 ♦ 7
 ♣ 8 6 5 3

♠ -

♥ A 9 4 3

♦ K 9 6 4 2

♣ K Q T 2

382B11F91879605A3FC27AE066F1

Shape 4162 5314 0454 4513

HCP 19 4 12 5

Losers 4 9 5 8

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

1. Fourth suit

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

7♦ by South

Board 28

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 7 3
♥ A J T 7 5 2
♦ 8 4
♣ 4

♠ A 8 5 2
♥ -
♦ K Q J 6 3
♣ A Q J 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T
♥ 9 8 6 3
♦ T 9 7 2
♣ 9 7 5

♠ Q 6 4
♥ K Q 4
♦ A 5
♣ K T 8 3 2

3A376DAFFF79DA11FA9F36A0DD39

Shape 4054 2443 3325 4621

HCP 17 3 14 6

Losers 4 10 6 8

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

Board 29

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7
♥ 9 5
♦ T 7
♣ A 9 8 6 5 4 3 2

♠ A 6 4

♥ K 6 2

♦ A K Q 9 4

♣ J 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 9 8 5 3

♥ Q 8 4 3

♦ 6 3

♣ T

♠ Q T 2

♥ A J T 7

♦ J 8 5 2

♣ K Q

3B2445956FAA745CEB007C14508C

Shape 3352 6421 3442 1228

HCP 17 6 13 4

Losers 6 7 8 7

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

1. limit raise or better in !D

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

5♦ by South

Board 30

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 7 5
 ♥ T 9 5
 ♦ 9
 ♣ K 8 6 5 4

♠ K J 2
 ♥ J 7 6
 ♦ A K J 8 2
 ♣ A 7



♠ A 8 4
 ♥ K Q 4 3
 ♦ Q T 7 5
 ♣ Q T

♠ Q 6 3
 ♥ A 8 2
 ♦ 6 4 3
 ♣ J 9 3 2

3A9F2C650EF5F29CC748F4A86A1E

Shape 3352 3334 3442 4315

HCP 17 7 13 3

Losers 7 10 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 31
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ T 9 8 5
 ♥ 7 5 3
 ♦ Q 7
 ♣ 9 8 6 2

♠ A Q 4
 ♥ A K Q 8 6
 ♦ K 6 4 2
 ♣ J



♠ K J 7
 ♥ J T 4 2
 ♦ A J 3
 ♣ K 7 3

♠ 6 3 2
 ♥ 9
 ♦ T 9 8 5
 ♣ A Q T 5 4

390A810EABE6D4C4BD40F6227960

Shape 3541 3145 3433 4324

HCP 19 6 13 2

Losers 4 8 9 11

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Board 32

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 5 3 2
 ♥ J 2
 ♦ 9 4
 ♣ 9 8 7 5 3

♠ K

♥ Q 9 8 3

♦ K Q J 8 5

♣ A Q T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q J T 7

♥ 7 6

♦ 7 6 2

♣ J 4 2

♠ 9 6 4

♥ A K T 5 4

♦ A T 3

♣ K 6

3B6F2547766F88C45091E4AACCF2

Shape 1453 5233 3532 4225

HCP 17 8 14 1

Losers 5 9 7 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6♥ by South

Board 33
South Deals
None Vul

♠ K 8 7 6
♥ 8 7 4
♦ 9 5 3 2
♣ 5 2

♠ 9 3
♥ A 6 3 2
♦ A K J 8 7
♣ K Q

N
W E
S

♠ J 5 2
♥ T 9 5
♦ T
♣ A J T 9 8 3

♠ A Q T 4
♥ K Q J
♦ Q 6 4
♣ 7 6 4

388AEBA36A9E16FAF9C154B10644
Shape 2452 3316 4333 4342
HCP 17 6 14 3
Losers 6 9 7 10

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

Board 34

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 5 3
♥ 9 4 3
♦ 7 2
♣ J 9 7 4 2

♠ A T

♥ K 7 6 5

♦ A K Q J 9

♣ 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 7 6 4 2

♥ A Q 8 2

♦ 4

♣ T 6

♠ Q 8

♥ J T

♦ T 8 6 5 3

♣ A K Q 8

3B154595E42E749D484ECF70FF58

Shape 2452 6412 2254 3325

HCP 17 9 12 2

Losers 5 6 7 11

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

5♦ by South

Board 35

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 3
♥ 6 5 3 2
♦ T 5
♣ J T 9 3 2

♠ J 9 8

♥ A Q J 9

♦ A K Q 8 6

♣ 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q T 7 6 5 4 2

♥ 8 7 4

♦ J

♣ A 8

♠ A

♥ K T

♦ 9 7 4 3 2

♣ K Q 7 5 4

388AE9490C64001A517B7551F070

Shape 3451 7312 1255 2425

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 5 7 5 9

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

6♦ by South

Board 36

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J T 8 4

♥ J 5 2

♦ -

♣ J 9 8 6 4

♠ K 6

♥ A K T 3

♦ K Q J 5 2

♣ Q 3



♠ 5 2

♥ 9 7 4

♦ A T 9 8 4

♣ 7 5 2

♠ A 9 7 3

♥ Q 8 6

♦ 7 6 3

♣ A K T

3B8105E7F4C190E09E2C76D08F76

Shape 2452 2353 4333 5305

HCP 18 4 13 5

Losers 5 10 8 8

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

1. Fourth suit

2. Quantitative 4NT

6NT by South

Board 37

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7 2
♥ 9 7 5 4 2
♦ J
♣ 6 5 3 2

♠ A T 5

♥ J

♦ A K Q 8 5 4 2

♣ Q J



♠ Q 9 6 4
♥ A 6 3
♦ T 3
♣ A T 9 7

♠ K J 3

♥ K Q T 8

♦ 9 7 6

♣ K 8 4

3A1EAD6F832A76EDF6543C7D98FC

Shape 3172 4324 3433 3514

HCP 17 10 12 1

Losers 5 8 8 10

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

			1 ♣
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Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥
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Pass	4 ♦	Pass	5 ♦
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All Pass

5 ♦ by North

Board 38

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 8 5 2

♥ 9 5 3

♦ Q 9

♣ K 6 5

♠ A

♥ A Q 6

♦ A K J 6 5

♣ Q 7 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6 3

♥ T 8 7

♦ T 8 4

♣ J T 8 2

♠ K Q 7 4

♥ K J 4 2

♦ 7 3 2

♣ A 9

4809A887EA5EF5DE9348F8AF73E2

Shape 1354 3334 4432 5323

HCP 20 1 13 6

Losers 4 12 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
 5. no !D queen
- 7NT by North

Board 39

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 5 4 3 2

♥ 2

♦ Q T 9

♣ J T 9 2

♠ K Q J 9 8

♥ A 6 5 4

♦ A K 8

♣ 7



♠ 6

♥ T 9 7

♦ J 7 2

♣ K Q 8 5 4 3

♠ A T

♥ K Q J 8 3

♦ 6 5 4 3

♣ A 6

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Shape 5431 1336 2542 5134

HCP 17 6 14 3

Losers 5 8 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

2NT¹

Pass

3NT

Pass

6 ♥

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

6 ♥ by South

Board 40

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 3
♥ Q 9 8 4 2
♦ 9 5 3
♣ K T 8

♠ J 5
♥ K 5 3
♦ A Q J 8 4
♣ A Q 5

N
W E
S

♠ A T 9 6 4
♥ T 7
♦ 7 2
♣ J 7 6 4

♠ K Q 7 2
♥ A J 6
♦ K T 6
♣ 9 3 2

4B678CB7265C79F4926E0B76C9B1

Shape 2353 5224 4333 2533

HCP 17 5 13 5

Losers 6 9 8 9

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

Board 41
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ 9 6 3
 ♥ T 8 4 3
 ♦ 7 6 5 3
 ♣ 9 8

♠ A 8
 ♥ A 5
 ♦ A Q J 9 2
 ♣ K J T 4



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

♠ K
 ♥ 7 2
 ♦ K T 8 4
 ♣ A Q 6 5 3 2

4A0D975D5F77DC3462D14177F16D

Shape 2254 7501 1246 3442

HCP 19 9 12 0

Losers 5 4 6 11

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. !C queen and !S king
- 6 ♣ by South

Board 42

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 3
 ♥ T 3
 ♦ J 7 5 3
 ♣ 8 6 5 4 2

♠ K Q
 ♥ A K Q J 5
 ♦ Q 9 4 2
 ♣ A Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 8 7 5 4 2
 ♥ 6 2
 ♦ T 6
 ♣ K T 7

♠ A 9 6
 ♥ 9 8 7 4
 ♦ A K 8
 ♣ J 9 3

4B8F0E07C972A56C6A904864F954

Shape 2542 6223 3433 2245

HCP 23 3 12 2

Losers 4 9 9 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=1

6 ♥ by North

Board 43

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 4 3
♥ K Q 9 8 6
♦ 4
♣ T 8 6 3

♠ K J

♥ A 3 2

♦ K Q J 9 8

♣ A 9 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 8 7

♥ J T 7

♦ A 7 5 3

♣ K 5 2

♠ Q T 9 5 2

♥ 5 4

♦ T 6 2

♣ Q J 7

4883397A2A6C7BB8A2FC51D7C04D

Shape 2353 5233 3343 3514

HCP 18 5 12 5

Losers 6 9 9 8

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 44
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ 9 6 5 4
 ♥ K 7 5 3
 ♦ J 9 4 3
 ♣ 2

♠ K J
 ♥ 8 4
 ♦ A K Q T 2
 ♣ A Q J 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 8 7
 ♥ Q J T 2
 ♦ 7 6 5
 ♣ T 5 3

♠ A Q 3 2
 ♥ A 9 6
 ♦ 8
 ♣ K 9 8 7 4

49A331931F52ED4975E7F6CDBE90

Shape 2254 3433 4315 4441

HCP 20 3 13 4

Losers 4 11 6 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Splinter
 3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
- 6 ♣ by South

Board 45

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 4 2
♥ T 9 7 6 3
♦ 6 5 4 3
♣ A T

♠ K T 9 7

♥ -

♦ A K J 9 8

♣ K Q J 7



♠ 8 6 3
♥ K J 8 4 2
♦ Q 7
♣ 5 3 2

♠ A Q J 5

♥ A Q 5

♦ T 2

♣ 9 8 6 4

48A81BAF9B3039593F75A6D576D2

Shape 4054 3523 4324 2542

HCP 17 6 13 4

Losers 4 10 7 9

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

1. Exclusion, for !S

2. 1 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Board 46
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ Q 6 5
 ♥ K J T 2
 ♦ 9 4 2
 ♣ 5 3 2

♠ A K 3 2
 ♥ A 7 5
 ♦ K Q J T 5
 ♣ 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

♠ 4
 ♥ 9 6
 ♦ A 8 7 6 3
 ♣ A K J 6 4

4A053DDE7D7E635646E5CC911430

Shape 4351 5404 1255 3433

HCP 17 5 12 6

Losers 5 7 6 10

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

1. Fourth suit

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6♦ by South

Board 47

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 8 7 3 2

♥ T

♦ 7 2

♣ K Q 9 4

♠ K

♥ A Q 8 6 5

♦ A K Q 6 5

♣ T 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6 5 4

♥ 3

♦ T 9 8 3

♣ A J 8 6 5

♠ A Q J

♥ K J 9 7 4 2

♦ J 4

♣ 3 2

4B862484AEF3E0C2EB46466CD1E9

Shape 1552 3145 3622 6124

HCP 18 5 12 5

Losers 4 9 7 7

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by South

Board 48

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 5 4 3 2

♥ 7

♦ A 5 4 3

♣ J 5 2

♠ Q

♥ A K Q 4 2

♦ K T

♣ A Q 9 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 8 7

♥ 9 8

♦ Q 9 8 2

♣ T 8 7

♠ A K 6

♥ J T 6 5 3

♦ J 7 6

♣ K 6

4887890F60EA5F5E72A1E4C7E7CC

Shape 1525 4243 3532 5143

HCP 20 3 12 5

Losers 3 10 8 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6♥ by South

Board 49

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T
 ♥ T 8 7
 ♦ Q T 9 2
 ♣ Q 9 8 4 2

♠ A K Q J 4

♥ Q 9 2

♦ A K 7 3

♣ A

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 5
 ♥ 6 5 4 3
 ♦ 5 4
 ♣ J T 6 5

♠ 8 6 3 2

♥ A K J

♦ J 8 6

♣ K 7 3

5A2F2D0026F240B47D965A189D80

Shape 5341 3424 4333 1345

HCP 23 1 12 4

Losers 3 11 9 8

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

7 ♠ by North

Board 50

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 4 2
♥ 9 6 4 3 2
♦ 6 5 3
♣ T 6

♠ K 5 3

♥ J

♦ A K Q 9 8

♣ A 7 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A J T 9 8

♥ Q T 7 5

♦ J T

♣ K 8

♠ Q 6

♥ A K 8

♦ 7 4 2

♣ Q J 9 4 2

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Shape 3154 5422 2335 3532

HCP 17 11 12 0

Losers 5 7 8 11

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

Board 51
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ T 7 6 2
 ♥ Q T 7 2
 ♦ K 8 5
 ♣ T 3

♠ A Q 8
 ♥ K J
 ♦ A Q J T 4
 ♣ 9 6 4



♠ K 9
 ♥ A 8 6 4
 ♦ 9 7 3 2
 ♣ A K 7

♠ J 5 4 3
 ♥ 9 5 3
 ♦ 6
 ♣ Q J 8 5 2

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Shape 3253 4315 2443 4432

HCP 17 4 14 5

Losers 6 9 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by North

Board 52
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ J T 8 2
 ♥ T 7 5 4
 ♦ 9
 ♣ Q T 5 3

♠ A K Q
 ♥ 6
 ♦ K Q J 8 2
 ♣ A J 9 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6 4
 ♥ A K J 9
 ♦ A T 7 5 4
 ♣ 6 2

♠ 9 7 5 3
 ♥ Q 8 3 2
 ♦ 6 3
 ♣ K 7 4

5A272E1CEFF463DF768974B658DD

Shape 3154 4423 2452 4414

HCP 20 5 12 3

Losers 4 9 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 6♦ by South

Board 53

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 8 6 2

♥ J 7 2

♦ 5

♣ 9 8 6 4

♠ A J 4

♥ K 5 3

♦ A K J 8 7

♣ Q J



♠ Q T 7 5

♥ 9 8 6

♦ 6 2

♣ K T 7 5

♠ 3

♥ A Q T 4

♦ Q T 9 4 3

♣ A 3 2

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Shape 3352 4324 1453 5314

HCP 19 5 12 4

Losers 7 9 6 9

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

1. Inverted minors

6 ♦ by South

Board 54

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 4 2
♥ K T 8 5 2
♦ A
♣ 7 5 4 3

♠ A J 9

♥ Q 7

♦ K Q J T 4

♣ K Q 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 8 7 3
♥ J 9 6 4
♦ 8 5 3
♣ 8 6

♠ K 6 5

♥ A 3

♦ 9 7 6 2

♣ A J T 2

5B29B74715F51F724C9EB0D460FD

Shape 3253 4432 3244 3514

HCP 18 3 12 7

Losers 6 10 8 8

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
- 5♦ by South

Board 55

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 6 4 3 2

♥ K 7 5

♦ J 9

♣ 8 7 2

♠ A

♥ J T 3

♦ A K Q 7 3 2

♣ A J 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 8 7 5

♥ A 6 2

♦ 6

♣ T 9 5 4

♠ K Q

♥ Q 9 8 4

♦ T 8 5 4

♣ K Q 6

581BB9A94742E66078DD72E2CBD8

Shape 1363 5314 2443 5323

HCP 19 5 12 4

Losers 5 9 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

5♦ by South

Board 56
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ J 9 5 4
 ♥ K J T
 ♦ J T 3
 ♣ 6 5 3

♠ 8 6
 ♥ A 2
 ♦ A K Q 5 2
 ♣ A K T 9



♠ A K T 2
 ♥ Q 7 5
 ♦ 8 6
 ♣ Q J 8 7

♠ Q 7 3
 ♥ 9 8 6 4 3
 ♦ 9 7 4
 ♣ 4 2

5983B361FDBFD7196518E0D65C82

Shape 2254 3532 4324 4333

HCP 20 2 12 6

Losers 4 10 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣
Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2NT
Pass	6NT		
All Pass			

1. Inverted minors

6NT by South

Board 57
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ 4 2
 ♥ Q T 2
 ♦ 9 8 4 3
 ♣ 9 7 3 2

♠ A Q 6 3
 ♥ 5 3
 ♦ A K Q T 2
 ♣ K J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 8 5
 ♥ A K 9 6
 ♦ J 7 5
 ♣ Q T

♠ J 9 7
 ♥ J 8 7 4
 ♦ 6
 ♣ A 8 6 5 4

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Shape 4252 3415 4432 2344

HCP 19 6 13 2

Losers 4 9 8 10

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

1. Cue bid, a !D stopper
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6♠ by North

Board 58

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 9 5
♥ K T 9 8 5 4
♦ 7 3 2
♣ 6

♠ 7
♥ A 7
♦ A K J T 6
♣ A K 8 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 8 4 3 2
♥ 6
♦ Q 8 5 4
♣ T 9

♠ A Q 6
♥ Q J 3 2
♦ 9
♣ Q J 5 4 2

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Shape 1255 6142 3415 3631

HCP 19 6 12 3

Losers 4 7 6 9

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 2. A=1/5 or 4/5
 3. !C queen no !S king
 4. King ask by available bid
 5. K=0
- 7 ♣ by South

Board 59

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6 5

♥ J 6 5 2

♦ J 6

♣ 8 3

♠ J 8 3

♥ A

♦ A K Q 8 2

♣ K J T 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 2

♥ T 9 8 3

♦ 7 3

♣ Q 9 5 2

♠ A 4

♥ K Q 7 4

♦ T 9 5 4

♣ A 7 4

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Shape 3154 3424 2443 5422

HCP 18 5 13 4

Losers 5 9 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 6♦ by South

Board 60

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9
♥ Q T 2
♦ J 9 8 6 5
♣ 9 4 2

♠ A K Q 5 2

♥ 8 5

♦ A K Q 3

♣ T 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6 4
♥ J 7 6 4 3
♦ 4
♣ A 8 7 5 3

♠ J 8 7 3

♥ A K 9

♦ T 7 2

♣ K Q J

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Shape 5242 2515 4333 2353

HCP 18 5 14 3

Losers 4 8 8 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Board 61
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ A 6 4 3
 ♥ T 9 7 3
 ♦ 4 3
 ♣ T 8 4

♠ K 7 5
 ♥ A 5 2
 ♦ A K J T 8
 ♣ Q 9



♠ Q T 8 2
 ♥ J 8 6
 ♦ 7 5
 ♣ A 7 5 3

♠ J 9
 ♥ K Q 4
 ♦ Q 9 6 2
 ♣ K J 6 2

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Shape 3352 4324 2344 4423

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 7 9 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 62
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ 9 7 5
 ♥ J 8 7
 ♦ J 8 2
 ♣ Q J 9 3

♠ K Q
 ♥ 6 3
 ♦ A K Q 7 3
 ♣ K T 4 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A J 8 3
 ♥ K Q 4 2
 ♦ 9 6 5
 ♣ A 5

♠ T 6 4 2
 ♥ A T 9 5
 ♦ T 4
 ♣ 8 7 6

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Shape 2254 4423 4432 3334

HCP 17 4 14 5

Losers 5 10 7 11

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 6♦ by South

Board 63

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6
♥ T 9 8 7 3
♦ A Q J 8 5 3
♣ 2

♠ A K Q 9 3

♥ K 2

♦ K 9

♣ Q 9 7 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 8 4 2

♥ Q J 4

♦ T 4

♣ T 8 5

♠ 7 5

♥ A 6 5

♦ 7 6 2

♣ A K J 4 3

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Shape 5224 5323 2335 1561

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 4 10 8 6

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

1. Unusual 2NT

5 ♣ by South

Board 64
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ 9 7 6 3
 ♥ T 8 3 2
 ♦ T
 ♣ Q J 7 4

♠ A J

♥ 9 6

♦ A K J 8 5 4

♣ A 9 8



♠ T 8 2

♥ Q J 7 5 4

♦ Q 3

♣ K 6 3

♠ K Q 5 4

♥ A K

♦ 9 7 6 2

♣ T 5 2

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Shape 2263 3523 4243 4414

HCP 17 8 12 3

Losers 6 9 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 65

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 5 4 3

♥ -

♦ 9 6 4 2

♣ 9 8 7 3

♠ A 9

♥ K Q J 9 8 4

♦ A Q T

♣ A Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q T 7 6 2

♥ 7 3

♦ 8 7

♣ T 6 4

♠ -

♥ A T 6 5 2

♦ K J 5 3

♣ K J 5 2

6A2F454FC56E00C85862E5C2D461

Shape 2632 6223 0544 5044

HCP 22 5 12 1

Losers 4 8 6 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. shortness !S
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. King ask by 5NT
6. K=2
- 7♥ by South

Board 66

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 8 7

♥ 9 7 3

♦ 5 4 3 2

♣ A 4

♠ 4 2

♥ A K J 8

♦ A K J 9 8

♣ Q 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K Q T

♥ Q T 5

♦ Q T 6

♣ 6 5 2

♠ 6 5 3

♥ 6 4 2

♦ 7

♣ K J T 9 8 3

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Shape 2452 3316 4333 4342

HCP 18 4 13 5

Losers 6 9 7 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♦

Pass

1 ♣

Pass

2 ♥¹

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

4NT²

Pass

3NT

All Pass

6NT

1. Fourth suit

2. Quantitative 4NT

6NT by South

Board 67

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 9 8 5 4

♥ K 8 7 5 3

♦ Q

♣ J 9

♠ A 2

♥ T 9 4 2

♦ A K J 6 2

♣ A Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 7 6

♥ -

♦ T 5 3

♣ 7 6 5 4 3 2

♠ K 3

♥ A Q J 6

♦ 9 8 7 4

♣ K T 8

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Shape 2452 4036 2443 5512

HCP 18 3 13 6

Losers 6 8 7 8

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

1. Cue bid, a !D stopper

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5♥ by North

Board 68

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q T 6 5 2

♥ 7 5

♦ T

♣ J T 8 6 2

♠ A J 8

♥ A 6

♦ A K Q 5 4 3

♣ K 4



♠ 7 4 3

♥ Q J 8 4 3 2

♦ J 2

♣ 5 3

♠ K 9

♥ K T 9

♦ 9 8 7 6

♣ A Q 9 7

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Shape 3262 3622 2344 5215

HCP 21 4 12 3

Losers 4 9 7 8

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Quantitative 4NT

6♦ by South

Board 69

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 5
♥ Q 8 6 4 2
♦ 8 7 3 2
♣ 5 4

♠ K 8 3

♥ K

♦ A K Q J 4

♣ Q T 9 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 7 6 2

♥ J T 9 5

♦ T 9

♣ A 7

♠ A T 4

♥ A 7 3

♦ 6 5

♣ K J 6 3 2

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Shape 3154 5422 3325 2542

HCP 18 6 12 4

Losers 5 9 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣ by South

Board 70

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 9 6 4
♥ J T 9 6 4
♦ J 4
♣ 9 2

♠ A Q 8 2
♥ 2
♦ A K Q T 6
♣ K 7 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 3
♥ Q 8 7
♦ 5 3
♣ Q T 8 4 3

♠ 7 5
♥ A K 5 3
♦ 9 8 7 2
♣ A J 5

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Shape 4153 3325 2443 4522

HCP 18 8 12 2

Losers 4 8 8 10

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

1. Checkback

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6♦ by South

Board 71
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ Q 7 5
 ♥ J 8 4 3
 ♦ 7 4
 ♣ J 9 6 2

♠ A 8
 ♥ K Q 9 5
 ♦ A Q J 9 8
 ♣ K Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 6
 ♥ A 7 2
 ♦ K 6 3 2
 ♣ A 4 3

♠ K T 4 3 2
 ♥ T 6
 ♦ T 5
 ♣ T 8 7 5

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Shape 2452 5224 3343 3424

HCP 21 3 12 4

Losers 4 9 9 10

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

1. Checkback
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 6NT by South

Board 72

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 7 4 3 2

♥ 9

♦ T 5 4 3

♣ Q 2

♠ K 8

♥ A K Q J 6

♦ A 8

♣ K 9 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6 5

♥ 4 2

♦ Q J 9 7 6 2

♣ T 6

♠ A 9

♥ T 8 7 5 3

♦ K

♣ A J 8 7 4

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Shape 2524 3262 2515 6142

HCP 20 3 12 5

Losers 4 9 7 8

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

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=1

7♥ by South

Board 73

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 8 7 5 4 3

♥ 6 5 4

♦ 3 2

♣ J 6

♠ A K J 9 6

♥ Q T 9 7

♦ K

♣ A 8 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 2

♥ 3

♦ A Q T 9 5 4

♣ Q T 5 4 2

♠ T

♥ A K J 8 2

♦ J 8 7 6

♣ K 9 3

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Shape 5413 1165 1543 6322

HCP 17 8 12 3

Losers 6 5 7 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

3. surplus

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Board 74

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 6 2
♥ Q 9 8 6 5 3
♦ -
♣ J T 9 6

♠ Q 4

♥ -

♦ A Q J T 9 3 2

♣ A K Q 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J T 5

♥ K 7 2

♦ 8 5 4

♣ 5 4 3

♠ A 9 8 3

♥ A J T 4

♦ K 7 6

♣ 7 2

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Shape 2074 4333 4432 3604

HCP 18 7 12 3

Losers 3 10 8 8

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=0

7♦ by South

Board 75

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 7 4 2

♥ J 7 4

♦ T 8 3

♣ J 3

♠ A T 8

♥ A K 9 5

♦ A K J 6 5

♣ 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 6

♥ 3

♦ Q 9 7 4

♣ T 9 7 5 4 2

♠ Q 5 3

♥ Q T 8 6 2

♦ 2

♣ A K Q 8

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Shape 3451 2146 3514 5332

HCP 19 2 13 6

Losers 5 8 5 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. surplus
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♥ by South

Board 76

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 5 3
 ♥ Q 9 8 4
 ♦ 8
 ♣ Q 6 5 3 2

♠ K Q 4

♥ J 6

♦ A K J 9 4 2

♣ K 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 9 2

♥ T 5 2

♦ 6 5

♣ A J T 7

♠ A 7 6

♥ A K 7 3

♦ Q T 7 3

♣ 9 8

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Shape 3262 4324 3442 3415

HCP 17 6 13 4

Losers 5 10 7 8

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
- 6♦ by South

Board 77
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ J 8 5 3
 ♥ 6 5 4
 ♦ K 9
 ♣ J T 8 6

♠ Q T 9
 ♥ K J 8
 ♦ A Q J 8 4
 ♣ A 3



♠ K 7 4 2
 ♥ A Q
 ♦ T 7 5 3
 ♣ K 9 2

♠ A 6
 ♥ T 9 7 3 2
 ♦ 6 2
 ♣ Q 7 5 4

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Shape 3352 2524 4243 4324

HCP 17 6 12 5

Losers 6 8 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 78
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ J T 8 3
 ♥ A 7 6 3
 ♦ 6 5 3 2
 ♣ 3

♠ K 6
 ♥ K 8
 ♦ A Q J 8 7
 ♣ A Q T 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 7 4
 ♥ J T 9
 ♦ K 9
 ♣ K J 6 5 4

♠ Q 9 5 2
 ♥ Q 5 4 2
 ♦ T 4
 ♣ 9 8 7

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Shape 2254 4423 3325 4441

HCP 19 4 12 5

Losers 4 9 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0
- 6 ♣ by South

Board 79

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 4
♥ K J 9 8 7 5 4 2
♦ 6 4
♣ K 9

♠ A K J T 5 2

♥ 6

♦ A K 5 2

♣ Q 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 8 3

♥ T

♦ T 3

♣ A T 8 7 4 3 2

♠ Q 7 6

♥ A Q 3

♦ Q J 9 8 7

♣ J 5

782A38A3311E7072B28739F66E3A

Shape 6142 3127 3352 1822

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 5 8 7 6

West

EPBot

4♥

All Pass

4♠ by North

North

EPBot

4♠

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1♦

Board 80

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 6 4 2

♥ 4

♦ K J 7 5 2

♣ 8 7

♠ A

♥ A K Q T 3 2

♦ A

♣ 9 6 5 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 8 7 5 3

♥ 7

♦ Q T 6 4 3

♣ J 2

♠ Q T

♥ J 9 8 6 5

♦ 9 8

♣ A K Q T

7A0D4189E289E76450EB63FB4BC2

Shape 1615 5152 2524 5152

HCP 17 6 12 5

Losers 3 7 7 8

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

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6♥ by South

Board 81

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 6 2
 ♥ 2
 ♦ T 7 4
 ♣ T 9 5 4 3 2

♠ 7 3

♥ A Q 9 3

♦ A Q J 9 2

♣ A K

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q J 8 4

♥ J 8 6 4

♦ 6 3

♣ 8 6

♠ K T 5

♥ K T 7 5

♦ K 8 5

♣ Q J 7

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Shape 2452 5422 3433 3136

HCP 20 8 12 0

Losers 4 8 8 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Board 82

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K T 8 6 4

♥ J 6

♦ 8 3

♣ J 5 4 2

♠ J

♥ Q T 3

♦ A K Q J T

♣ A Q 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 3

♥ A 7 5 4 2

♦ 7 5 2

♣ 9 6

♠ A Q 5 2

♥ K 9 8

♦ 9 6 4

♣ K T 8

8B97E58734C56EE953FE90DC4B90

Shape 1354 3532 4333 5224

HCP 19 4 12 5

Losers 4 10 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Quantitative 4NT

6NT by South

Board 83

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K T 9 8 6 5 3 2

♥ -

♦ 7 6 3 2

♣ T

♠ J

♥ A K Q J 8 6

♦ A J 5 4

♣ J 9



♠ 4

♥ 9 7 5 3 2

♦ 9

♣ A Q 8 7 6 3

♠ A Q 7

♥ T 4

♦ K Q T 8

♣ K 5 4 2

8B86CD8E07ECD3CE9ACAD565DAD9

Shape 1642 1516 3244 8041

HCP 17 6 14 3

Losers 5 6 6 6

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

4 ♠

All Pass

5 ♦ by South

5 ♦

1 ♦

Board 84

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 5 2

♥ J 9 4

♦ 8

♣ K Q T 8 7 2

♠ A J 3

♥ A 3

♦ K Q J 9 6 2

♣ A 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 8 7 4

♥ T 8 7 5 2

♦ 4 3

♣ J 3

♠ K T 6

♥ K Q 6

♦ A T 7 5

♣ 9 5 4

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Shape 3262 4522 3343 3316

HCP 19 3 12 6

Losers 5 9 8 8

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 85

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A T 9 6 4 2

♥ 7 6 3

♦ -

♣ 8 7 5 3

♠ K

♥ A K J 5 4

♦ Q J 7 4

♣ Q J 2



♠ Q 8 5 3

♥ 8 2

♦ A 6 3 2

♣ T 6 4

♠ J 7

♥ Q T 9

♦ K T 9 8 5

♣ A K 9

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Shape 1543 4243 2353 6304

HCP 17 6 13 4

Losers 6 9 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♠

All Pass

4 ♥ by North

3 ♥

Pass

1 ♦

4 ♥

Board 86

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 7 5 2

♥ J 9 2

♦ T 3

♣ J 8 4

♠ Q

♥ Q 5 4

♦ K Q J 8 7

♣ A K T 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K T 8

♥ T 8 7 3

♦ A 9 6 2

♣ Q

♠ 6 4 3

♥ A K 6

♦ 5 4

♣ 9 6 5 3 2

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Shape 1354 3325 4441 5323

HCP 17 7 13 3

Losers 5 9 7 11

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

5♦ by South

Board 87

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 4
♥ Q T 9 5
♦ 7 2
♣ 9 8 7 5 3

♠ K Q T

♥ A J

♦ K Q J 4 3

♣ J 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 7 3 2
♥ K 7 6 4 2
♦ 8 5
♣ K Q

♠ A J 6 5

♥ 8 3

♦ A T 9 6

♣ A T 2

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Shape 3253 4522 4243 2425

HCP 17 8 13 2

Losers 6 8 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 5♦ by South

Board 88

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5
♥ T 8 6 2
♦ 2
♣ T 7 6 5 4 3

♠ K 6 3
♥ Q 9
♦ A K J 8 6
♣ A J 9



♠ A T 9 4 2
♥ 7 5 3
♦ Q 4 3
♣ K 8

♠ Q 8 7
♥ A K J 4
♦ T 9 7 5
♣ Q 2

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Shape 3253 5332 3442 2416

HCP 18 9 12 1

Losers 7 8 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. surplus
- 5♦ by South

Board 89

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 9 4 3

♥ T 3

♦ 6 5 3

♣ A 9 3

♠ K 7

♥ K J 6 2

♦ A Q J 7 2

♣ K 5



♠ J 8 6 2

♥ A 5

♦ T 8

♣ T 8 7 4 2

♠ A 5

♥ Q 9 8 7 4

♦ K 9 4

♣ Q J 6

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Shape 2452 4225 2533 5233

HCP 17 5 12 6

Losers 5 9 7 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

All Pass

2NT¹

Pass

1♥

4♥

1. Jacoby 2NT

4♥ by South

Board 90

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 8 7
♥ 5 3
♦ A 8 6
♣ Q 7 6 3 2

♠ A K Q 9 6

♥ A Q 9 8

♦ K T 2

♣ 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J
♥ 4 2
♦ J 9 7 5 4 3
♣ J T 8 5

♠ 5 4 3 2

♥ K J T 7 6

♦ Q

♣ A K 9

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Shape 5431 1264 4513 3235

HCP 18 3 13 6

Losers 4 9 7 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. surplus
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 6♥ by South

Board 91
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ Q 8 7 6 3
 ♥ T 4 3
 ♦ 8 5
 ♣ T 9 5

♠ A 4
 ♥ K 9
 ♦ A K J T 9 3
 ♣ Q 8 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 2
 ♥ J 8 7 6 5
 ♦ 6
 ♣ K J 7 2

♠ T 9 5
 ♥ A Q 2
 ♦ Q 7 4 2
 ♣ A 6 3

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Shape 2263 3514 3343 5323

HCP 17 9 12 2

Losers 5 8 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 92

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 8 3

♥ A 9 7

♦ -

♣ K 8 7 6 5 3

♠ A J 4

♥ K

♦ K Q J T 8 7 3

♣ Q J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7 6

♥ Q 6 5 4 3 2

♦ 9 5 2

♣ T 9

♠ K Q 5 2

♥ J T 8

♦ A 6 4

♣ A 4 2

9B3D849727E6F2E4745C901DD491

Shape 3172 2632 4333 4306

HCP 17 2 14 7

Losers 6 9 8 7

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6 ♦ by North

Board 93

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 5 4 2
♥ Q J 9 7 2
♦ -
♣ J 9 8 7

♠ Q
♥ K 8 5
♦ A Q J 7 6 3
♣ A K 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K
♥ A T 6 4
♦ K T 5 4
♣ Q 6 5 2

♠ A J T 8 7 6 3
♥ 3
♦ 9 8 2
♣ T 3

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Shape 1363 7132 1444 4504

HCP 19 5 12 4

Losers 5 8 7 8

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6♦ by South

Board 94
South Deals
None Vul

♠ A J 7 5
♥ Q 7 6 2
♦ 7 6 4
♣ 6 2

♠ K 9
♥ K 8
♦ A Q J 9 8
♣ A K 5 4

N
W E
 S

♠ T 8 6 4 2
♥ T 9 4 3
♦ T 5
♣ 7 3

♠ Q 3
♥ A J 5
♦ K 3 2
♣ Q J T 9 8

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Shape 2254 5422 2335 4432
HCP 20 0 13 7
Losers 4 10 8 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot	EPBot	EPBot	EPBot
			1 ♣
Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	5NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. Inverted minors
6NT by North

Board 95
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ 5 4 3
 ♥ 6 5 3 2
 ♦ T 5 4
 ♣ 9 8 3

♠ A 9
 ♥ A T
 ♦ A Q J 7 6
 ♣ Q J 7 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q T 7
 ♥ J 9 4
 ♦ K 9 8 2
 ♣ 6 2

♠ J 8 6 2
 ♥ K Q 8 7
 ♦ 3
 ♣ A K T 5

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Shape 2254 4342 4414 3433

HCP 18 9 13 0

Losers 5 8 6 12

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Splinter
 3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 6 ♣ by South

Board 96

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K T 6 3
♥ A 7 4 3 2
♦ 7
♣ T 6 3

♠ A 2
♥ K Q 6
♦ A K J 8 5
♣ 8 7 5



♠ J 8 4
♥ 8 5
♦ T 9 4 3
♣ Q J 9 4

♠ Q 9 7 5
♥ J T 9
♦ Q 6 2
♣ A K 2

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Shape 2353 3244 4333 4513

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 6 10 8 8

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

Board 97

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 9 7 3

♥ 9 2

♦ T 9 8

♣ Q 7 4

♠ A 6 2

♥ K Q J 6 3

♦ A K 6 5

♣ J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 5

♥ 8 5

♦ Q 3 2

♣ A T 9 8 6 3

♠ K Q 4

♥ A T 7 4

♦ J 7 4

♣ K 5 2

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Shape 3541 2236 3433 5233

HCP 18 6 13 3

Losers 5 8 8 10

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

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by North

Board 98
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ T 9 7 5
 ♥ T 6
 ♦ K T 6 3
 ♣ J T 6

♠ K Q J 4 2
 ♥ A K 8 7
 ♦ J 4
 ♣ A 7



♠ 6 3
 ♥ Q J 9 5 4
 ♦ A 7
 ♣ K Q 8 3

♠ A 8
 ♥ 3 2
 ♦ Q 9 8 5 2
 ♣ 9 5 4 2

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Shape 5422 2254 2524 4243

HCP 18 6 12 4

Losers 5 8 6 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5♥ by South

Board 99

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q J 9 7 2

♥ -

♦ T 8 4 2

♣ T 7 2

♠ A

♥ A 9 6 3

♦ K Q J 6 3

♣ K 9 8

W N E S

♠ T 8 6 5

♥ J T 8 7 4 2

♦ -

♣ A 5 3

♠ 4 3

♥ K Q 5

♦ A 9 7 5

♣ Q J 6 4

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Shape 1453 4603 2344 6043

HCP 17 5 12 6

Losers 5 8 7 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

5 ♦ by South

Dbl

5 ♦

4 ♠

Dbl

1 ♦

Board 100

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 3 2

♥ -

♦ Q 4 3 2

♣ J T 7 6 4 2

♠ J 6 4

♥ A Q J T 9

♦ A K 8 6

♣ K

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 8 7

♥ 8 7 6 4 2

♦ T 7

♣ Q 9 8

♠ K Q T 9

♥ K 5 3

♦ J 9 5

♣ A 5 3

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Shape 3541 3523 4333 3046

HCP 18 6 13 3

Losers 6 9 8 8

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

1. Fourth suit

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 101

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 8 3 2
♥ Q
♦ Q 9 8
♣ T 9 7 6 3

♠ A Q

♥ A T 5 3

♦ A K J 5 4 3

♣ J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6 5

♥ 9 4 2

♦ T 2

♣ Q 8 5 4 2

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ K J 8 7 6

♦ 7 6

♣ A K

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Shape 2461 3325 4522 4135

HCP 19 2 12 7

Losers 5 10 7 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by South

Board 102

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 7 6
♥ T 9 7
♦ J 8 6
♣ J 9 8 6

♠ K Q J 8 4 2

♥ A J 6 3

♦ 3

♣ A Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 5 3

♥ K

♦ K Q T 9 2

♣ T 7 5 3 2

♠ A T

♥ Q 8 5 4 2

♦ A 7 5 4

♣ K 4

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Shape 6412 2155 2542 3334

HCP 17 8 13 2

Losers 5 7 6 12

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by South

Board 103

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 7 4 2

♥ J 7

♦ A 9 7

♣ 9 8 3

♠ K Q J 6 3

♥ A Q 8 4

♦ K J

♣ J 6



♠ A 8

♥ T 3

♦ 6 5 4 3

♣ T 7 5 4 2

♠ 5

♥ K 9 6 5 2

♦ Q T 8 2

♣ A K Q

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Shape 5422 2245 1543 5233

HCP 17 4 14 5

Losers 5 9 5 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

3. surplus

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6. Blackwood 0314, for !H

7. A=1/5 or 4/5

5♥ by South

Board 104

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 7 3 2

♥ T

♦ Q 6 4

♣ J 9 8 3

♠ A 9

♥ A K J 5 4 3

♦ T 9

♣ K Q 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 8 6 4

♥ 7

♦ J 8 7 3 2

♣ 6 4 2

♠ T 5

♥ Q 9 8 6 2

♦ A K 5

♣ A T 5

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Shape 2623 4153 2533 5134

HCP 17 4 13 6

Losers 5 9 7 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by South

Board 105
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ A 9 7 6 5 2
 ♥ 7 3
 ♦ Q T 9
 ♣ 9 2

♠ Q
 ♥ A K Q J 6
 ♦ A K 7 3
 ♣ K 8 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 8 4
 ♥ 9 8 5 4
 ♦ 6 5
 ♣ 7 6 5 3

♠ K J 3
 ♥ T 2
 ♦ J 8 4 2
 ♣ A Q J T

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Shape 1543 3424 3244 6232

HCP 22 0 12 6

Losers 4 11 8 8

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

Board 106
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ T 7 5 4
 ♥ J 5
 ♦ T 3
 ♣ J 9 8 3 2

♠ K Q J 8 6
 ♥ Q 8 7 2
 ♦ K 5
 ♣ A K

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 2
 ♥ A K T 9 6 4
 ♦ Q J 9
 ♣ Q T 5

♠ A 9 3
 ♥ 3
 ♦ A 8 7 6 4 2
 ♣ 7 6 4

AB63270D3CE96C00C222F5E25880

Shape 5422 3163 1633 4225

HCP 18 8 12 2

Losers 4 8 6 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. shortness !S
 3. surplus
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5♥ by South

Board 107

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5 2
♥ T 6
♦ J T 9 8 4
♣ T 8 6 5

♠ A 6 4

♥ K Q J 9 2

♦ A

♣ A J 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q T 9 8 7 3

♥ 7

♦ Q 3 2

♣ 9 4

♠ J

♥ A 8 5 4 3

♦ K 7 6 5

♣ K Q 7

AA2F4549837042605534E4226BCB

Shape 3514 7132 1543 2254

HCP 19 7 13 1

Losers 5 6 6 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6♥ by South

Board 108
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ A 7 4 3
 ♥ T 9 8 3
 ♦ J 8 4 3
 ♣ 7

♠ K J 9
 ♥ A
 ♦ A K Q T 7
 ♣ 9 4 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 5 2
 ♥ J 7 5 4
 ♦ 5
 ♣ K Q 8 6 5

♠ Q 8 6
 ♥ K Q 6 2
 ♦ 9 6 2
 ♣ A J T

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Shape 3154 3415 3433 4441

HCP 17 6 12 5

Losers 5 8 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 109

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 9 5 3 2

♥ 7 5 3

♦ J 4

♣ Q 8

♠ K

♥ Q J 8 2

♦ A K Q T 6

♣ A K 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 6 4

♥ 6 4

♦ 7 5 2

♣ T 9 7 5 2

♠ A T 7

♥ A K T 9

♦ 9 8 3

♣ J 6 3

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Shape 1453 3235 3433 6322

HCP 22 0 12 6

Losers 4 11 9 9

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. !D queen and !S king

6 ♥ by South

Board 110

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 7
♥ 9 4 3
♦ 5 3
♣ Q T 9 8 4

♠ 9 8 6 2

♥ Q 7

♦ A K J T 6

♣ A K



♠ J T 4

♥ K T 8 6 2

♦ 9 2

♣ 5 3 2

♠ A 5 3

♥ A J 5

♦ Q 8 7 4

♣ J 7 6

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Shape 4252 3523 3343 3325

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 6 10 9 8

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

1. Checkback

2♠ by North

Board 111

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7 5 4

♥ J T 7

♦ 9 3

♣ T 7 4 2

♠ J 3

♥ Q 8 6

♦ A K J T 6

♣ A Q J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 8 6 2

♥ 4 3 2

♦ 5 4

♣ K 9 8 6

♠ A T 9

♥ A K 9 5

♦ Q 8 7 2

♣ 5 3

B9A362CB33B0AE4AF842E5D41D58

Shape 2353 4324 3442 4324

HCP 18 6 13 3

Losers 6 9 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
- 6♦ by South

Board 112
South Deals
None Vul

♠ 9 5 2
♥ J T 8 6 5 3
♦ 8 3
♣ K J

♠ A K J 6 3
♥ 4 2
♦ A J
♣ A 9 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7 4
♥ Q
♦ Q T 6 5 4 2
♣ 8 6 4

♠ T 8
♥ A K 9 7
♦ K 9 7
♣ Q T 7 3

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Shape 5224 3163 2434 3622

HCP 17 6 12 5

Losers 6 8 7 9

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

1. Lebensohl after 1m

3NT by South

Board 113

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 7 3

♥ 8

♦ Q 4 3 2

♣ A 6 5 3

♠ Q T 6

♥ K Q J 7 2

♦ A K J

♣ Q 2



♠ K 4 2

♥ 9 5

♦ 9 6 5

♣ J T 8 7 4

♠ A J 5

♥ A T 6 4 3

♦ T 8 7

♣ K 9

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Shape 3532 3235 3532 4144

HCP 18 4 12 6

Losers 6 10 8 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

All Pass

2NT¹

Pass

1♥

4♥

1. Jacoby 2NT

4♥ by South

Board 114

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 6 5 3 2

♥ A 6 4

♦ 9 5

♣ Q 3

♠ A

♥ J 9 7

♦ A K Q 8 4

♣ K T 8 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 4

♥ T 8 3 2

♦ 6

♣ J 9 5 4 2

♠ K T 9

♥ K Q 5

♦ J T 7 3 2

♣ A 7

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Shape 1354 3415 3352 6322

HCP 17 4 13 6

Losers 5 9 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors

6♦ by South

Board 115

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 4 2
♥ K J 8
♦ 6 2
♣ 9 6 5 4 3

♠ A Q 8
♥ Q T 9 7
♦ A K Q T 5
♣ Q



♠ T 9 3
♥ 6 4 3
♦ J 8 7
♣ K 8 7 2

♠ K J 6 5
♥ A 5 2
♦ 9 4 3
♣ A J T

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Shape 3451 3334 4333 3325

HCP 19 4 13 4

Losers 4 11 9 10

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

1. Fourth suit

2. Quantitative 4NT

4NT by South

Board 116

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A T 3
 ♥ 9 4 2
 ♦ 8
 ♣ K T 9 7 4 3

♠ K Q J 4 2

♥ K 8 7 6

♦ A Q 5

♣ A

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 8 7 6 5

♥ 3

♦ 9 7 6 4

♣ J 8 6

♠ -

♥ A Q J T 5

♦ K J T 3 2

♣ Q 5 2

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Shape 5431 5143 0553 3316

HCP 19 1 13 7

Losers 4 10 5 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. shortness !S
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. !H queen and !D king
- 6 ♥ by South

Board 117

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J T 6 5 2

♥ Q 4 3 2

♦ 9 6

♣ 4 2

♠ K 9 8

♥ A 6

♦ A K J 5 2

♣ K Q 9

W N E S

♠ Q 7 4

♥ K 9 5

♦ Q T 7 4

♣ A J 5

♠ A 3

♥ J T 8 7

♦ 8 3

♣ T 8 7 6 3

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Shape 3253 2425 3343 5422

HCP 20 5 12 3

Losers 5 9 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Quantitative 4NT

6♦ by South

Board 118

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 6 5 2

♥ Q T 6 2

♦ 4

♣ K 5 2

♠ K 4

♥ K 4

♦ A K Q 7 2

♣ A 9 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 8 7

♥ J 9 8 7 5

♦ T 5

♣ J 8 4

♠ A Q 3

♥ A 3

♦ J 9 8 6 3

♣ Q T 7

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Shape 2254 3523 3253 5413

HCP 19 3 13 5

Losers 4 11 7 8

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

6NT by North

Board 119
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ 9 7 5
 ♥ Q J T 7 4 2
 ♦ Q 5
 ♣ Q 2

♠ A K Q 6 4
 ♥ 5
 ♦ A 4 3
 ♣ A 6 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T
 ♥ 9 8
 ♦ K J T 9 7 6 2
 ♣ 9 8 5

♠ J 8 3 2
 ♥ A K 6 3
 ♦ 8
 ♣ K J T 7

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Shape 5134 1273 4414 3622

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 5 8 7 9

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

1. Lebensohl after 1m

3NT by South

Board 120

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 5
♥ 8 4
♦ K T 9 8 5 4
♣ J 8 3

♠ A 7 3 2
♥ A K Q 6 5
♦ -
♣ K Q 6 2

N
W E
S

♠ Q T 8 6 4
♥ 9 2
♦ J 7 6 2
♣ 9 7

♠ K 9
♥ J T 7 3
♦ A Q 3
♣ A T 5 4

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Shape 4504 5242 2434 2263

HCP 18 3 14 5

Losers 3 9 7 9

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

1. Exclusion, for !H

2. 1 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Board 121

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q T
♥ 9 7 2
♦ Q 9 8 2
♣ T 9 7 3

♠ A 8 3
♥ A K Q J 3
♦ 6
♣ K 8 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 7 6 4 2
♥ -
♦ 7 5 4 3
♣ A Q 6

♠ K 5
♥ T 8 6 5 4
♦ A K J T
♣ J 4

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Shape 3514 6043 2542 2344

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 5 7 7 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5♥ by South

Board 122

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 6 3
♥ 3
♦ Q 9 6 3 2
♣ 7 4 3 2

♠ A K J T
♥ K Q J 4 2
♦ -

♣ A Q J T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 5 4 2
♥ T 8 6 5
♦ K T 8 5 4
♣ 9

♠ 9 8 7

♥ A 9 7

♦ A J 7

♣ K 8 6 5

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Shape 4504 3451 3334 3154

HCP 21 3 12 4

Losers 3 9 9 8

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

1. Checkback

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 1 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Board 123

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ J 5 4

♥ A

♦ A K Q J 6

♣ A Q 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 7

♥ T 8 7 4

♦ -

♣ J 8 7 6 4 3

♠ A Q T 3

♥ K 3

♦ T 8 7 2

♣ K T 9

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Shape 3154 3406 4243 3640

HCP 21 4 12 3

Losers 4 8 7 8

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6NT by South

Board 124

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 2
♥ Q 6
♦ 6 4 3
♣ K Q T 9 4 3

♠ A K Q J 5

♥ K 8 3 2

♦ K J

♣ 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 8 6 3
♥ J T
♦ T 9 8 7 2
♣ J 7

♠ 9 4

♥ A 9 7 5 4

♦ A Q 5

♣ A 8 2

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Shape 5422 4252 2533 2236

HCP 17 2 14 7

Losers 5 10 7 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

6♥ by South

Board 125

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 7 6 5 2

♥ Q

♦ T 8

♣ Q J T 9 7

♠ Q

♥ 8 7 6

♦ A K J 9 5 4

♣ A K 2



♠ 9 4 3

♥ A T 9 5 3 2

♦ Q 3

♣ 5 3

♠ A K J 8

♥ K J 4

♦ 7 6 2

♣ 8 6 4

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Shape 1363 3622 4333 5125

HCP 17 6 12 5

Losers 6 9 9 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♦

2 ♥

1 ♣

Pass

Pass

3 ♦

All Pass

3 ♦ by North

Board 126

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 5 4 2

♥ J T

♦ 8 4

♣ Q 8 7 5

♠ K 8 6 3

♥ A

♦ A K J 3 2

♣ K 3 2

W N E S

♠ A T 7

♥ Q 4 3 2

♦ Q 9 7

♣ A J T

♠ 9

♥ K 9 8 7 6 5

♦ T 6 5

♣ 9 6 4

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Shape 4153 1633 3433 5224

HCP 18 3 13 6

Losers 5 9 8 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♦

2 ♥

Pass

Pass

Dbl

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

3NT

Pass

6NT

All Pass

6NT by South

Board 127

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 5 2
♥ K 9 8 7
♦ 3 2
♣ J T 8 6

♠ K 8 3

♥ A Q 4 2

♦ A K Q 7 5

♣ 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J T 9 7 4

♥ J 3

♦ 8

♣ Q 9 5 2

♠ A

♥ T 6 5

♦ J T 9 6 4

♣ A K 7 3

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Shape 3451 6214 1354 3424

HCP 18 6 12 4

Losers 4 7 7 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6♦ by South

Board 128

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 6 5 4 2

♥ K 6 5 4 2

♦ 7 2

♣ -

♠ K Q

♥ Q 8

♦ A K Q 6 5

♣ K 7 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 7

♥ J T 9 3

♦ T 8 4 3

♣ A T 2

♠ A 8 3

♥ A 7

♦ J 9

♣ Q J 9 8 5 3

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Shape 2254 2443 3226 6520

HCP 19 5 12 4

Losers 5 10 7 7

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

6 ♣ by South

Board 129

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 6 5 4
 ♥ Q 9 7 4
 ♦ J 9 8
 ♣ 9 5

♠ 3

♥ A J T

♦ A K Q 7 6

♣ A J T 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 8 7 2

♥ K 8

♦ 2

♣ 8 7 6 4 2

♠ A K Q

♥ 6 5 3 2

♦ T 5 4 3

♣ K Q

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Shape 1354 5215 3442 4432

HCP 19 4 14 3

Losers 5 8 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6NT by North

Board 130

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 6 5 4
 ♥ Q 8 5 4 2
 ♦ 3
 ♣ J 9

♠ Q
 ♥ T 7
 ♦ A K Q J 4
 ♣ A K Q 8 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 3 2
 ♥ K J 9 3
 ♦ 8 7 5
 ♣ T 4 2

♠ A K J 9
 ♥ A 6
 ♦ T 9 6 2
 ♣ 7 5 3

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Shape 1255 3433 4243 5512

HCP 21 4 12 3

Losers 3 11 8 8

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

7♦ by South

Board 131

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 4 2
♥ J T 9
♦ 5
♣ Q T 6 4 3 2

♠ A Q 7
♥ A 7 5 3
♦ A Q J 9 3
♣ J



♠ J T 8 5
♥ K 8 2
♦ K 7 4
♣ 8 7 5

♠ K 9 3
♥ Q 6 4
♦ T 8 6 2
♣ A K 9

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Shape 3451 4333 3343 3316

HCP 18 7 12 3

Losers 5 10 8 9

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

1. Checkback

6♦ by South

Board 132

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 8 5

♥ Q 7

♦ 8 7 3 2

♣ 8 5 3

♠ K 7

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J 6 5

♣ K J T 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q 9 4

♥ 9 8 6 5 3

♦ 9

♣ 9 4 2

♠ 6 3 2

♥ K J T 2

♦ A T 4

♣ A Q 7

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Shape 2254 4513 3433 4243

HCP 17 6 14 3

Losers 5 8 8 11

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

6 ♣ by South

Board 133

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 5
♥ 6 4 3
♦ 9 6 5 4 3
♣ T 5

♠ A K

♥ K 2

♦ K Q J 7 2

♣ K 8 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7 6 4

♥ J T 8 5

♦ 8

♣ Q J 4 2

♠ 9 8 3 2

♥ A Q 9 7

♦ A T

♣ A 9 6

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Shape 2254 4414 4423 3352

HCP 19 6 14 1

Losers 4 8 7 11

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. no !C queen
- 6NT by North

Board 134

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 7 2
 ♥ 8 6 2
 ♦ A T 8 6 4 2
 ♣ J

♠ A K Q 9 3

♥ 3

♦ K 9 7

♣ A K T 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 5 4
 ♥ K J T 5 4
 ♦ 3
 ♣ 8 7 6 2

♠ J 6

♥ A Q 9 7

♦ Q J 5

♣ Q 9 5 4

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Shape 5134 3514 2434 3361

HCP 19 4 12 5

Losers 4 9 7 9

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

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

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

Board 135
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ K 8 6
 ♥ Q 7 3 2
 ♦ 5 4 2
 ♣ J T 2

♠ J 3
 ♥ T 8
 ♦ A K Q J 8
 ♣ A Q 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 5 4
 ♥ K 9 6 5 4
 ♦ T 9 7
 ♣ 8

♠ A T 7 2
 ♥ A J
 ♦ 6 3
 ♣ K 9 7 4 3

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Shape 2254 4531 4225 3433

HCP 17 5 12 6

Losers 5 8 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors

5 ♣ by South

Board 136

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 7 3

♥ 8 5 4 3

♦ 7

♣ 7 4 3 2

♠ A K Q 8 5 4

♥ A K Q 9

♦ 9

♣ Q 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6

♥ -

♦ Q J 5 4 3 2

♣ A T 8 6 5

♠ 2

♥ J T 7 6 2

♦ A K T 8 6

♣ K J

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Shape 6412 2065 1552 4414

HCP 20 7 12 1

Losers 3 6 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1♥
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♠ ²
Pass	3NT ³	Pass	4♣ ⁴
Pass	4♦ ⁵	Pass	4NT ⁶
Pass	5♣ ⁷	Pass	5♦
Pass	5♠ ⁸	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

3. surplus

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6. Blackwood 0314, for !H

7. A=0/5 or 3/5

8. !H queen and !S king

6♥ by South

Board 137

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 9 6 4

♥ K 2

♦ T 7 6 3

♣ J 5 4

♠ J 2

♥ Q T 7 5

♦ A K Q 9 4

♣ A K



♠ K 5 3

♥ 8 6

♦ 8 5

♣ Q T 9 7 3 2

♠ A Q 8 7

♥ A J 9 4 3

♦ J 2

♣ 8 6

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Shape 2452 3226 4522 4243

HCP 19 5 12 4

Losers 4 8 7 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

5♥ by South

Board 138
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ 9 5 3 2
 ♥ A J 4
 ♦ J 7 5
 ♣ 7 4 3

♠ A 8
 ♥ 9 8 3
 ♦ A K Q T 2
 ♣ A 6 2



♠ Q J 7 6 4
 ♥ T 7 6 2
 ♦ 4
 ♣ J 9 8

♠ K T
 ♥ K Q 5
 ♦ 9 8 6 3
 ♣ K Q T 5

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Shape 2353 5413 2344 4333

HCP 17 4 13 6

Losers 6 9 6 11

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

1. Inverted minors

5♦ by South

Board 139

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 9 7 4 3
♥ A 3
♦ 7
♣ T 9 4 2

♠ 8 6 2
♥ Q 7
♦ A K Q 9 3
♣ K Q J

♠ A
♥ J T 9 8 6 5 2
♦ J 6 4
♣ 7 6

♠ K Q 5
♥ K 4
♦ T 8 5 2
♣ A 8 5 3

N
W E
S

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Shape 3253 1732 3244 6214

HCP 17 6 12 5

Losers 6 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♠	5 ♦		1 ♦
All Pass			
5 ♦ by South			

Board 140

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 7 6
♥ -
♦ A 9 2
♣ K 8 5 4 3 2

♠ A K Q T 2

♥ K Q 9 7 5

♦ Q J 5

♣ -



♠ 4 3
♥ 6 4 3
♦ T 7 3
♣ Q J 9 7 6

♠ J 5

♥ A J T 8 2

♦ K 8 6 4

♣ A T

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Shape 5530 2335 2542 4036

HCP 17 3 13 7

Losers 3 10 7 7

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

1. Exclusion, for !H

2. 1 out of 4

5 ♥ by South

Board 141

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 7
♥ 9 8 5 3
♦ T 9
♣ Q 9 8 7 4

♠ K 9

♥ A K Q T 4

♦ A K Q 4

♣ J 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 8 6 2
♥ 2
♦ J 7 5 3
♣ T 5 2

♠ A 5 4 3

♥ J 7 6

♦ 8 6 2

♣ A K 3

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Shape 2542 5143 4333 2425

HCP 22 2 12 4

Losers 3 10 9 9

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

1. Fourth suit
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
 4. King ask by 5NT
 5. K=1
- 7 ♥ by North

Board 142

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7 5 4 3

♥ K Q J 5

♦ 5 4 2

♣ T

♠ A Q 6

♥ 4

♦ A Q J 7 3

♣ K Q J 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9

♥ 7 6 3 2

♦ K T 9 8

♣ 9 7 5

♠ K J 2

♥ A T 9 8

♦ 6

♣ A 8 6 3 2

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Shape 3154 2443 3415 5431

HCP 19 3 12 6

Losers 4 10 7 8

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

6 ♣ by South

Board 143

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K T 4 3 2

♥ T 9 8 6 5

♦ 3

♣ 8 5

♠ J 8

♥ Q

♦ A K J T 7

♣ A K J 9 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 6

♥ K 3 2

♦ Q 8 2

♣ T 7 4 3

♠ A Q 5

♥ A J 7 4

♦ 9 6 5 4

♣ Q 2

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Shape 2155 3334 3442 5512

HCP 19 5 13 3

Losers 5 10 8 8

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

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

6NT by North

Board 144

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 9 8 7 2

♥ 9

♦ 8 5

♣ 7 6 5 3

♠ A T 4

♥ A K Q 7 6

♦ K Q 4 2

♣ 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 5

♥ T 8 5 2

♦ T 9 7

♣ K Q T 8 4

♠ Q 6 3

♥ J 4 3

♦ A J 6 3

♣ A J 9

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Shape 3541 1435 3343 6124

HCP 18 5 13 4

Losers 4 8 9 8

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by North

Board 145
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 3
 ♥ J T 7 6
 ♦ A 6 4
 ♣ T 9 5

♠ K T 5 4
 ♥ K Q
 ♦ K Q J 8 2
 ♣ A J



♠ A J 8 7
 ♥ A 9 2
 ♦ T 7 5
 ♣ K 8 3

♠ 6 2
 ♥ 8 5 4 3
 ♦ 9 3
 ♣ Q 7 6 4 2

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Shape 4252 2425 4333 3433

HCP 19 2 12 7

Losers 5 9 9 10

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

1. Fourth suit

4 ♠ by South

Board 146

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 8 6 2
 ♥ J T
 ♦ 8 2
 ♣ K J 9 3 2

♠ 7 5

♥ A Q 7 5

♦ A K Q J 4

♣ Q 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 9
 ♥ 8 6 3 2
 ♦ T 9
 ♣ T 7 6 4

♠ A K 4 3

♥ K 9 4

♦ 7 6 5 3

♣ A 8

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Shape 2452 3424 4342 4225

HCP 18 3 14 5

Losers 5 10 7 9

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

1. Fourth suit

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

5. King ask by available bid

6. K=0

6NT by South

Board 147

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 6 5
 ♥ T 4 2
 ♦ T 4
 ♣ 9 8 7 5 2

♠ A J 8

♥ A J

♦ K Q J 8 6

♣ Q J 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q T 9
 ♥ Q 9 8 6 5
 ♦ 5
 ♣ T 6 4

♠ 4 3 2

♥ K 7 3

♦ A 9 7 3 2

♣ A K

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Shape 3253 4513 3352 3325

HCP 19 7 14 0

Losers 6 7 7 11

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
- 6♦ by South

Board 148

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 2
 ♥ J 4
 ♦ A T 9 8 7 3
 ♣ T 7 6 4

♠ A Q J 9 8

♥ A K T 9

♦ 6 5 2

♣ A

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 7 5 4 3

♥ 7 3

♦ Q J

♣ Q 9 5 2

♠ K 6

♥ Q 8 6 5 2

♦ K 4

♣ K J 8 3

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Shape 5431 5224 2524 1264

HCP 18 5 12 5

Losers 5 9 6 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. !H queen and !S king
- 6♥ by South

Board 149

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 9 8 6 5

♥ T 9 5 3

♦ 4 3

♣ 2

♠ A

♥ A 7 6

♦ A K J T 7

♣ A 7 5 3

W N E S

♠ T 7 4 3 2

♥ J

♦ Q 9 6 5 2

♣ 9 8

♠ Q

♥ K Q 8 4 2

♦ 8

♣ K Q J T 6 4

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Shape 1354 5152 1516 6421

HCP 20 3 13 4

Losers 5 8 4 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♠

All Pass

2NT¹

4 ♠

1 ♣

Dbl

1. Lebensohl after 1m

4 ♠ X by West

Board 150

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 2
 ♥ 6 5 4
 ♦ 6 4 2
 ♣ A K 9 8

♠ A J

♥ A Q 3

♦ K Q J T 9

♣ Q 6 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6 5 3

♥ J 9 8 7 2

♦ -

♣ T 7 4 3

♠ K Q 7 4

♥ K T

♦ A 8 7 5 3

♣ J 5

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Shape 2353 4504 4252 3334

HCP 19 1 13 7

Losers 5 9 6 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 151

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 9 7 6
♥ 8 7 4
♦ 2
♣ Q 9 8 6 5

♠ K 5

♥ A Q 9 2

♦ A K J 7 4

♣ K 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 4 2

♥ J T 5

♦ T 9 6 5

♣ J T 4

♠ Q J 8 3

♥ K 6 3

♦ Q 8 3

♣ A 7 3

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Shape 2452 3343 4333 4315

HCP 20 6 12 2

Losers 4 11 8 9

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

1. Fourth suit

2. Quantitative 4NT

6NT by South

Board 152

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8
 ♥ K J 7 6 5 2
 ♦ 6
 ♣ 9 6 5 4 3

♠ A K J T 4 2

♥ A 4

♦ Q 7 5 2

♣ A

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 6 3
 ♥ 9 3
 ♦ A T 4
 ♣ J T 8 7 2

♠ Q 7 5

♥ Q T 8

♦ K J 9 8 3

♣ K Q

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Shape 6241 3235 3352 1615

HCP 18 5 13 4

Losers 4 10 7 7

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

- 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing
 - Cue bid, a !H stopper
 - Cue bid, a !C stopper
 - surplus
 - Blackwood 0314, for !S
 - A=0/5 or 3/5
 - !S queen and !C king
- 6♠ by North

Board 153

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q
 ♥ 8 6 2
 ♦ 9 6 5 3
 ♣ K Q 6 5 3

♠ A K J 5 3

♥ K Q J 4

♦ 8

♣ A T 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9 8 7 6

♥ 5

♦ Q T 7

♣ J 9 8 7

♠ 4 2

♥ A T 9 7 3

♦ A K J 4 2

♣ 2

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Shape 5413 5134 2551 1345

HCP 18 3 12 7

Losers 5 9 6 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. shortness !C
 3. Splinter
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=0/5 or 3/5
 6. !H queen and !S king
- 6♥ by South

Board 154

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 6 5
♥ A J T 9
♦ 5 4
♣ T 9 5 3

♠ A
♥ Q 5
♦ A K Q 9 2
♣ K Q J 7 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9 8 3 2
♥ 8 6 4 3 2
♦ 7 3
♣ 8

♠ K Q 7 4
♥ K 7
♦ J T 8 6
♣ A 6 4

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Shape 1255 5521 4243 3424

HCP 21 0 13 6

Losers 3 9 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 155
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ K 7 6 3 2
 ♥ 6
 ♦ J T 7 2
 ♣ 9 7 6

♠ Q 9 5
 ♥ K Q J 9 5
 ♦ A Q 9 6
 ♣ K

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 4
 ♥ 8 7
 ♦ 8 5 4
 ♣ Q T 8 5 4 3

♠ J T 8
 ♥ A T 4 3 2
 ♦ K 3
 ♣ A J 2

0961CB028DAE0096DCF00666EAED

Shape 3541 2236 3523 5143

HCP 17 6 13 4

Losers 5 8 8 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

4♥ by South

Board 156

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 4
♥ T 7 5 3
♦ 8 5
♣ T 9 7 5 3

♠ A Q
♥ Q J 8
♦ A Q J 6 3
♣ A 6 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J T 9 7 6 2
♥ 9 6
♦ 4 2
♣ K 4

♠ 5 3
♥ A K 4 2
♦ K T 9 7
♣ Q J 8

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Shape 2353 7222 2443 2425

HCP 20 7 13 0

Losers 6 7 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6♦ by South

Board 157

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 7 5

♥ 9 7 6 4

♦ 6 5 2

♣ J 6

♠ A Q 4

♥ A Q T 5

♦ A K Q T 4

♣ 7

♠ N
♥ W E
♦ S

♠ K 2

♥ 8 2

♦ 9 7

♣ Q T 9 8 4 3 2

♠ T 9 6 3

♥ K J 3

♦ J 8 3

♣ A K 5

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Shape 3451 2227 4333 4432

HCP 21 5 12 2

Losers 3 7 9 11

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

1. Fourth suit

6NT by South

Board 158

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5 4
♥ Q J 5 4
♦ J T 9 6
♣ Q 7 6

♠ A K J T 6

♥ 9

♦ A Q 5 4 3

♣ K T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 8 3
♥ K 7 6 2
♦ 7
♣ J 9 8 5 3

♠ Q 7 2

♥ A T 8 3

♦ K 8 2

♣ A 4 2

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Shape 5152 3415 3433 2443

HCP 17 4 13 6

Losers 4 9 8 9

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

1. Checkback

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

7 ♠ by North

Board 159

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 6 4 3 2

♥ T

♦ Q 9 7 3

♣ A 7 5

♠ J

♥ A K Q 9 4

♦ A J 8

♣ Q T 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 7 5

♥ J 8

♦ T 6 4

♣ 9 8 6 4

♠ A K 8

♥ 7 6 5 3 2

♦ K 5 2

♣ K J

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Shape 1534 4234 3532 5143

HCP 17 3 14 6

Losers 5 10 7 8

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

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6♥ by South

Board 160

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 7 4 3

♥ 7 4

♦ T 9 7 3

♣ 9 8 4

♠ A

♥ K T 6 5

♦ A K Q 6 2

♣ Q 7 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q J 8 6 5

♥ 8

♦ 4

♣ K J T 6 5

♠ T 2

♥ A Q J 9 3 2

♦ J 8 5

♣ A 3

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Shape 1453 6115 2632 4243

HCP 18 10 12 0

Losers 4 5 7 11

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

7♥ by South

Board 161

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 8 3

♥ 9

♦ J T 7 2

♣ K T 7 4 3

♠ A K Q J 5

♥ A 4 3 2

♦ A

♣ Q 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7 6 4 2

♥ 8 6 5

♦ 9 8 6

♣ A 8 2

♠ 9

♥ K Q J T 7

♦ K Q 5 4 3

♣ J 9

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Shape 5413 4333 1552 3145

HCP 20 4 12 4

Losers 4 11 5 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

3. surplus

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6♥ by South

Board 162

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 6 4 3

♥ J 8 7 5

♦ 2

♣ T 9 8

♠ 2

♥ K 4 3

♦ A K Q 5 3

♣ A K J 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q J 5

♥ A Q T 2

♦ T 9 6

♣ 6 3

♠ K T 7

♥ 9 6

♦ J 8 7 4

♣ Q 7 4 2

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Shape 1354 3244 4432 5413

HCP 20 6 13 1

Losers 4 9 7 10

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

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

7NT by North

Board 163

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 7 4 2
♥ 8 3
♦ 9 2
♣ T 7 5 4 2

♠ K T 8

♥ 9

♦ A K Q T 7

♣ A K 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 5

♥ A Q T 6 5 2

♦ 6 4 3

♣ J 8

♠ A Q 6 3

♥ K J 7 4

♦ J 8 5

♣ Q 9

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Shape 3154 2632 4432 4225

HCP 19 7 13 1

Losers 4 8 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 164

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7 3 2

♥ 7 6 4 3

♦ 3 2

♣ Q 8 6

♠ A T

♥ K T 8

♦ A Q J 8 5 4

♣ K 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 6 5

♥ 5 2

♦ K 6

♣ J T 9 7 3

♠ J 8 4

♥ A Q J 9

♦ T 9 7

♣ A 4 2

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Shape 2362 4225 3433 4423

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 5 8 9 9

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

1. Fourth suit

3NT by South

Board 165

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 7 3
♥ 3
♦ 7 3 2
♣ A Q 5 3 2

♠ J 5
♥ A K Q 7 4
♦ A Q 9 8
♣ J T



♠ 6 4 2
♥ 9 5
♦ J T 6 4
♣ K 9 6 4

♠ A K Q T
♥ J T 8 6 2
♦ K 5
♣ 8 7

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Shape 2542 3244 4522 4135

HCP 17 4 13 6

Losers 5 10 6 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

4♥ by South

Board 166

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6
♥ 8 7 6 2
♦ T 8
♣ Q 9 7 6 2

♠ Q 8 3
♥ A Q 3
♦ A K Q J 6
♣ 8 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 5 4
♥ 9 5 4
♦ 7 4
♣ A K 5 3

♠ A K 9 2
♥ K J T
♦ 9 5 3 2
♣ J T

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Shape 3352 4324 4342 2425

HCP 18 8 12 2

Losers 5 9 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. surplus
- 6♦ by South

Board 167

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6 5 3

♥ 3

♦ T 9 7 6

♣ 7 3

♠ T 8 2

♥ A K Q 9 6

♦ K J

♣ A 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 4

♥ 7 4

♦ Q 8 4 2

♣ K T 8 6

♠ A

♥ J T 8 5 2

♦ A 5 3

♣ Q J 9 2

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Shape 3523 3244 1534 6142

HCP 17 9 12 2

Losers 6 8 7 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by South

Board 168

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 7 6 2

♥ 6 5

♦ T 7

♣ K Q 9 7 4

♠ A

♥ A 9 3

♦ A K J 9 4 2

♣ J T 2



♠ J 5 4 3

♥ Q T 8 4 2

♦ 6

♣ 8 5 3

♠ K T 9 8

♥ K J 7

♦ Q 8 5 3

♣ A 6

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Shape 1363 4513 4342 4225

HCP 17 3 13 7

Losers 6 9 7 7

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. !D queen and !S king
- 6♦ by South

Board 169

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A K J 9 4

♥ 7

♦ A 9

♣ A K 8 7 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 3 2

♥ J 4 2

♦ J 4 2

♣ J 6 5 3 2

♠ Q 8 7 5

♥ A K Q 5

♦ T 6

♣ Q T 9

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Shape 5125 2335 4423 2560

HCP 19 3 13 5

Losers 4 11 6 6

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

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in !S
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
 5. !S queen and !H king
- 7 ♠ by North

Board 170

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 7 5 2
♥ J 9
♦ 4
♣ Q J 9 8 3 2

♠ K J 9 8

♥ K Q

♦ A Q J 8 7

♣ A 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 4 3
♥ T 8 7 5 3 2
♦ 6 5 2
♣ T

♠ Q 6

♥ A 6 4

♦ K T 9 3

♣ K 6 5 4

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Shape 4252 3631 2344 4216

HCP 20 4 12 4

Losers 5 9 8 8

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

1. Checkback

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6♦ by South

Board 171

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 6
♥ T 4
♦ T 8 6 5
♣ J T 6 4 2

♠ K 3 2

♥ A 7 5 3

♦ A K Q J 3 2

♣ -

W N E S

♠ J 9 8 4

♥ K J

♦ 9 7

♣ A 9 8 7 5

♠ A Q 7 5

♥ Q 9 8 6 2

♦ 4

♣ K Q 3

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Shape 3460 4225 4513 2245

HCP 17 9 13 1

Losers 4 8 5 10

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

1. Exclusion, for !H

2. 1 out of 4

3. !H queen and !C king

6 ♥ by South

Board 172

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 6 5 2
♥ A Q T 8 7 5
♦ T
♣ 8 6

♠ A J T
♥ 3
♦ A Q J 7 3
♣ A Q 9 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 4
♥ J 9 6 4
♦ 8 4
♣ T 7 5 3

♠ K 8 3
♥ K 2
♦ K 9 6 5 2
♣ K J 2

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Shape 3154 3424 3253 4612

HCP 18 3 13 6

Losers 5 10 7 7

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

6♦ by South

Board 173
South Deals
Both Vul

♠ 9 8 5 3
♥ J 4
♦ T 9 5 3
♣ 7 5 2

♠ K J T

♥ A 3

♦ K Q J 6 2

♣ Q J 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 7 2

♥ Q T 7 6 2

♦ 8

♣ K T 8 4

♠ Q 6 4

♥ K 9 8 5

♦ A 7 4

♣ A 9 6

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Shape 3253 3514 3433 4243

HCP 17 9 13 1

Losers 6 7 8 11

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

Board 174

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 7
 ♥ A 3 2
 ♦ 8 6
 ♣ Q J 6 5 4 2

♠ A

♥ Q T 8 7

♦ A K J T 4

♣ A 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 6 5 4

♥ K J 9 6

♦ Q 9 7

♣ K 8

♠ Q J T 8 3 2

♥ 5 4

♦ 5 3 2

♣ T 9

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Shape 1453 6232 4432 2326

HCP 18 3 12 7

Losers 5 9 7 8

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

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6♥ by North

Board 175

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 7 3
♥ Q T 7 6 5
♦ J T 4
♣ 9 2

♠ J 8

♥ A J

♦ A K Q 8 7

♣ A Q T 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9 5 4 2

♥ 9 4

♦ 3 2

♣ 7 5 4 3

♠ A Q 6

♥ K 8 3 2

♦ 9 6 5

♣ K J 8

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Shape 2254 5224 3433 3532

HCP 21 0 13 6

Losers 4 10 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

6NT by North

Board 176

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8 4 2

♥ 9 7 5 4

♦ 5 3

♣ 6 5 3

♠ 6 3

♥ A Q

♦ K Q J T 8

♣ K Q 4 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 5

♥ T 8 3

♦ A 7 6 4 2

♣ T 8

♠ K Q 9 7

♥ K J 6 2

♦ 9

♣ A J 9 7

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Shape 2254 3352 4414 4423

HCP 17 5 14 4

Losers 5 10 6 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. shortness
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♣ by South

Board 177

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 4 3 2
♥ A K 6 5 3
♦ 6 4
♣ 9

♠ Q 8
♥ Q 2
♦ A K Q 7 2
♣ K Q 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K
♥ T 9 7
♦ J 9 3
♣ A J T 3 2

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Shape 2254 4333 2335 5521

HCP 18 2 13 7

Losers 5 12 8 7

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by North

Board 178

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8 6 2
 ♥ J 8 7
 ♦ 2
 ♣ 8 7 6 5 2

♠ A J T

♥ 3

♦ A K Q T 7

♣ A 9 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 5 4 3

♥ K 6 5 4 2

♦ J 6 5 3

♣ J

♠ K 9 7

♥ A Q T 9

♦ 9 8 4

♣ K Q T

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Shape 3154 3541 3433 4315

HCP 18 5 14 3

Losers 5 9 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1
 4. King ask by 5NT
 5. K=1
- 7 ♣ by South

Board 179

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 9 7 6

♥ 3

♦ 5 2

♣ J 9 7 5 4

♠ A K J 4 2

♥ A 5 4 2

♦ A K

♣ T 2



♠ 3

♥ Q 9 7

♦ T 9 7 4 3

♣ Q 8 6 3

♠ 8 5

♥ K J T 8 6

♦ Q J 8 6

♣ A K

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Shape 5422 1354 2542 5125

HCP 19 4 14 3

Losers 5 8 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

2NT¹

Pass

3NT

Pass

6 ♥

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

6 ♥ by South

Board 180

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 7 5 4

♥ T 2

♦ Q T 4 2

♣ 8 2

♠ -

♥ A 5

♦ A K J 8 7 3

♣ K Q 7 4 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 3 2

♥ 8 7 6 4 3

♦ 9

♣ A 9 5

♠ A K T 6

♥ K Q J 9

♦ 6 5

♣ J T 6

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Shape 0265 4513 4423 5242

HCP 17 6 14 3

Losers 3 8 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Exclusion, for !C

3. 0 out of 4

6 ♣ by South

Board 181

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 3
♥ Q 9 8 7 5 3
♦ 9 7
♣ J T 8

♠ A J 5 4

♥ 6

♦ A K Q J 8

♣ K 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 2
♥ K J T
♦ 5 3 2
♣ Q 7 5 3

♠ K Q 8 6

♥ A 4 2

♦ T 6 4

♣ A 9 2

392193B210D87DB07E8B362BF665

Shape 4153 3334 4333 2623

HCP 18 6 13 3

Losers 5 10 8 9

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

4. King ask by available bid

5. K=0

6 ♠ by South

Board 182

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9
♥ A T 9 7 4
♦ J 8 6
♣ Q 4 2

♠ K Q J 7 2

♥ K

♦ K Q 9 5

♣ K 8 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 5 3

♥ Q J 3 2

♦ T 7 2

♣ A J 7

♠ 8 6 4

♥ 8 6 5

♦ A 4 3

♣ T 9 5 3

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Shape 5143 3334 3433 2533

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 5 11 9 9

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

1. Checkback

4 ♠ by North

Board 183

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 4 3 2

♥ 7 5 4

♦ 9 7

♣ K J 5 3

♠ A K Q 9 6

♥ A Q T 3

♦ A T 2

♣ T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 7

♥ 9

♦ K J 6 4

♣ 9 8 7 6 4 2

♠ T 5

♥ K J 8 6 2

♦ Q 8 5 3

♣ A Q

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Shape 5431 2146 2542 4324

HCP 19 5 12 4

Losers 4 8 7 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

7♥ by South

Board 184

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 7
♥ 5
♦ T 9 5
♣ Q T 9 8 5 3

♠ K Q T
♥ J 9 7
♦ A Q J 4 3
♣ A 7



♠ 6 4 3 2
♥ Q T 8 6 3
♦ 8 7
♣ 6 4

♠ 9 8 5
♥ A K 4 2
♦ K 6 2
♣ K J 2

39E32910C11C8C94C75ABC625069

Shape 3352 4522 3433 3136

HCP 17 2 14 7

Losers 6 9 8 8

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

1. Fourth suit

3NT by South

Board 185

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 6 5
 ♥ J 8 4
 ♦ 5 2
 ♣ J 9 8 4 2

♠ Q
 ♥ Q 7 6 3
 ♦ A K J T 8 4
 ♣ K Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 8 7 3 2
 ♥ 2
 ♦ 3
 ♣ A 7 6 5 3

♠ A J 4
 ♥ A K T 9 5
 ♦ Q 9 7 6
 ♣ T

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Shape 1462 6115 3541 3325

HCP 17 7 14 2

Losers 5 6 6 11

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

1. Splinter
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. surplus
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=1/5 or 4/5
 6. !H queen and !C king
- 6♥ by South

Board 186

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K T 9 6 4 3

♥ J T 9 5

♦ T 4

♣ 4

♠ -

♥ A K Q 8 7

♦ A Q 6

♣ K J 6 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 8 7 5

♥ 2

♦ 9 8 7 5 3 2

♣ Q 8

♠ A Q 2

♥ 6 4 3

♦ K J

♣ A T 9 7 5

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Shape 0535 4162 3325 6421

HCP 19 3 14 4

Losers 3 9 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♠

All Pass

5 ♥ by North

3 ♥

4 ♠

1 ♣

5 ♥

Board 187

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J
♥ A 9 7 6 4
♦ T 9 4 2
♣ 9 7 2

♠ A T 4

♥ -

♦ A K J 8 6

♣ K Q 8 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 8 7 2

♥ T 8 5 2

♦ Q 7 3

♣ 5

♠ Q 6 5 3

♥ K Q J 3

♦ 5

♣ A J T 4

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Shape 3055 5431 4414 1543

HCP 17 5 13 5

Losers 4 8 6 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Splinter
 3. Exclusion, for !C
 4. 1 out of 4
- 7♣ by South

Board 188

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9
♥ 8 4
♦ T 9 6 4 3 2
♣ T 8 7 6

♠ K 7

♥ A J 9 2

♦ A K J 8 7

♣ Q J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 6 5 4 3 2

♥ 3

♦ Q 5

♣ A 9 4 3

♠ A Q T 8

♥ K Q T 7 6 5

♦ -

♣ K 5 2

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Shape 2452 6124 4603 1264

HCP 19 7 14 0

Losers 6 8 4 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !D

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 1 out of 4

6♥ by South

Board 189

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 8 6 5

♥ J 9

♦ 9 5 4

♣ J 8 5

♠ 7 3

♥ K 8

♦ A K J T 6

♣ A Q T 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 2

♥ Q T 7 5 4 3

♦ 8 3

♣ 9 7

♠ A T 4

♥ A 6 2

♦ Q 7 2

♣ K 6 4 3

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Shape 2254 3622 3334 5233

HCP 17 5 13 5

Losers 5 8 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. King ask by 5NT
 5. K=0
- 7 ♣ by South

Board 190

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A T 9 8 7 6

♥ J 8 7 6 2

♦ -

♣ 8 5

♠ K J

♥ Q 3

♦ A Q J T 9 2

♣ A K 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 4 3 2

♥ 9 5 4

♦ 8 3

♣ Q J T 9 6

♠ Q 5

♥ A K T

♦ K 7 6 5 4

♣ 7 3 2

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Shape 2263 3325 2353 6502

HCP 20 3 12 5

Losers 5 10 8 7

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !D
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

6♦ by South

Board 191

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 9 6 4 3

♥ J 9 7 5

♦ 8 5

♣ 6

♠ Q

♥ A T 2

♦ A Q J T 6 2

♣ A T 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A T 8 5 2

♥ 8 6

♦ 3

♣ J 9 8 7 2

♠ 7

♥ K Q 4 3

♦ K 9 7 4

♣ K Q 5 4

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Shape 1363 5215 1444 6421

HCP 17 5 13 5

Losers 6 8 5 8

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. shortness
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 192

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 8 7 6

♥ Q T 5

♦ 7 3

♣ T 8 4

♠ A 3

♥ A J

♦ A Q J T 5

♣ Q 7 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 2

♥ 8 6 4 3 2

♦ 9 8 6 2

♣ A 2

♠ K J 5 4

♥ K 9 7

♦ K 4

♣ K J 9 3

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Shape 2254 2542 4324 5323

HCP 18 6 14 2

Losers 5 9 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6NT by North

Board 193
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ T 9 2
 ♥ A 9 7 4
 ♦ 9 8 6 4
 ♣ 7 5

♠ Q 5 3
 ♥ Q
 ♦ A K Q 7 5
 ♣ A T 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 8 7 6
 ♥ K 6 5
 ♦ J T 3
 ♣ K Q 2

♠ A J 4
 ♥ J T 8 3 2
 ♦ 2
 ♣ J 9 8 4

587BA90952D3F696B8A7287613DD

Shape 3154 3514 4333 3442

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 5 9 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 194

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K T 8 6 4

♥ 4

♦ 5 4

♣ 8 7 6 4

♠ J

♥ A K J 7 6

♦ A Q T 7 6 2

♣ Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 3 2

♥ 5 3

♦ J 8

♣ K T 5 3 2

♠ Q 5

♥ Q T 9 8 2

♦ K 9 3

♣ A J 9

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Shape 1561 4225 2533 6124

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 4 9 8 7

West

EPBot

2 ♠

Pass

Pass

All Pass

North

*EPBot*3 ♠¹4NT²

6 ♥

East

EPBot

4 ♠

Pass

South

EPBot

1 ♥

Dbl

5 ♦³

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Board 195

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 6 5 2
 ♥ T 9
 ♦ 6 3
 ♣ T 7 6 3 2

♠ A K Q 9 7 3

♥ K 7 5 4

♦ K 8

♣ A

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 8
 ♥ J 2
 ♦ A 9 5 4 2
 ♣ Q J 9 5

♠ 4

♥ A Q 8 6 3

♦ Q J T 7

♣ K 8 4

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Shape 6421 2254 1543 4225

HCP 19 8 12 1

Losers 3 8 6 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. shortness !S
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. !H queen and !C king
- 6 ♥ by South

Board 196

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 6
♥ T 9
♦ 8 7 4 3 2
♣ Q 8 7 4

♠ A Q J 9 4 2

♥ K Q J 2

♦ T 6

♣ A

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 5 3
♥ 8 6
♦ K Q J 9 5
♣ K 9 6 2

♠ K T 8

♥ A 7 5 4 3

♦ A

♣ J T 5 3

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Shape 6421 2254 3514 2254

HCP 17 9 12 2

Losers 4 7 7 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 6♥ by South

Board 197

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 7 6 4

♥ J 7 6 5 2

♦ 8 7

♣ 2

♠ K 8 3

♥ A T

♦ A K Q T 9 4

♣ K 8



♠ Q J 2

♥ 9 8 3

♦ J

♣ A 9 7 6 4 3

♠ A 5

♥ K Q 4

♦ 6 5 3 2

♣ Q J T 5

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Shape 3262 3316 2344 5521

HCP 19 8 12 1

Losers 4 8 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 198

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J T 7 5 2

♥ T 9 5 2

♦ -

♣ 8 6 5

♠ 3

♥ A 7 4

♦ A K J 6 5

♣ A K T 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 6 4

♥ Q 8

♦ Q 8 7 4 2

♣ 7 3 2

♠ A K 9

♥ K J 6 3

♦ T 9 3

♣ Q J 4

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Shape 1354 3253 3433 6403

HCP 19 4 14 3

Losers 5 10 8 8

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
3. A=1/5 or 4/5
4. !C queen and !S king
5. King ask by 5NT
6. K=2
- 7 ♣ by South

Board 199

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 5 4 3
♥ Q J T 9 6 3
♦ K 8
♣ J

♠ Q 2
♥ A K
♦ A Q J 7 5
♣ K 8 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K J T
♥ 5 2
♦ T 9 6 2
♣ A 9 2

♠ 9 8 6
♥ 8 7 4
♦ 4 3
♣ Q T 7 4 3

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Shape 2254 3325 4243 4621

HCP 19 2 12 7

Losers 5 10 8 7

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6♦ by South

Board 200
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ 9 7 2
 ♥ A 7 3
 ♦ J 6 2
 ♣ J 6 4 3

♠ K T 8 4
 ♥ J
 ♦ A K Q 7 3
 ♣ A 9 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 5 3
 ♥ K T 4 2
 ♦ 9 8 4
 ♣ K Q T

♠ Q J 6
 ♥ Q 9 8 6 5
 ♦ T 5
 ♣ 8 7 5

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Shape 4153 3523 3433 3334

HCP 17 5 12 6

Losers 5 9 8 11

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

1. Fourth suit

3NT by South

Board 201

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 5
 ♥ J 6 4 3
 ♦ J T 3 2
 ♣ 6 2

♠ K T 6

♥ A

♦ A K Q 5 4

♣ J T 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 2

♥ T 9 8 7 5

♦ 7 6

♣ K 9 5

♠ Q 8 4 3

♥ K Q 2

♦ 9 8

♣ A Q 8 4

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Shape 3154 3523 4324 3442

HCP 17 3 13 7

Losers 5 10 6 10

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

Board 202

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 7 5
♥ J T 6 5 3 2
♦ -
♣ J 5 3

♠ 8
♥ A K Q 9 8 4
♦ A Q 7 5
♣ K 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 6 4
♥ -
♦ K T 8 4 2
♣ A Q 4 2

♠ Q T 3 2
♥ 7
♦ J 9 6 3
♣ T 8 7 6

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Shape 1642 4144 4054 4603

HCP 18 3 13 6

Losers 3 9 5 8

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

Board 203

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 9 5

♥ 4 3

♦ 7 5 2

♣ T 8 7 2

♠ 3

♥ A Q 2

♦ A K Q 6 4

♣ K Q 9 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 6 4 2

♥ K 9 8 7 6

♦ 9 8 3

♣ 3

♠ A K 8 7

♥ J T 5

♦ J T

♣ A J 6 4

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Shape 1354 4531 4324 4234

HCP 20 5 14 1

Losers 3 8 8 11

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0
 4. King ask by 5NT
 5. K=1
- 7 ♣ by South

Board 204

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 6 5
♥ Q 9 8 7 5
♦ 3
♣ J 9 3

♠ A 7 4 3
♥ A
♦ A K Q J 7
♣ T 5 2



♠ K J T
♥ J T 6 2
♦ 9 6 5
♣ A K 8

♠ 8 2
♥ K 4 3
♦ T 8 4 2
♣ Q 7 6 4

5A0D9DFEACABF4793EE6F71A106B

Shape 4153 2344 3433 4513

HCP 18 5 12 5

Losers 5 9 9 8

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

1. Fourth suit

6NT by South

Board 205
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ Q T 9 6 3 2
 ♥ Q T 8 6
 ♦ 7
 ♣ J 7

♠ A 4
 ♥ A J 3
 ♦ K Q J 8 5 3
 ♣ A 6



♠ K J 8
 ♥ K 4
 ♦ T 9 6 2
 ♣ K Q T 2

♠ 7 5
 ♥ 9 7 5 2
 ♦ A 4
 ♣ 9 8 5 4 3

5907A1F180F9DAB25CFB5226C2D9

Shape 2362 2425 3244 6412

HCP 19 4 12 5

Losers 5 9 7 7

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

1. Inverted minors

6♦ by South

Board 206

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ -
♥ K 8 5 2
♦ J 7 6 2
♣ Q 9 8 7 6

♠ A K Q T 2

♥ A J 7 4

♦ 9

♣ K 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 8 5 3

♥ -

♦ K T 8 5 4 3

♣ J T 3

♠ 9 7 6 4

♥ Q T 9 6 3

♦ A Q

♣ A 4

6B0D332C4A22A47088A87381623B

Shape 5413 4063 4522 0445

HCP 17 5 12 6

Losers 5 8 7 7

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by South

Board 207

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5 4 2

♥ J 8

♦ 5

♣ J T 8 5 4 3

♠ A 9 8 3

♥ A 2

♦ A K J T 8

♣ Q 9



♠ T 7 6

♥ K Q 9 7 6 4

♦ Q 2

♣ 7 6

♠ K Q

♥ T 5 3

♦ 9 7 6 4 3

♣ A K 2

6A0D9D9BFC6C173C5656E0D424C9

Shape 4252 3622 2353 4216

HCP 18 7 12 3

Losers 6 8 8 9

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

1. Checkback

3NT by South

Board 208

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6
 ♥ J 8 4 3
 ♦ T 6
 ♣ K T 5 4 2

♠ A Q J T 9

♥ K 9 7 6

♦ A 8

♣ A 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 7 5 3 2

♥ -

♦ Q J 9 7 5 3

♣ 8 6

♠ 4

♥ A Q T 5 2

♦ K 4 2

♣ Q J 7 3

6B274C21312803F641CA60BC716C

Shape 5422 5062 1534 2425

HCP 18 6 12 4

Losers 5 6 6 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. shortness !S
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. !H queen and !D king
- 6 ♥ by South

Board 209

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6
♥ J 5
♦ K 7 3 2
♣ Q J T 8 4 2

♠ A Q J 7 5 3 2

♥ A K Q 8

♦ J 6

♣ -



♠ T 9 8 4
♥ 7 3
♦ Q T 8
♣ 9 6 5 3

♠ K

♥ T 9 6 4 2

♦ A 9 5 4

♣ A K 7

69098D0430646A441DE23A681E2C

Shape 7420 4234 1543 1246

HCP 17 2 14 7

Losers 3 10 7 7

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

1. Exclusion, for !H

2. 1 out of 4

6♥ by South

Board 210

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6 5 4

♥ J 8 6 5

♦ 8 7 4 3

♣ 7

♠ K Q 3 2

♥ A K Q T 3

♦ -

♣ A J T 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 7

♥ 9 2

♦ A Q J T 6 5 2

♣ 5 2

♠ A J 9

♥ 7 4

♦ K 9

♣ K Q 9 8 6 4

6B830D01B3439DF968F1F2E90B12

Shape 4504 2272 3226 4441

HCP 19 7 13 1

Losers 3 7 6 10

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

1. limit raise or better in !C

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

6 ♣ by South

Board 211

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K T 4 2

♥ K T 6

♦ 6 4

♣ 9 6 4 2

♠ J 5 3

♥ A

♦ A Q J 9 8 3

♣ A K T



♠ Q 9 8 7

♥ J 7 5 4 3 2

♦ 5

♣ 8 3

♠ A 6

♥ Q 9 8

♦ K T 7 2

♣ Q J 7 5

6A8FF76D1DF76C6E55B019D01ED4

Shape 3163 4612 2344 4324

HCP 19 3 12 6

Losers 5 8 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 6♦ by South

Board 212

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 3 2
♥ 7 4
♦ 8
♣ Q 8 7 4 3 2

♠ K Q 7
♥ K Q 6 2
♦ A K Q J 9
♣ A

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 5 4
♥ T 9 5
♦ T 4 3
♣ J T 9 5

♠ A T 6
♥ A J 8 3
♦ 7 6 5 2
♣ K 6

6AAF0D0CEE9ADE6034855678E8C4

Shape 3451 3334 3442 4216

HCP 24 1 12 3

Losers 2 12 8 8

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

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=1

7♥ by North

Board 213

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6 4 3
 ♥ Q J 9 8 5 2
 ♦ 9 5
 ♣ 2

♠ A

♥ K 4

♦ A K Q T 4 3 2

♣ A T 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q T 9 2

♥ 7 3

♦ 6

♣ Q J 8 6 4 3

♠ K J 8 5

♥ A T 6

♦ J 8 7

♣ K 7 5

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Shape 1273 4216 4333 4621

HCP 20 5 12 3

Losers 3 7 9 8

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

1. Lebensohl after 1m
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0
- 7 ♣X by South

Board 214

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 8 6 3

♥ A Q

♦ 6 4 2

♣ 8 4 2

♠ 5 4 2

♥ 3

♦ A K J T 7

♣ A K Q 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7

♥ K J T 9 8 7 4 2

♦ 3

♣ T 6 3

♠ A K Q 9

♥ 6 5

♦ Q 9 8 5

♣ J 7 5

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Shape 3154 1813 4243 5233

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 5 7 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors

2. limit raise or better in !D

6 ♦ by South

Board 215

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 8 6 5 4
♥ A J T 6 5 3
♦ 9
♣ 9

♠ A K J 9 2

♥ 9

♦ Q J 8 4

♣ A Q 8

W N E S

♠ 7 3

♥ 8 2

♦ K 3 2

♣ J T 7 6 5 2

♠ T

♥ K Q 7 4

♦ A T 7 6 5

♣ K 4 3

7B3F21E736BE08D76EFEFEE57112

Shape 5143 2236 1453 5611

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 5 9 6 6

West

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

3NT by South

North

EPBot

1 ♠

3NT

East

EPBot

Pass

South

EPBot

1 ♦

1NT

Board 216

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K T 8 4

♥ T 8 6

♦ A 7 5

♣ 9 8 6

♠ Q 9 3

♥ K J 7

♦ K Q J 8 4

♣ A J



♠ A 7 2

♥ 9 5 3 2

♦ -

♣ T 7 5 4 3 2

♠ J 6 5

♥ A Q 4

♦ T 9 6 3 2

♣ K Q

7867C9298BF210F846B096EA1252

Shape 3352 3406 3352 4333

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 6 8 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by North

Board 217

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 8 7 5

♥ 8 7 3

♦ J T 6

♣ Q J 9

♠ A J

♥ K Q 6

♦ A K Q 3 2

♣ 8 5 4



♠ 9 4 2

♥ T 5 4

♦ 9 8

♣ A T 7 6 3

♠ K Q 6 3

♥ A J 9 2

♦ 7 5 4

♣ K 2

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Shape 2353 3325 4432 4333

HCP 19 4 13 4

Losers 5 10 7 11

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

1. Inverted minors

6 ♦ by South

Board 218

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 5
 ♥ J 7 5 2
 ♦ 6 5
 ♣ Q T 7 5 3

♠ A J 7 2

♥ 6

♦ A K J 8 7

♣ A J 8



♠ 9 8 3

♥ A T 9 8 3

♦ 9 4 2

♣ K 4

♠ K Q T 4

♥ K Q 4

♦ Q T 3

♣ 9 6 2

7A1FAEA43F94595F3CC1F0AA5439

Shape 4153 3532 4333 2425

HCP 18 7 12 3

Losers 6 9 7 9

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. !S queen and !H king

6 ♠ by South

Board 219

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 5 4
♥ Q J 8 5
♦ 6 4
♣ T 5 4

♠ 8 7 2

♥ A

♦ K Q J 9 8

♣ A K 7 6

W N E S

♠ A Q 6 3

♥ 7 3 2

♦ A 7 3

♣ Q 8 3

♠ K T

♥ K T 9 6 4

♦ T 5 2

♣ J 9 2

798B53B1F254D2312B9FF4DCA926

Shape 3154 2533 4333 4423

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 5 9 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 220

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 4 3
♥ 2
♦ T 5 3
♣ J 9 7 6 4 3

♠ Q 2

♥ K 8 6 4

♦ K Q J 9 2

♣ A K

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 9 8 7

♥ A 9 7 3

♦ 8 7

♣ Q 2

♠ A J 5

♥ Q J T 5

♦ A 6 4

♣ T 8 5

88934B2AA865584D5CC0A5C0D43A

Shape 2452 5422 3433 3136

HCP 18 9 12 1

Losers 5 8 9 10

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

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4 ♥ by South

Board 221

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 6 5 2

♥ A 7 2

♦ 5

♣ T 6 5 3

♠ K 3

♥ 3

♦ A K Q J T 9 8

♣ K J 7



♠ Q 8 4

♥ Q T 9 6 4

♦ 7 3

♣ Q 9 8

♠ A J 7

♥ K J 8 5

♦ 6 4 2

♣ A 4 2

8ABD2F5EAFDCDE6EBBD4E05508F5

Shape 2173 3523 3433 5314

HCP 17 6 13 4

Losers 4 8 9 9

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

1. Fourth suit

3NT by South

Board 222

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 8 5 4 2

♥ J T 8 6 3

♦ 9 8

♣ -

♠ A T

♥ A

♦ K Q J T 7

♣ Q J 9 5 2

	N	
W	Q	E
	S	

♠ 7

♥ K Q 9 2

♦ 6 4 2

♣ T 8 6 4 3

♠ J 9 6 3

♥ 7 5 4

♦ A 5 3

♣ A K 7

8909D1D3B3329FFE61B6EBE6BAD7

Shape 2155 1435 4333 6520

HCP 17 5 12 6

Losers 4 8 9 6

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

5 ♣ by South

Board 223

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 6
♥ 9 7 6 5 4
♦ 8 5
♣ Q 9 4 3

♠ A 9 5 3

♥ J T

♦ A K Q 6 2

♣ K 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 8 4 2
♥ K 8 3 2
♦ T
♣ J 7 6 2

♠ Q J 7

♥ A Q

♦ J 9 7 4 3

♣ A T 8

8B25D7A48E413C59BEF63B7C1C56

Shape 4252 4414 3253 2524

HCP 17 4 14 5

Losers 5 9 8 8

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

1. Checkback

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6♦ by South

Board 224

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 5 3 2
 ♥ T 4
 ♦ 3
 ♣ Q 9 8 7 4 2

♠ 9 7

♥ A J 7 5

♦ A K Q J 9

♣ K T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q J T 4
 ♥ 9 3
 ♦ T 6 5 4 2
 ♣ 5

♠ A 8

♥ K Q 8 6 2

♦ 8 7

♣ A J 6 3

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Shape 2452 5251 2524 4216

HCP 18 6 14 2

Losers 5 7 6 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

7♥ by South

Board 225

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 7 5
 ♥ T
 ♦ Q 9 6 3 2
 ♣ Q T 3 2

♠ A Q T 3
 ♥ A K J 4 3
 ♦ A T
 ♣ 7 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 6 4 2
 ♥ 5 2
 ♦ J 4
 ♣ K J 9 6 4

♠ K 9
 ♥ Q 9 8 7 6
 ♦ K 8 7 5
 ♣ A 8

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Shape 4522 4225 2542 3154

HCP 18 5 12 5

Losers 5 9 6 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6♥ by South

Board 226

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 7 4
 ♥ 7 4
 ♦ 8 7 6 4 3
 ♣ T 8 2

♠ A K Q J 3

♥ K J 9 6

♦ J 2

♣ K 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 6 5 2
 ♥ T 8
 ♦ K Q T 9
 ♣ A J 7

♠ T

♥ A Q 5 3 2

♦ A 5

♣ Q 6 5 4 3

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Shape 5422 4243 1525 3253

HCP 18 10 12 0

Losers 5 8 5 11

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

3. surplus

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by South

Board 227

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 3 2
♥ K 2
♦ 6 2
♣ J 8 7 4 3 2

♠ T 8

♥ A J 6

♦ K Q J 9 3

♣ A Q 6

W N E
S

♠ K 6 5 4

♥ Q 7 4

♦ A T 8

♣ K 9 5

♠ A Q J 7
♥ T 9 8 5 3
♦ 7 5 4
♣ T

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Shape 2353 4531 4333 3226

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 6 8 8 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♣

Pass

1 ♦

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

3NT

All Pass

3NT by North

Board 228
 South Deals
 None Vul

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

♠ A Q 7
 ♥ 7 5
 ♦ A K J T 2
 ♣ K 9 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 9 6 3 2
 ♥ Q J 6 3
 ♦ 3
 ♣ T 7

♠ K 8 5 4
 ♥ K T 9
 ♦ Q 9 5
 ♣ A 8 6

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Shape 3253 6412 4333 0445

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 6 8 8 7

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

			1 ♣
Pass	1 ♦	2 ♠	Pass

Pass	3NT		
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All Pass

3NT by North

Board 229

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 7 4 3

♥ 9 7

♦ J 7 5

♣ 7 6 4

♠ 8 2

♥ 8 5

♦ A K Q 8 6

♣ A K J 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9 6

♥ Q T 6 4 2

♦ 9 4 3

♣ 9 8

♠ K J 5

♥ A K J 3

♦ T 2

♣ Q T 3 2

8AEFAFDDA3557A0EF05C83D8E915

Shape 2254 3532 3424 5233

HCP 17 2 14 7

Losers 5 10 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

Board 230

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K T 6 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 7 5

♣ Q T 8

♠ A 3 2

♥ 4

♦ A Q J T 2

♣ A K 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 8

♥ A K 5

♦ K 8 6

♣ J 9 7 4

♠ 9 7 5

♥ J T 9 7 3

♦ 9 4 3

♣ 6 3

882BE3B899D85DB055F267CD1E3B

Shape 3154 3532 3334 4423

HCP 18 1 14 7

Losers 5 11 8 8

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !C queen

5. King ask by available bid

6. K=2

7 ♣ by South

Board 231

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 6 5
♥ 6 5 4 3 2
♦ J
♣ 9 7 3

♠ Q J 8

♥ A Q 9

♦ A K Q 6 4

♣ K 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7 4 3 2

♥ 8 7

♦ T 8

♣ Q J T 8 4

♠ A T

♥ K J T

♦ 9 7 5 3 2

♣ A 6 2

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Shape 3352 4225 2353 4513

HCP 21 3 12 4

Losers 4 9 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6♦ by South

Board 232

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J T 7 6

♥ T 7 6

♦ K 8 5

♣ J 9

♠ A K 3

♥ A K J 8 4

♦ Q T 9 4 3

♣ -

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 8 4 2

♥ -

♦ J 7 2

♣ Q T 8 5 3 2

♠ 5

♥ Q 9 5 3 2

♦ A 6

♣ A K 7 6 4

980105EACCFA6846FDF1A6492A6E

Shape 3550 4036 1525 5332

HCP 17 3 13 7

Losers 4 8 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

5♣¹

Pass

1♥

Pass

6♥

All Pass

5♥²

1. Exclusion, for !H

2. 1 out of 4

6♥ by South

Board 233

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7 6 2
♥ Q J 9 8 5 3
♦ T
♣ 5 2

♠ K Q J T 4

♥ -

♦ A Q J 8

♣ A T 8 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 5

♥ A T 6 2

♦ 7 6 4 2

♣ Q J 9 3

♠ A 8 3

♥ K 7 4

♦ K 9 5 3

♣ K 6 4

9A9F253E3E13F6BFEBD97429B6D8

Shape 5044 1444 3343 4612

HCP 17 7 13 3

Losers 4 8 8 8

West

EPBot

2♥

All Pass

North

EPBot

3♥¹

East

EPBot

4♥

South

EPBot

1♦

1. Lebensohl after 1m

4♥ by West

Board 234

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 6
 ♥ 6 2
 ♦ 9 8 7 5 4 3
 ♣ T 7

♠ A K Q 7 4 2

♥ K Q 8 3

♦ K 6

♣ Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 5 3

♥ 5 4

♦ A T 2

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ T

♥ A J T 9 7

♦ Q J

♣ A J 9 4 2

9B21060FEDA0E94A28F65A194A31

Shape 6421 3235 1525 3262

HCP 19 7 13 1

Losers 3 9 7 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by South

Board 235

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 8 5 3 2

♥ 3

♦ 8 6 4 2

♣ A Q

♠ A

♥ K 9 6

♦ A K J 7 5

♣ K 5 4 2



♠ T 4

♥ J T 7 5 4 2

♦ 3

♣ J 9 6 3

♠ K Q 7 6

♥ A Q 8

♦ Q T 9

♣ T 8 7

9A2C8FA4DE55C6E19D82DF53FAD3

Shape 1354 2614 4333 6142

HCP 18 2 13 7

Losers 5 9 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

2NT¹

3NT

Pass

1 ♣

3 ♣

1. Lebensohl after 1m

3NT by North

Board 236

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 8
♥ J 7 4 2
♦ 4 3
♣ Q T 9 5 4

♠ 9 6 2
♥ A K 8
♦ A Q J T 8
♣ K 8



♠ J T 5 4
♥ T 9 6
♦ 7 6 2
♣ A 7 3

♠ A K 7 3
♥ Q 5 3
♦ K 9 5
♣ J 6 2

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Shape 3352 4333 4333 2425

HCP 17 5 13 5

Losers 6 11 8 9

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

1. Fourth suit

3NT by South

Board 237

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 7 5 3
♥ A Q 4 3
♦ T 5 2
♣ 4 3

♠ A

♥ J T 5

♦ A K J 8 6

♣ A J 5 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 6 4 2

♥ 8 7

♦ 9 7 3

♣ Q 9 6

♠ K J 8

♥ K 9 6 2

♦ Q 4

♣ K T 8 7

983BA9728BC56E99DD6AC770FC67

Shape 1354 5233 3424 4432

HCP 18 4 12 6

Losers 6 9 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 238

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 5 4 3
♥ 3 2
♦ 4 2
♣ T 7 6 5 4

♠ K T 2

♥ Q 7 6

♦ K Q J T 3

♣ A Q

W N E S

♠ J 8 7 6

♥ A J T 9 4

♦ 7

♣ K 8 2

♠ A 9

♥ K 8 5

♦ A 9 8 6 5

♣ J 9 3

9B9F26C755149D6E404CECD8F53A

Shape 3352 4513 2353 4225

HCP 17 9 12 2

Losers 6 8 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by North

Board 239

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 3
♥ 9 6 2
♦ K 9 7 6
♣ T 9 7 4

♠ Q J
♥ A T 3
♦ A Q J 4 2
♣ K 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 4
♥ K Q 4
♦ T 8 5 3
♣ A Q 8 2

♠ A T 9 8 6 5 2
♥ J 8 7 5
♦ -
♣ J 3

9849A7291A407451D47753A8C279

Shape 2353 7402 2344 2344

HCP 17 6 14 3

Losers 7 7 6 10

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5♦ by South

Board 240
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ J T 9 8
 ♥ 7 3
 ♦ 8 5 2
 ♣ T 8 7 2

♠ A 5 3 2
 ♥ 5
 ♦ A K Q J 7
 ♣ A 5 4



♠ Q 6 4
 ♥ A Q 8 6
 ♦ T 4 3
 ♣ K J 6

♠ K 7
 ♥ K J T 9 4 2
 ♦ 9 6
 ♣ Q 9 3

9B2755A6D5DCD2E874A10B9F3E18

Shape 4153 2623 3433 4234

HCP 18 9 12 1

Losers 5 7 8 11

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

Board 241

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 7 2

♥ Q 8 7 4

♦ 4

♣ 7 6 4 3

♠ Q 3

♥ A J 9 2

♦ A K J 8 7 2

♣ K

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 5

♥ 6 5

♦ T 3

♣ Q T 9 8 5 2

♠ K 9 6 4

♥ K T 3

♦ Q 9 6 5

♣ A J

98C9AB32496E82FAF89052B42CCA

Shape 2461 3226 4342 4414

HCP 18 3 13 6

Losers 6 9 7 8

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

1. Fourth suit

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6♦ by South

Board 242

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 5 3
♥ J 9 6 4
♦ T 9 5
♣ K T 2

♠ A 7

♥ A 7 5

♦ A K Q 6 3

♣ 6 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 9 4

♥ K Q T 2

♦ 8 7 4

♣ A 3

♠ Q J 8 2

♥ 8 3

♦ J 2

♣ Q J 9 8 7

9A0DAC6E7AA0B25606FFC3B7DD68

Shape 2353 4225 4432 3433

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 6 8 7 11

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 243

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 7 6 4

♥ 2

♦ 8 6 5

♣ J T 6 3

♠ K Q J 5 2

♥ A J 8 6

♦ K 2

♣ A 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9

♥ K 7 5

♦ 7 4 3

♣ Q 9 5 4 2

♠ 3

♥ Q T 9 4 3

♦ A Q J T 9

♣ K 7

99CB112A08686ACFD5CC1EE6A432

Shape 5422 2335 1552 5134

HCP 18 5 12 5

Losers 5 9 5 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

3. surplus

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

5♥ by South

Board 244

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8 6 3 2

♥ K T

♦ 8

♣ T 9 4 3 2

♠ K 9

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ A K J 5 2

♣ A 7



♠ J 5 4

♥ 5 2

♦ T 7 4

♣ K J 8 6 5

♠ A T 7

♥ A 9 7 4 3

♦ Q 9 6 3

♣ Q

A8AB3AC14ABC20C6AFC25A6CE0D8

Shape 2452 3235 3541 5215

HCP 18 5 12 5

Losers 5 10 7 7

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !C

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Board 245

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9 7 4 3

♥ T

♦ 7 3 2

♣ Q T 9 8

♠ A T

♥ A 8 6 2

♦ K Q J 8 6

♣ A 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 8 6

♥ 3

♦ 9 5 4

♣ 7 5 4 3 2

♠ 5 2

♥ K Q J 9 7 5 4

♦ A T

♣ K J

AA07ED6C6D34E84CE24FAAEAD282

Shape 2452 4135 2722 5134

HCP 18 3 14 5

Losers 5 9 5 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

6♥ by South

Board 246

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A T 8 4 3

♥ 9 8 5

♦ J 7 5

♣ J T

♠ J 2

♥ Q T

♦ A K Q T 8

♣ K Q 8 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 7 5

♥ J 7 6 2

♦ 6 2

♣ 6 4 3

♠ K 6

♥ A K 4 3

♦ 9 4 3

♣ A 9 5 2

A9E1A3431CC079F35F967DEAEA15

Shape 2254 4423 2434 5332

HCP 17 3 14 6

Losers 5 10 7 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♣¹

Pass

1♣

Pass

3NT

All Pass

2♥

1. Inverted minors

3NT by North

Board 247

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 9 8 6 3

♥ T 4

♦ -

♣ 7 6 5 3 2

♠ Q

♥ A K Q 7 3

♦ K J 9 7 4

♣ Q T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 2

♥ 9 8 2

♦ 8 6 5 3

♣ K J 9 8

♠ K 7 5 4

♥ J 6 5

♦ A Q T 2

♣ A 4

ABCD860FE67FD6D284E0A0B5C05C

Shape 1552 2344 4342 6205

HCP 17 4 14 5

Losers 5 10 7 7

West

EPBot

2♠

Pass

All Pass

North

EPBot

3♥

4NT¹

East

EPBot

Pass

Pass

South

EPBot

1♦

4♥

5♥²

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

5♥ by North

Board 248
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ Q 3
 ♥ K 7 4 3
 ♦ J 9 7
 ♣ J T 9 4

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7 6 5 4
 ♥ J T 9 6 5 2
 ♦ 8 2
 ♣ 5

♠ K J T 2
 ♥ A Q 8
 ♦ 6 5 4
 ♣ A 8 2

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 Shape 3055 4621 4333 2434
 HCP 18 1 14 7
 Losers 3 9 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Exclusion, for !C
 3. 1 out of 4
- 7 ♣ by South

Board 249

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 5 3
 ♥ K 9 4 3
 ♦ T 9 6 5
 ♣ 7 2

♠ Q J T

♥ Q 5

♦ A Q J 8 2

♣ A Q 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 6 4

♥ J T 8 2

♦ -

♣ J T 9 4 3

♠ A 8 2

♥ A 7 6

♦ K 7 4 3

♣ K 6 5

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Shape 3253 4405 3343 3442

HCP 18 2 14 6

Losers 6 9 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 250

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 3
♥ 9 7 5 3
♦ Q 7 5
♣ K 9 7 5 4

♠ A K Q 5 2

♥ K J 8 2

♦ A 6

♣ 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 9 8 7 4

♥ -

♦ T 4 2

♣ A J T 8 6

♠ J 6

♥ A Q T 6 4

♦ K J 9 8 3

♣ Q

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Shape 5422 5035 2551 1435

HCP 17 5 13 5

Losers 5 8 6 8

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !C

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6♥ by South

Board 251

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 5

♥ J 7 6 4 3

♦ 8 7

♣ Q 4 3

♠ -

♥ T

♦ A K Q 6 3

♣ A K J 9 8 7 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 6 4 3 2

♥ K 9 8

♦ 9 5 4 2

♣ -

♠ A J T 7

♥ A Q 5 2

♦ J T

♣ T 6 5

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Shape 0157 6340 4423 3523

HCP 17 5 12 6

Losers 2 7 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Exclusion, for !C
 4. 1 out of 4
- 7 ♣ by South

Board 252

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5
♥ Q J T 9 7
♦ 9 6
♣ J T 6 4

♠ K T 6 4
♥ A
♦ K Q J 8 2
♣ A 8 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 8 3 2
♥ 5 4 3
♦ 4 3
♣ K 9 5 2

♠ Q J 7
♥ K 8 6 2
♦ A T 7 5
♣ Q 7

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Shape 4153 4324 3442 2524

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 5 9 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	6♦		
All Pass			

1. Checkback

6♦ by South

Board 253

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6 5 4
 ♥ K 2
 ♦ 5 3
 ♣ K J T 5 2

♠ A K Q J 2

♥ A T 8 7

♦ A J 8 7

♣ -

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 3
 ♥ Q 9 6 5 4 3
 ♦ T 2
 ♣ 8 7 4

♠ T 7

♥ J

♦ K Q 9 6 4

♣ A Q 9 6 3

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Shape 5440 2623 2155 4225

HCP 19 2 12 7

Losers 4 9 5 8

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

1. Fourth suit
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
5. King ask by 5NT
6. K=0
- 7♦ by South

Board 254

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 5 4
♥ 8 6 2
♦ 9 3 2
♣ K J 7 5

♠ A Q J 7 3 2

♥ A K J 7 3

♦ Q 7

♣ -

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T

♥ -

♦ K J 8 6 5 4

♣ T 9 8 6 3

♠ 8 6

♥ Q T 9 5 4

♦ A T

♣ A Q 4 2

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Shape 6520 2065 2524 3334

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 4 6 6 11

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

1. Exclusion, for !H

2. 1 out of 4

6 ♥ by South

Board 255

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J T 8 6
♥ T
♦ T 7 5
♣ A J T 5 2

♠ A K Q 5 2

♥ 8 5

♦ K Q 8 6

♣ K 9

W N E S

♠ 7

♥ K 9 7 6 4 3

♦ J 4 3

♣ 8 7 3

♠ 9 4 3

♥ A Q J 2

♦ A 9 2

♣ Q 6 4

AA241F2DE8F097CE52DD00999A24

Shape 5242 1633 3433 4135

HCP 17 4 13 6

Losers 4 9 8 9

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

1. Checkback

4 ♠ by North

Board 256

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8 6 4 2

♥ 8 5

♦ A T 5 2

♣ J T

♠ K 3

♥ K Q J 4 3

♦ K Q 4

♣ A 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7 5

♥ T

♦ J 9 8 7 3

♣ K 9 8 7 3

♠ A Q T 9

♥ A 9 7 6 2

♦ 6

♣ Q 6 2

A9AF0281C49CA6F666E97FC306ED

Shape 2533 2155 4513 5242

HCP 18 4 12 6

Losers 5 8 6 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !D

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by South

Board 257

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5 4 2
 ♥ J 7 6 5 3
 ♦ A T
 ♣ Q 9 6

♠ A K J 8 3

♥ A 9

♦ Q 7 6 3

♣ A 5



♠ 6
 ♥ T 8 4
 ♦ J 5 4 2
 ♣ J 8 4 3 2

♠ Q T 9 7

♥ K Q 2

♦ K 9 8

♣ K T 7

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Shape 5242 1345 4333 3523

HCP 18 2 13 7

Losers 5 10 7 9

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

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
 5. !S queen and !H king
- 5 ♠ by North

Board 258

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 8 4 3 2

♥ T 9 6 5 3

♦ 2

♣ J T

♠ K

♥ A Q 7

♦ A K Q J 3

♣ 9 8 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q J 7

♥ K J 8 4

♦ 7 6 4

♣ K 2

♠ 9 6 5

♥ 2

♦ T 9 8 5

♣ A Q 6 5 4

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Shape 1354 3145 4432 5512

HCP 19 6 14 1

Losers 5 8 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 259

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 5
♥ 9 7 6 5
♦ 3 2
♣ J 7 6 5 2

♠ A K Q 8 7

♥ J T 4

♦ Q J 9 8

♣ A

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6 4 3

♥ Q 3

♦ A T 7 4

♣ K T 8 3

♠ J T 2

♥ A K 8 2

♦ K 6 5

♣ Q 9 4

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Shape 5341 3244 3433 2425

HCP 17 9 13 1

Losers 5 9 8 10

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

1. Checkback

4 ♠ by North

Board 260

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 7 4 2
♥ 3
♦ Q 9 8 5 4
♣ T 8

♠ A 8

♥ K Q J 5 4

♦ A K 7

♣ K 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 5 3

♥ T 9

♦ J T 3

♣ J 9 7 5 3

♠ Q 9 6

♥ A 8 7 6 2

♦ 6 2

♣ A Q 2

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Shape 2533 3235 3523 5152

HCP 20 2 12 6

Losers 5 11 7 7

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6♥ by South

Board 261

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 4 3
♥ J T 4
♦ 7
♣ T 8 7 5 4 3

♠ A J 5 2
♥ K 8 7
♦ A K Q 9 6 5
♣ -



♠ T 6
♥ A Q 9 5 3
♦ 3 2
♣ K J 9 6

♠ K Q 8 7
♥ 6 2
♦ J T 8 4
♣ A Q 2

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Shape 4360 2524 4243 3316

HCP 17 10 12 1

Losers 4 7 7 10

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

1. Exclusion, for !S

2. 1 out of 4

6♠ by North

Board 262

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 3
♥ Q 9 8
♦ 8 6
♣ T 7 6 5 4 2

♠ T

♥ A 4 3

♦ A K Q 9 7

♣ K Q 9 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K 9 8 4 2

♥ T 7 6

♦ T 3 2

♣ J

♠ Q J 7 6

♥ K J 5 2

♦ J 5 4

♣ A 3

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Shape 1354 6331 4432 2326

HCP 18 8 12 2

Losers 4 8 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 263

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 7 2
♥ 9
♦ 8 4 2
♣ T 9 7 6 4

♠ Q 9 4 3
♥ K 6 4
♦ A K J 7 5
♣ A



♠ T 5
♥ A J 7 5 3
♦ 9
♣ Q 8 5 3 2

♠ K J 6
♥ Q T 8 2
♦ Q T 6 3
♣ K J

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Shape 4351 2515 3442 4135

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 5 7 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	6♦		
All Pass			

1. Checkback

6♦ by South

Board 264

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q T
 ♥ 9 6 4 2
 ♦ 8 5 4
 ♣ 8 5 3 2

♠ 2

♥ A Q T 8

♦ A K Q J 6

♣ A Q 9

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 8 6 5 3

♥ 5 3

♦ 9 3

♣ J 7 6

♠ A J 7 4

♥ K J 7

♦ T 7 2

♣ K T 4

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Shape 1453 6223 4333 2434

HCP 22 4 12 2

Losers 3 9 9 11

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

7 ♦ by North

Board 265

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 6 4
♥ 7
♦ J 9 8 2
♣ Q 9 5 3 2

♠ A J 9

♥ A K Q T 4 2

♦ 4

♣ K 8 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 7 5 3 2

♥ 9

♦ A T 7 6 5

♣ J 4

♠ K 8

♥ J 8 6 5 3

♦ K Q 3

♣ A T 7

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Shape 3613 5152 2533 3145

HCP 17 5 13 5

Losers 5 8 7 8

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

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5♥ by South

Board 266

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 9 7 3 2

♥ -

♦ -

♣ K J T 9 6 3 2

♠ K

♥ K 9 8 5

♦ A K Q J 5 4

♣ A 8

W N
S E

♠ T 8 4

♥ J 6 4 3 2

♦ 8 7 6 2

♣ 7

♠ A 6 5

♥ A Q T 7

♦ T 9 3

♣ Q 5 4

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Shape 1462 3541 3433 6007

HCP 20 1 12 7

Losers 4 10 8 4

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

Dbl

4 ♦

3 ♠

Pass

1 ♣

Pass

4 ♥

4 ♥ by South

Board 267

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9
 ♥ T 7 6 5
 ♦ 9 5
 ♣ 9 7 5 4 3

♠ A
 ♥ 4
 ♦ A Q J 8 4
 ♣ A Q J T 8 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 8 6 5 2
 ♥ K Q J 3 2
 ♦ 6
 ♣ 6

♠ Q 7 4 3
 ♥ A 9 8
 ♦ K T 7 3 2
 ♣ K

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Shape 1156 6511 4351 2425

HCP 18 9 12 1

Losers 3 5 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

7♦ by South

Board 268

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 7 2
♥ J T 9 6
♦ 4
♣ Q J T 7 4

♠ K Q 6 5
♥ K Q
♦ A K J 6 2
♣ K 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 8
♥ 8 5 2
♦ T 5 3
♣ 9 8 5 2

♠ A 4 3
♥ A 7 4 3
♦ Q 9 8 7
♣ A 3

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Shape 4252 3334 3442 3415

HCP 21 1 14 4

Losers 4 12 7 9

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

1. Checkback

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6♦ by South

Board 269

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 2
♥ 4 2
♦ 9 6 5 2
♣ J T 8 2

♠ A 4 3

♥ A K J 9 8

♦ A 8 7 4

♣ Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 6 5

♥ T

♦ K T 3

♣ K 9 7 6 5

♠ K 8 7

♥ Q 7 6 5 3

♦ Q J

♣ A 4 3

C901866BC8D44E80A26E6E3125FC

Shape 3541 4135 3523 3244

HCP 18 8 12 2

Losers 6 7 8 11

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

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6♥ by South

Board 270

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 9
♥ J T 9 5
♦ 7
♣ 9 7 6 5 3

♠ A 2

♥ A 8 6 4

♦ A K J 8 3 2

♣ Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 8 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ 9 6 4
♣ A T 4 2

♠ Q 7 6 4

♥ K Q 2

♦ Q T 5

♣ K J 8

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Shape 2461 4234 4333 3415

HCP 18 4 13 5

Losers 5 10 7 9

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

1. Fourth suit

2. Quantitative 4NT

4NT by South

Board 271

South Deals

Both Vul

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



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Shape 5260 4135 4243 0805

HCP 18 3 12 7

Losers 3 9 8 4

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. !D queen and !C king

6♦ by South

Board 272

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 8 6 5 4 3 2

♥ J 5

♦ 9

♣ J T

♠ A

♥ A K Q T 2

♦ Q 7 4 3

♣ A K 5

N
W E
S

♠ Q

♥ 9 3

♦ J T 6 5 2

♣ 8 7 4 3 2

♠ K 9 7

♥ 8 7 6 4

♦ A K 8

♣ Q 9 6

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Shape 1543 1255 3433 8212

HCP 22 3 12 3

Losers 3 9 8 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

3 ♠

All Pass

Dbl

1 ♣

3 ♠ X by West

Board 273

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5 4 3
♥ 7 4
♦ T 8 2
♣ K J T 4 2

♠ 9 6

♥ A K T 8

♦ A K Q J 7 6

♣ 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J T 7 2

♥ 6 5 3

♦ 4

♣ Q 7 6 3

♠ A K 8

♥ Q J 9 2

♦ 9 5 3

♣ A 9 8

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Shape 2461 5314 3433 3235

HCP 17 5 14 4

Losers 4 8 8 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=1

7 ♥ by South

Board 274

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 6 4 3

♥ 9 5 3 2

♦ 8 6 2

♣ T 3

♠ K Q

♥ J 8 7

♦ K Q J 9 7

♣ A Q 4



♠ A T 8 7 5

♥ A T 4

♦ 3

♣ J 9 7 2

♠ 9 2

♥ K Q 6

♦ A T 5 4

♣ K 8 6 5

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Shape 2353 5314 2344 4432

HCP 18 9 12 1

Losers 6 8 7 11

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 275
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ 6 2
 ♥ K 8 7 5
 ♦ J 9 6
 ♣ Q T 9 7

♠ A J
 ♥ Q J T 9
 ♦ A K Q T 5
 ♣ J 4



♠ K T 8 5 4 3
 ♥ 4 3
 ♦ 2
 ♣ 8 6 3 2

♠ Q 9 7
 ♥ A 6 2
 ♦ 8 7 4 3
 ♣ A K 5

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Shape 2452 6214 3343 2434

HCP 18 3 13 6

Losers 5 8 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♦
Pass	1 ♥	2 ♠	Pass
Pass	5 ♦		
All Pass			
5 ♦ by South			

Board 276

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 9
 ♥ Q T 6
 ♦ 9 8 3
 ♣ T 7 5 2

♠ K T 5

♥ A K

♦ A Q J 6 2

♣ J 8 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 6 4 3 2

♥ J 8 4 3 2

♦ 4

♣ Q 6

♠ A 7

♥ 9 7 5

♦ K T 7 5

♣ A K 9 3

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Shape 3253 5512 2344 3334

HCP 18 3 14 5

Losers 6 9 7 10

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 277

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 8 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7 3

♦ 8

♣ 5 3

♠ 4

♥ K 6 4

♦ A K Q 9 7

♣ K Q J T

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 9

♥ Q T 5 2

♦ 6 5 3

♣ 9 7 2

♠ A 6 2

♥ A 9

♦ J T 4 2

♣ A 8 6 4

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Shape 1354 3433 3244 6412

HCP 18 5 13 4

Losers 4 10 8 8

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=0

6♦ by South

Board 278

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 6 5 4 3

♥ Q T 8 3 2

♦ J 2

♣ -

♠ A K 9

♥ 5

♦ A K Q 7 5

♣ Q J 6 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T

♥ J 9 7

♦ 6 4 3

♣ A T 8 5 2

♠ Q 2

♥ A K 6 4

♦ T 9 8

♣ K 9 7 3

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Shape 3154 2335 2434 6520

HCP 19 6 12 3

Losers 4 10 8 7

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

1. Inverted minors

2. Quantitative 4NT

6NT by South

Board 279

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 8 7 6 4

♥ 6 3

♦ J 6 4 3

♣ 9 8

♠ J 2

♥ A K J 5 2

♦ K T 7

♣ A Q 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 5 3

♥ 8

♦ A Q 9 5 2

♣ J T 5 3

♠ A K 9

♥ Q T 9 7 4

♦ 8

♣ K 7 6 2

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Shape 2533 3154 3514 5242

HCP 18 9 12 1

Losers 6 7 6 10

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. surplus
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6♥ by South

Board 280
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 6 2
 ♥ 8 7 5
 ♦ 9 8 5 4
 ♣ Q 8

♠ A K
 ♥ Q J T 3
 ♦ A Q J 6 3
 ♣ T 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q T 7 5
 ♥ 4
 ♦ K T 7 2
 ♣ A 6 4 3

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

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Shape 2452 4144 3505 4342

HCP 17 9 12 2

Losers 5 7 6 11

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 6♥ by South

Board 281

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 3 2
♥ T 7 6 5 3
♦ T 9 6
♣ K 7

♠ A
♥ A Q J
♦ A Q J 8 2
♣ Q 6 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J T 9 6 5 4
♥ 4
♦ 7 4
♣ J 9 8 2

♠ K 8 7
♥ K 9 8 2
♦ K 5 3
♣ A T 4

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Shape 1354 6124 3433 3532

HCP 20 2 13 5

Losers 4 9 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

6NT by North

Board 282

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 4
♥ 7 2
♦ 9 6 4 3
♣ A 9 4 3 2

♠ J T

♥ A J 6 3

♦ A K Q T 7 2

♣ Q

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 8 7 3 2

♥ T 8

♦ 8 5

♣ K T 7

♠ K Q 6

♥ K Q 9 5 4

♦ J

♣ J 8 6 5

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Shape 2461 6223 3514 2245

HCP 17 7 12 4

Losers 5 8 6 9

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

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5♥ by South

Board 283

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 6 2
♥ 6
♦ T 5 4
♣ K T 9 6 4 3

♠ -

♥ A K J 8 7

♦ A J 8 7 6

♣ A 7 2



♠ Q 9 7 5 4 3
♥ Q 3
♦ Q 3 2
♣ J 8

♠ A K J 8

♥ T 9 5 4 2

♦ K 9

♣ Q 5

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Shape 0553 6232 4522 3136

HCP 17 7 13 3

Losers 5 8 7 9

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

1. Exclusion, for !H

2. 0 out of 4

6♥ by South

Board 284

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 8 7
♥ 6 3
♦ 6
♣ K J 8 7 6 4

♠ A J 4

♥ K 9

♦ A Q J 9 8 5

♣ A 3



♠ 6 2

♥ A J T 7 2

♦ T 7

♣ T 9 5 2

♠ K Q 5 3

♥ Q 8 5 4

♦ K 4 3 2

♣ Q

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Shape 3262 2524 4441 4216

HCP 19 5 12 4

Losers 5 9 6 8

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5♦ by South

Board 285

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 9 7
♥ 2
♦ T 9
♣ J 9 7 6 4 2

♠ K T
♥ K J 5 3
♦ A K Q J 5
♣ 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 5 4 3
♥ Q T 6
♦ 7 4 2
♣ Q T 8

♠ J 6 2
♥ A 9 8 7 4
♦ 8 6 3
♣ A K

E8E909DA8816E462EC904B6C43BC

Shape 2452 4333 3532 4126

HCP 17 4 12 7

Losers 5 10 8 7

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

4♥ by South

Board 286
South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ 9 7
♥ 8 7 4
♦ 9 5 3 2
♣ A J 9 6

♠ K J
♥ Q J 3
♦ A K Q T 4
♣ Q T 7



♠ A 4 3 2
♥ A K T 9
♦ J 7 6
♣ 3 2

♠ Q T 8 6 5
♥ 6 5 2
♦ 8
♣ K 8 5 4

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Shape 2353 5314 4432 2344

HCP 18 5 12 5

Losers 5 8 8 10

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by South

Board 287

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 5
 ♥ 2
 ♦ K T 9 5 4 3
 ♣ A 8 4 3

♠ 2

♥ A K J T 5 4

♦ A Q

♣ K J T 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q T 9 7 4 3

♥ 8 7 6

♦ 7 6 2

♣ 6

♠ A K J 8

♥ Q 9 3

♦ J 8

♣ Q 9 7 5

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Shape 1624 6331 4324 2164

HCP 18 2 13 7

Losers 5 9 7 7

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

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

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 288

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8 3
♥ Q J T 9 6 4
♦ 5 4
♣ 7 4

♠ K T 9 2
♥ -
♦ K Q J 9 6
♣ A K Q J



♠ 6 5
♥ A 8 7 5 2
♦ 8 3
♣ T 9 8 6

♠ A Q 7 4
♥ K 3
♦ A T 7 2
♣ 5 3 2

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Shape 4054 2524 4243 3622

HCP 19 4 13 4

Losers 3 9 7 9

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

1. Exclusion, for !S

2. 2 out of 4

6♠ by North

Board 289

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ -

♥ Q J 9 7 5 3

♦ Q 9 6

♣ T 5 4 3

♠ J T 8 2

♥ A K

♦ A K J 4 3

♣ K 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 6 4 3

♥ 8 6

♦ T 8

♣ Q 9 8 2

♠ A K Q 5

♥ T 4 2

♦ 7 5 2

♣ A J 7

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Shape 4252 5224 4333 0634

HCP 19 2 14 5

Losers 5 9 8 7

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

4. King ask by available bid

5. K=0

7 ♠ X by South

Board 290

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 6 3
 ♥ 7
 ♦ 8 3 2
 ♣ T 8 7 5 4

♠ A 9 5

♥ K Q J 5 2

♦ T 9

♣ A Q J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 8 7

♥ 3

♦ Q J 7 6 4

♣ K 9 6 3

♠ K 4 2

♥ A T 9 8 6 4

♦ A K 5

♣ 2

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Shape 3523 3154 3631 4135

HCP 17 6 14 3

Losers 6 8 6 9

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

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !C

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6♥ by South

Board 291

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 5
♥ 9 8 6 4
♦ 9
♣ A T 9 6 5 4

♠ A J

♥ 7 3 2

♦ A K Q J 8 6

♣ Q 3



♠ T 9 8 3 2

♥ A J

♦ 7 4

♣ J 8 7 2

♠ K Q 6 4

♥ K Q T 5

♦ T 5 3 2

♣ K

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Shape 2362 5224 4441 2416

HCP 17 6 13 4

Losers 6 9 6 8

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

1. Inverted minors

5 ♦ by South

Board 292

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 6 4 3

♥ 8 4

♦ 9 5

♣ K 9 8 6

♠ K

♥ A T 3

♦ A K Q T 3

♣ Q T 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A J 7 5

♥ J 9 6 5

♦ 8 4

♣ 7 5 4

♠ Q 8 2

♥ K Q 7 2

♦ J 7 6 2

♣ A J

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Shape 1354 4423 3442 5224

HCP 18 6 13 3

Losers 5 10 7 9

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

1. Inverted minors
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6♦ by South

Board 293

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 8 6 2
♥ 9
♦ 3
♣ 9 6 5 4 3 2

♠ Q
♥ A K Q T 5
♦ 5 2
♣ K Q J T 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 7 5 4
♥ 6 3
♦ A K J 9 8 7
♣ 7

♠ A J 3
♥ J 8 7 4 2
♦ Q T 6 4
♣ A

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Shape 1525 4261 3541 5116

HCP 17 8 12 3

Losers 4 7 7 7

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

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. shortness !C
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 6 ♥ by South

Board 294

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 7 2
♥ A T 9 8 3
♦ 9 8
♣ 7 4

♠ K Q
♥ 5 4
♦ A Q J 6 4
♣ K Q T 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ T 6 4 3
♥ Q 7 6
♦ T 5 3 2
♣ A 9

♠ A 8 5
♥ K J 2
♦ K 7
♣ J 8 6 5 2

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Shape 2254 4342 3325 4522

HCP 17 6 12 5

Losers 5 9 8 9

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

1. Inverted minors

3NT by North

Board 295

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 4
♥ T 6 3
♦ J 2
♣ T 9 7 3 2

♠ A K 7

♥ 8 2

♦ A K Q 7 4

♣ J 8 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6 5 3 2
♥ A 9 7 4
♦ 9 6 3
♣ A 4

♠ Q 9 8

♥ K Q J 5

♦ T 8 5

♣ K Q 6

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Shape 3253 4432 3433 3325

HCP 17 8 13 2

Losers 6 9 7 11

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

1. Fourth suit

3NT by South