

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 1	♠ QJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ875	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

Board: 2	♠ Q842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A8543	

Board: 3	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J65	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ8765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ	

Board: 4	♠ AK42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 54	
Vul: EW	♦ A85	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ86	

Board: 5	♠ KQ10953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J109	
Vul: Both	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K73	

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Board: 1
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ QJ6
♥ QJ875
♦ AQ104
♣ Q

South:
♠ AK98
♥ 102
♦ 83
♣ AJ765

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 2
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ Q842
♥ 5
♦ AQ5
♣ A8543

South:
♠ A
♥ AQJ103
♦ K10864
♣ 102

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 3
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ Q
♥ J65
♦ AQJ8765
♣ KQ

South:
♠ J1097
♥ AKQ9
♦ K3
♣ J93

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 4
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AK42
♥ 54
♦ A85
♣ QJ86

South:
♠ 873
♥ AJ976
♦ Q
♣ AK52

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 5

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4N S

North:

♠ KQ10953

♥ J109

♦ A

♣ K73

South:

♠ A4

♥ AQ62

♦ KJ1063

♣ A8

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4NT ²	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force

2. Quantitative 4NT

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Board: 1	♠ AK98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 102	
Vul: EW	♦ 83	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ765	

Board: 2	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ103	
Vul: Both	♦ K10864	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 102	

Board: 3	♠ J1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: EW	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J93	

Board: 4	♠ 873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ976	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK52	

Board: 5	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ62	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ1063	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A8	

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Board: 1
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ QJ6
♥ QJ875
♦ AQ104
♣ Q

South:
♠ AK98
♥ 102
♦ 83
♣ AJ765

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 2
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ Q842
♥ 5
♦ AQ5
♣ A8543

South:
♠ A
♥ AQJ103
♦ K10864
♣ 102

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 3
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♦ N

North:
♠ Q
♥ J65
♦ AQJ8765
♣ KQ

South:
♠ J1097
♥ AKQ9
♦ K3
♣ J93

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 4
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AK42
♥ 54
♦ A85
♣ QJ86

South:
♠ 873
♥ AJ976
♦ Q
♣ AK52

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 5

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4N S

North:

♠ KQ10953

♥ J109

♦ A

♣ K73

South:

♠ A4

♥ AQ62

♦ KJ1063

♣ A8

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4NT ²	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force

2. Quantitative 4NT

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Board: 6	♠ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A875	
Vul: None	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A10653	

Board: 7	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9875	
Vul: NS	♦ K964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ	

Board: 8	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ32	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J10852	

Board: 9	♠ KQ942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	
Vul: Both	♦ Q3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ72	

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Board: 6
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ AJ7
 ♥ A875
 ♦ A
 ♣ A10653

South:
 ♠ K9542
 ♥ KQJ3
 ♦ J
 ♣ KJ2

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5
4. no ♠ queen

Board: 7
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ Q8
 ♥ A9875
 ♦ K964
 ♣ KQ

South:
 ♠ KJ102
 ♥ J
 ♦ AJ75
 ♣ A1087

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 8
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:
 ♠ AK
 ♥ A3
 ♦ KQ32
 ♣ J10852

South:
 ♠ Q876
 ♥ KQJ87
 ♦ 6
 ♣ AQ6

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 9
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ KQ942
♥ 95
♦ Q3
♣ AQ72

South:
♠ A5
♥ K1062
♦ AKJ107
♣ K5

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Quantitative 4NT			

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Board: 6	♠ K9542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ3	
Vul: None	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ2	

Board: 7	♠ KJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ75	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A1087	

Board: 8	♠ Q876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ87	
Vul: EW	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ6	

Board: 9	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1062	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ107	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K5	

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Board: 6
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ AJ7
 ♥ A875
 ♦ A
 ♣ A10653

South:
 ♠ K9542
 ♥ KQJ3
 ♦ J
 ♣ KJ2

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=1/5 or 4/5
4. no ♠ queen

Board: 7
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ Q8
 ♥ A9875
 ♦ K964
 ♣ KQ

South:
 ♠ KJ102
 ♥ J
 ♦ AJ75
 ♣ A1087

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 8
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:
 ♠ AK
 ♥ A3
 ♦ KQ32
 ♣ J10852

South:
 ♠ Q876
 ♥ KQJ87
 ♦ 6
 ♣ AQ6

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 9
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ KQ942
♥ 95
♦ Q3
♣ AQ72

South:
♠ A5
♥ K1062
♦ AKJ107
♣ K5

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Quantitative 4NT			

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Board: 10	♠ 642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8643	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 2	

Board: 11	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ9	
Vul: None	♦ 97632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 6	

Board: 12	♠ QJ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J43	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q5	

Board: 13	♠ J973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK872	
Vul: NS	♦ A3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K9	

Board: 14	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ85	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ42	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A7	

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Board: 10
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ 642
 ♥ A8643
 ♦ AKJ7
 ♣ 2

South:
 ♠ AK987
 ♥ 97
 ♦ 5
 ♣ AK1074

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 11
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ A5
 ♥ AKQJ9
 ♦ 97632
 ♣ 6

South:
 ♠ 10974
 ♥ 75
 ♦ AQ5
 ♣ AK53

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 12
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ QJ74
 ♥ J43
 ♦ KQJ4
 ♣ Q5

South:
 ♠ K82
 ♥ AK852
 ♦ 8
 ♣ KJ96

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 13
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ J973
 ♥ AK872
 ♦ A3
 ♣ K9

South:
 ♠ KQ108
 ♥ 10
 ♦ Q1074
 ♣ AQ104

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 14
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ Q9
 ♥ AQ85
 ♦ KQJ42
 ♣ A7

South:
 ♠ AKJ65
 ♥ KJ103
 ♦ —
 ♣ K1032

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
Pass	3NT	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

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Board: 10	♠ AK987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 97	
Vul: EW	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK1074	

Board: 11	♠ 10974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 75	
Vul: None	♦ AQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK53	

Board: 12	♠ K82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK852	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ96	

Board: 13	♠ KQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1074	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ104	

Board: 14	♠ AKJ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ103	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K1032	

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Board: 10
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ 642
♥ A8643
♦ AKJ7
♣ 2

South:
♠ AK987
♥ 97
♦ 5
♣ AK1074

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 11
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ A5
♥ AKQJ9
♦ 97632
♣ 6

South:
♠ 10974
♥ 75
♦ AQ5
♣ AK53

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 12
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ QJ74
♥ J43
♦ KQJ4
♣ Q5

South:
♠ K82
♥ AK852
♦ 8
♣ KJ96

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 13
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ J973
♥ AK872
♦ A3
♣ K9

South:
♠ KQ108
♥ 10
♦ Q1074
♣ AQ104

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 14
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ Q9
♥ AQ85
♦ KQJ42
♣ A7

South:
♠ AKJ65
♥ KJ103
♦ —
♣ K1032

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
Pass	3NT	Pass	6♥
AP			
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Board: 15	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K54	
Vul: Both	♦ A109652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ	

Board: 16	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1042	
Vul: None	♦ AJ102	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ32	

Board: 17	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ952	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K3	

Board: 18	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ64	
Vul: NS	♦ K54	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 9632	

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Board: 15
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 7♣ S

North:
 ♠ 6
 ♥ K54
 ♦ A109652
 ♣ AKJ

South:
 ♠ AQ85
 ♥ A932
 ♦ K8
 ♣ 865

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 16
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ —
 ♥ AK1042
 ♦ AJ102
 ♣ QJ32

South:
 ♠ AKJ10542
 ♥ 3
 ♦ Q7
 ♣ A109

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 17
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ K
 ♥ AQ952
 ♦ Q9852
 ♣ K3

South:
 ♠ QJ98
 ♥ 4
 ♦ KJ73
 ♣ AQ76

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 18
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♣ N

North:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ AKQ64
 ♦ K54
 ♣ 9632

South:
 ♠ AQJ10974
 ♥ —
 ♦ J
 ♣ KQJ84

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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Board: 15	♠ AQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A932	
Vul: Both	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 865	
Board: 16	♠ AKJ10542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ Q7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A109	
Board: 17	♠ QJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ76	
Board: 18	♠ AQJ10974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ84	

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Board: 15
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 7♣ S

North:
♠ 6
♥ K54
♦ A109652
♣ AKJ

South:
♠ AQ85
♥ A932
♦ K8
♣ 865

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 16
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ —
♥ AK1042
♦ AJ102
♣ QJ32

South:
♠ AKJ10542
♥ 3
♦ Q7
♣ A109

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 17
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K
♥ AQ952
♦ Q9852
♣ K3

South:
♠ QJ98
♥ 4
♦ KJ73
♣ AQ76

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 18
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ 5
♥ AKQ64
♦ K54
♣ 9632

South:
♠ AQJ10974
♥ —
♦ J
♣ KQJ84

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 19	♠ AKJ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ96	
Vul: Both	♦ 102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 103	

Board: 20	♠ A1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ4	
Vul: None	♦ 72	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ52	

Board: 21	♠ AQ985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ106	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A107	

Board: 22	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ863	
Vul: EW	♦ K1084	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

Board: 23	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ543	
Vul: EW	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ92	

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Board: 19
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AKJ63
 ♥ AQ96
 ♦ 102
 ♣ 103

South:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ J872
 ♦ AQ63
 ♣ AJ95

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 20
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A1095
 ♥ AJ4
 ♦ 72
 ♣ KJ52

South:
 ♠ KJ
 ♥ 72
 ♦ AQJ864
 ♣ A96

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥ ¹
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 21
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AQ985
 ♥ AJ106
 ♦ 2
 ♣ A107

South:
 ♠ K2
 ♥ Q5
 ♦ KQJ76
 ♣ J852

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 22
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♠ S

North:
 ♠ KQ2
 ♥ AJ863
 ♦ K1084
 ♣ Q

South:
 ♠ A10985
 ♥ Q2
 ♦ A
 ♣ A10843

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

Board: 23
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 5♣ N

North:
♠ 74
♥ AQ543
♦ K3
♣ KQ92

South:
♠ AQ98
♥ —
♦ AQ1074
♣ A876

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

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 19	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J872	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ63	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ95	

Board: 20	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 72	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ864	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A96	

Board: 21	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ76	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J852	

Board: 22	♠ A10985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A10843	

Board: 23	♠ AQ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1074	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A876	

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Board: 19	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ63	♠ 8				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AQ96	♥ J872	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 102	♦ AQ63	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ 103	♣ AJ95	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 20	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1095	♠ KJ		1♣	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ AJ4	♥ 72	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ 72	♦ AQJ864	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ52	♣ A96	1. Fourth suit game force			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 21	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ985	♠ K2				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AJ106	♥ Q5	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 15	♦ 2	♦ KQJ76	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 12	♣ A107	♣ J852	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			
			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 22	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ2	♠ A10985		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AJ863	♥ Q2	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ K1084	♦ A	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 14	♣ Q	♣ A10843	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣ ³
Contract: 6♠ S			Pass	6♠	AP	
			1. Fourth suit game force			
			2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
			3. A=0/5 or 3/5			

Board: 23
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 5♣ N

North:
♠ 74
♥ AQ543
♦ K3
♣ KQ92

South:
♠ AQ98
♥ —
♦ AQ1074
♣ A876

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 24	♠ A982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ 875	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK943	

Board: 25	♠ QJ1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: None	♦ KQ102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K4	

Board: 26	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10764	
Vul: NS	♦ J73	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK84	

Board: 27	♠ AJ975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q32	
Vul: EW	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ6	

Board: 28	♠ Q975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: None	♦ QJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K987	

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Board: 24
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A982
 ♥ J
 ♦ 875
 ♣ AK943

South:
 ♠ Q74
 ♥ AK1053
 ♦ KQ63
 ♣ 10

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 25
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♦ S

North:
 ♠ QJ1032
 ♥ QJ
 ♦ KQ102
 ♣ K4

South:
 ♠ K
 ♥ A832
 ♦ AJ54
 ♣ QJ95

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

1. Fourth suit game force
 2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 26
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ A10764
 ♦ J73
 ♣ AK84

South:
 ♠ KQJ82
 ♥ K93
 ♦ KQ942
 ♣ —

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 27
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ AJ975
 ♥ Q32
 ♦ 3
 ♣ AKJ6

South:
 ♠ 2
 ♥ KJ1098
 ♦ AK75
 ♣ Q43

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 28
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ Q975
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ QJ4
 ♣ K987

South:
 ♠ J10
 ♥ K9865
 ♦ K2
 ♣ AQJ4

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

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 24	♠ Q74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1053	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10	

Board: 25	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A832	
Vul: None	♦ AJ54	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ95	

Board: 26	♠ KQJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K93	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 27	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ1098	
Vul: EW	♦ AK75	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q43	

Board: 28	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9865	
Vul: None	♦ K2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ4	

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Board: 24
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A982
 ♥ J
 ♦ 875
 ♣ AK943

South:
 ♠ Q74
 ♥ AK1053
 ♦ KQ63
 ♣ 10

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 25
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♦ S

North:
 ♠ QJ1032
 ♥ QJ
 ♦ KQ102
 ♣ K4

South:
 ♠ K
 ♥ A832
 ♦ AJ54
 ♣ QJ95

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

1. Fourth suit game force
 2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 26
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ 5
 ♥ A10764
 ♦ J73
 ♣ AK84

South:
 ♠ KQJ82
 ♥ K93
 ♦ KQ942
 ♣ —

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 27
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ AJ975
 ♥ Q32
 ♦ 3
 ♣ AKJ6

South:
 ♠ 2
 ♥ KJ1098
 ♦ AK75
 ♣ Q43

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 28
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ Q975
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ QJ4
 ♣ K987

South:
 ♠ J10
 ♥ K9865
 ♦ K2
 ♣ AQJ4

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 29	♠ Q52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ862	
Vul: NS	♦ K984	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	

Board: 30	♠ 975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ985	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ9	

Board: 31	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J42	
Vul: None	♦ AJ9432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ9	

Board: 32	♠ 953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ62	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ52	

Board: 33	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ83	
Vul: EW	♦ K10984	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 74	

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Board: 29
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ Q52
♥ AJ862
♦ K984
♣ A

South:
♠ KJ104
♥ —
♦ Q1076
♣ KQJ107

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 30
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ 975
♥ J
♦ AQ985
♣ AKJ9

South:
♠ AJ
♥ KQ1062
♦ KJ
♣ 10876

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 31
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K
♥ J42
♦ AJ9432
♣ KQ9

South:
♠ AJ108
♥ AK53
♦ 65
♣ 1082

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 32
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ 953
♥ 9
♦ KQJ62
♣ AQ52

South:
♠ 108764
♥ AQJ4
♦ A8
♣ K9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
	AP		

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 33
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ A3
♥ AQ83
♦ K10984
♣ 74

South:
♠ 8752
♥ K62
♦ A5
♣ AK32

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

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 29	♠ KJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1076	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ107	

Board: 30	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1062	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10876	

Board: 31	♠ AJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK53	
Vul: None	♦ 65	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1082	

Board: 32	♠ 108764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: EW	♦ A8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K9	

Board: 33	♠ 8752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K62	
Vul: EW	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK32	

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Board: 29
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ Q52
♥ AJ862
♦ K984
♣ A

South:
♠ KJ104
♥ —
♦ Q1076
♣ KQJ107

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 30
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ 975
♥ J
♦ AQ985
♣ AKJ9

South:
♠ AJ
♥ KQ1062
♦ KJ
♣ 10876

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 31
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K
♥ J42
♦ AJ9432
♣ KQ9

South:
♠ AJ108
♥ AK53
♦ 65
♣ 1082

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 32
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ 953
♥ 9
♦ KQJ62
♣ AQ52

South:
♠ 108764
♥ AQJ4
♦ A8
♣ K9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
	AP		

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 33
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ A3
♥ AQ83
♦ K10984
♣ 74

South:
♠ 8752
♥ K62
♦ A5
♣ AK32

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 34	♠ A85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1062	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK763	

Board: 35	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ986	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1054	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K	

Board: 36	♠ Q84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ62	

Board: 37	♠ KJ987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10653	

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Board: 34
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A85
 ♥ A
 ♦ Q1062
 ♣ AK763

South:
 ♠ KJ3
 ♥ KQ974
 ♦ A873
 ♣ J

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 35
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ 86
 ♥ AJ986
 ♦ AQ1054
 ♣ K

South:
 ♠ AQ105
 ♥ Q
 ♦ K63
 ♣ AJ532

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 36
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♠ S

North:
 ♠ Q84
 ♥ KQJ9
 ♦ 3
 ♣ AKQ62

South:
 ♠ AK1073
 ♥ 5
 ♦ AQ82
 ♣ J53

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

1. Fourth suit game force
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. ♠ queen and ♣ king

Board: 37
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ KJ987
 ♥ Q
 ♦ AKJ
 ♣ 10653

South:
 ♠ AQ5
 ♥ AJ876
 ♦ 10964
 ♣ A

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

1. Fourth suit game force

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Board: 34	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ974	
Vul: Both	♦ A873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J	

Board: 35	♠ AQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ K63	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ532	

Board: 36	♠ AK1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J53	

Board: 37	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ876	
Vul: None	♦ 10964	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

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Board: 34
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A85
 ♥ A
 ♦ Q1062
 ♣ AK763

South:
 ♠ KJ3
 ♥ KQ974
 ♦ A873
 ♣ J

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 35
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ 86
 ♥ AJ986
 ♦ AQ1054
 ♣ K

South:
 ♠ AQ105
 ♥ Q
 ♦ K63
 ♣ AJ532

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 36
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♠ S

North:
 ♠ Q84
 ♥ KQJ9
 ♦ 3
 ♣ AKQ62

South:
 ♠ AK1073
 ♥ 5
 ♦ AQ82
 ♣ J53

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

AP

1. Fourth suit game force
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. ♠ queen and ♣ king

Board: 37
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ KJ987
 ♥ Q
 ♦ AKJ
 ♣ 10653

South:
 ♠ AQ5
 ♥ AJ876
 ♦ 10964
 ♣ A

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 38	♠ AQJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ93	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J73	

Board: 39	♠ AK1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ 8652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ3	

Board: 40	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK854	
Vul: Both	♦ K108	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ94	

Board: 41	♠ AQ10654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8432	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

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Board: 38
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AQJ10
 ♥ 3
 ♦ KQJ93
 ♣ J73

South:
 ♠ K3
 ♥ AK875
 ♦ 10654
 ♣ A9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 39
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AK1074
 ♥ J
 ♦ 8652
 ♣ AQ3

South:
 ♠ Q2
 ♥ K8654
 ♦ A7
 ♣ K864

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 40
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♥ N

North:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ AK854
 ♦ K108
 ♣ AQ94

South:
 ♠ AQ765
 ♥ —
 ♦ AJ743
 ♣ K52

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314			
3. A=2 out of 4			

Board: 41
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ AQ10654
 ♥ J8432
 ♦ A
 ♣ A

South:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ KQ105
 ♦ KQ52
 ♣ KJ53

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

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Board: 38	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK875	
Vul: None	♦ 10654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A9	

Board: 39	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8654	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K864	

Board: 40	♠ AQ765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K52	

Board: 41	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ105	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ52	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ53	

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Board: 38
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AQJ10
 ♥ 3
 ♦ KQJ93
 ♣ J73

South:
 ♠ K3
 ♥ AK875
 ♦ 10654
 ♣ A9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 39
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AK1074
 ♥ J
 ♦ 8652
 ♣ AQ3

South:
 ♠ Q2
 ♥ K8654
 ♦ A7
 ♣ K864

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 40
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♥ N

North:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ AK854
 ♦ K108
 ♣ AQ94

South:
 ♠ AQ765
 ♥ —
 ♦ AJ743
 ♣ K52

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314			
3. A=2 out of 4			

Board: 41
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ AQ10654
 ♥ J8432
 ♦ A
 ♣ A

South:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ KQ105
 ♦ KQ52
 ♣ KJ53

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

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 42	♠ AKJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: Both	♦ J6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 109863	

Board: 43	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9862	
Vul: None	♦ A1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ	

Board: 44	♠ AQ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ6	
Vul: NS	♦ 10952	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K8	

Board: 45	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ8	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ	

Board: 46	♠ AK87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ96	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 873	

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Board: 42
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AKJ7
 ♥ A2
 ♦ J6
 ♣ 109863

South:
 ♠ 6
 ♥ 1063
 ♦ AKQ983
 ♣ AJ7

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 43
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ K10
 ♥ Q9862
 ♦ A1064
 ♣ AJ

South:
 ♠ A986
 ♥ K3
 ♦ Q3
 ♣ KQ1032

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 44
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ AQ75
 ♥ QJ6
 ♦ 10952
 ♣ K8

South:
 ♠ J3
 ♥ AK942
 ♦ J4
 ♣ AJ74

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 45
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 6♦ N

North:
 ♠ 72
 ♥ KJ8
 ♦ AQJ765
 ♣ KJ

South:
 ♠ AJ95
 ♥ A962
 ♦ 42
 ♣ A105

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 46
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AK87
 ♥ K10
 ♦ QJ96
 ♣ 873

South:
 ♠ Q5
 ♥ AQ764
 ♦ K
 ♣ QJ942

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

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 42	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1063	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ7	

Board: 43	♠ A986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: None	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ1032	

Board: 44	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK942	
Vul: NS	♦ J4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ74	

Board: 45	♠ AJ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A962	
Vul: Both	♦ 42	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A105	

Board: 46	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ764	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ942	

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Board: 42
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AKJ7
 ♥ A2
 ♦ J6
 ♣ 109863

South:
 ♠ 6
 ♥ 1063
 ♦ AKQ983
 ♣ AJ7

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 43
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ K10
 ♥ Q9862
 ♦ A1064
 ♣ AJ

South:
 ♠ A986
 ♥ K3
 ♦ Q3
 ♣ KQ1032

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 44
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ AQ75
 ♥ QJ6
 ♦ 10952
 ♣ K8

South:
 ♠ J3
 ♥ AK942
 ♦ J4
 ♣ AJ74

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 45
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 6♦ N

North:
 ♠ 72
 ♥ KJ8
 ♦ AQJ765
 ♣ KJ

South:
 ♠ AJ95
 ♥ A962
 ♦ 42
 ♣ A105

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 46
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AK87
 ♥ K10
 ♦ QJ96
 ♣ 873

South:
 ♠ Q5
 ♥ AQ764
 ♦ K
 ♣ QJ942

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

1. Fourth suit game force

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Board: 47	♠ AKQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10653	
Vul: None	♦ Q82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 8	

Board: 48	♠ A107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ953	
Vul: None	♦ 10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K953	

Board: 49	♠ K1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ974	
Vul: None	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K3	

Board: 50	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ42	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 8752	

Board: 51	♠ Q1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1083	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

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Board: 47
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AKQ9
 ♥ K10653
 ♦ Q82
 ♣ 8

South:
 ♠ 1076
 ♥ 8
 ♦ AK953
 ♣ AJ104

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 48
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♠ S

North:
 ♠ A107
 ♥ AJ953
 ♦ 10
 ♣ K953

South:
 ♠ K6542
 ♥ 1084
 ♦ AK65
 ♣ A

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

1. Fourth suit game force
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. no ♠ queen

Board: 49
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ K1064
 ♥ KQ974
 ♦ A7
 ♣ K3

South:
 ♠ Q872
 ♥ 2
 ♦ KQ6
 ♣ AJ1095

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 50
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ —
 ♥ AKJ42
 ♦ KQJ7
 ♣ 8752

South:
 ♠ AKQJ82
 ♥ Q95
 ♦ 4
 ♣ Q103

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 51

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ Q1065

♥ AQ1083

♦ KQ9

♣ Q

South:

♠ J942

♥ 4

♦ A76

♣ AKJ96

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♠ AP

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 47	♠ 1076	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: None	♦ AK953	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ104	

Board: 48	♠ K6542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1084	
Vul: None	♦ AK65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	

Board: 49	♠ Q872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: None	♦ KQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ1095	

Board: 50	♠ AKQJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q95	
Vul: NS	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q103	

Board: 51	♠ J942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: EW	♦ A76	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ96	

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Board: 47
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AKQ9
 ♥ K10653
 ♦ Q82
 ♣ 8

South:
 ♠ 1076
 ♥ 8
 ♦ AK953
 ♣ AJ104

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 48
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♠ S

North:
 ♠ A107
 ♥ AJ953
 ♦ 10
 ♣ K953

South:
 ♠ K6542
 ♥ 1084
 ♦ AK65
 ♣ A

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

1. Fourth suit game force
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. no ♠ queen

Board: 49
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ K1064
 ♥ KQ974
 ♦ A7
 ♣ K3

South:
 ♠ Q872
 ♥ 2
 ♦ KQ6
 ♣ AJ1095

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 50
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ —
 ♥ AKJ42
 ♦ KQJ7
 ♣ 8752

South:
 ♠ AKQJ82
 ♥ Q95
 ♦ 4
 ♣ Q103

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 51

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ Q1065

♥ AQ1083

♦ KQ9

♣ Q

South:

♠ J942

♥ 4

♦ A76

♣ AKJ96

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♠ AP

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 52	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: NS	♦ A7654	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ3	

Board: 53	♠ K9765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ7	

Board: 54	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK76	
Vul: NS	♦ 54	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K8764	

Board: 55	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10753	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A982	

Board: 56	♠ AK95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ872	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ87	

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Board: 52

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 103

♥ K8

♦ A7654

♣ KQJ3

South:

♠ AK74

♥ Q10762

♦ Q2

♣ A6

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠¹

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 53

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K9765

♥ A

♦ KQ65

♣ QJ7

South:

♠ 8

♥ KQJ83

♦ A93

♣ A1065

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 54

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ K4

♥ AK76

♦ 54

♣ K8764

South:

♠ 3

♥ Q105

♦ AKQ963

♣ A103

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠¹

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♦ Pass 6♣

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 55

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q9

♥ K10753

♦ AJ

♣ A982

South:

♠ A1075

♥ A8

♦ Q873

♣ KJ4

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 56
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 14
Contract: 5♣ S

North:
♠ AK95
♥ —
♦ AQ872
♣ QJ87

South:
♠ Q7
♥ Q10863
♦ K6
♣ AK52

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	5♣
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 52	♠ AK74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10762	
Vul: NS	♦ Q2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A6	

Board: 53	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ83	
Vul: EW	♦ A93	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A1065	

Board: 54	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q105	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A103	

Board: 55	♠ A1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: EW	♦ Q873	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ4	

Board: 56	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10863	
Vul: Both	♦ K6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK52	

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Board: 52

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 103

♥ K8

♦ A7654

♣ KQJ3

South:

♠ AK74

♥ Q10762

♦ Q2

♣ A6

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠¹

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 53

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K9765

♥ A

♦ KQ65

♣ QJ7

South:

♠ 8

♥ KQJ83

♦ A93

♣ A1065

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 54

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ K4

♥ AK76

♦ 54

♣ K8764

South:

♠ 3

♥ Q105

♦ AKQ963

♣ A103

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠¹

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♦ Pass 6♣

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 55

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q9

♥ K10753

♦ AJ

♣ A982

South:

♠ A1075

♥ A8

♦ Q873

♣ KJ4

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 56
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 14
Contract: 5♣ S

North:
♠ AK95
♥ —
♦ AQ872
♣ QJ87

South:
♠ Q7
♥ Q10863
♦ K6
♣ AK52

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♦	Pass	5♣
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 57	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ865	
Vul: NS	♦ K654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ	

Board: 58	♠ AQ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ AQ954	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 873	

Board: 59	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ54	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ	

Board: 60	♠ K842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ109	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K106	

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Board: 57
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ J10
♥ AJ865
♦ K654
♣ KQ

South:
♠ KQ84
♥ K97
♦ J10
♣ A432

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 58
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AQ97
♥ 3
♦ AQ954
♣ 873

South:
♠ K3
♥ A9754
♦ J
♣ AQ652

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 59
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ 52
♥ AQJ54
♦ QJ32
♣ KJ

South:
♠ KJ98
♥ 6
♦ AK97
♣ A854

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 60
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ K842
♥ 8
♦ AKQ109
♣ K106

South:
♠ A
♥ AKQ10653
♦ J5
♣ 932

West	North	East	South
	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♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. ♥ queen no ♠ king no ♣ king no ♦ king

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 57	♠ KQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K97	
Vul: NS	♦ J10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A432	

Board: 58	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9754	
Vul: None	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ652	

Board: 59	♠ KJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: Both	♦ AK97	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A854	

Board: 60	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ10653	
Vul: EW	♦ J5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 932	

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Board: 57
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ J10
♥ AJ865
♦ K654
♣ KQ

South:
♠ KQ84
♥ K97
♦ J10
♣ A432

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 58
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AQ97
♥ 3
♦ AQ954
♣ 873

South:
♠ K3
♥ A9754
♦ J
♣ AQ652

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 59
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ 52
♥ AQJ54
♦ QJ32
♣ KJ

South:
♠ KJ98
♥ 6
♦ AK97
♣ A854

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 60
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ K842
♥ 8
♦ AKQ109
♣ K106

South:
♠ A
♥ AKQ10653
♦ J5
♣ 932

West	North	East	South
	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♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. ♥ queen no ♠ king no ♣ king no ♦ king

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 61	♠ AQJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: EW	♦ A109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K754	

Board: 62	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK98	
Vul: Both	♦ K983	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ93	

Board: 63	♠ AQJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ84	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J43	

Board: 64	♠ KJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 94	
Vul: Both	♦ J10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK1097	

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Board: 61
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AQJ43
♥ 7
♦ A109
♣ K754

South:
♠ —
♥ AKJ3
♦ QJ632
♣ AJ83

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

Board: 62
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4N N

North:
♠ —
♥ AK98
♦ K983
♣ AQJ93

South:
♠ AKQ862
♥ 64
♦ J75
♣ K2

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 63
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AQJ53
♥ KQ84
♦ Q
♣ J43

South:
♠ K
♥ AJ3
♦ AJ754
♣ 9652

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 64
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ KJ76
♥ 94
♦ J10
♣ AK1097

South:
♠ 432
♥ AKQ52
♦ KQ86
♣ 2

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

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 61	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ632	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ83	

Board: 62	♠ AKQ862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 64	
Vul: Both	♦ J75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K2	

Board: 63	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ754	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9652	

Board: 64	♠ 432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ52	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 2	

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Board: 61
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AQJ43
♥ 7
♦ A109
♣ K754

South:
♠ —
♥ AKJ3
♦ QJ632
♣ AJ83

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

Board: 62
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4N N

North:
♠ —
♥ AK98
♦ K983
♣ AQJ93

South:
♠ AKQ862
♥ 64
♦ J75
♣ K2

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 63
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AQJ53
♥ KQ84
♦ Q
♣ J43

South:
♠ K
♥ AJ3
♦ AJ754
♣ 9652

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 64
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ KJ76
♥ 94
♦ J10
♣ AK1097

South:
♠ 432
♥ AKQ52
♦ KQ86
♣ 2

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 65	♠ QJ652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A743	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ	
Board: 66	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ1094	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A853	
Board: 67	♠ KJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ10863	
Vul: EW	♦ 74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	
Board: 68	♠ K1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ964	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ3	

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Board: 65
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ QJ652
 ♥ A743
 ♦ QJ
 ♣ KJ

South:
 ♠ 87
 ♥ KJ
 ♦ AK753
 ♣ Q1092

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 66
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ Q8
 ♥ K9
 ♦ AJ1094
 ♣ A853

South:
 ♠ AK1074
 ♥ J1062
 ♦ 7
 ♣ KQJ

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 67
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 5♦ S

North:
 ♠ KJ10
 ♥ KQJ10863
 ♦ 74
 ♣ A

South:
 ♠ AQ6
 ♥ 5
 ♦ AQJ82
 ♣ K732

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314

3. A=1/4 or 4/4

Board: 68
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ K1097
 ♥ Q
 ♦ QJ964
 ♣ AJ3

South:
 ♠ QJ
 ♥ KJ852
 ♦ A5
 ♣ K854

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

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 65	♠ 87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: NS	♦ AK753	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q1092	

Board: 66	♠ AK1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1062	
Vul: EW	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ	

Board: 67	♠ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ82	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K732	

Board: 68	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ852	
Vul: Both	♦ A5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K854	

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Board: 65
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ QJ652
 ♥ A743
 ♦ QJ
 ♣ KJ

South:
 ♠ 87
 ♥ KJ
 ♦ AK753
 ♣ Q1092

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 66
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ Q8
 ♥ K9
 ♦ AJ1094
 ♣ A853

South:
 ♠ AK1074
 ♥ J1062
 ♦ 7
 ♣ KQJ

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 67
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 5♦ S

North:
 ♠ KJ10
 ♥ KQJ10863
 ♦ 74
 ♣ A

South:
 ♠ AQ6
 ♥ 5
 ♦ AQJ82
 ♣ K732

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314

3. A=1/4 or 4/4

Board: 68
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ K1097
 ♥ Q
 ♦ QJ964
 ♣ AJ3

South:
 ♠ QJ
 ♥ KJ852
 ♦ A5
 ♣ K854

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 69	♠ 86543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: None	♦ KQ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ	

Board: 70	♠ 95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J4	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ103	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A743	

Board: 71	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 109865	
Vul: EW	♦ AK1032	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK10	

Board: 72	♠ K1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ62	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ3	

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Board: 69
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ 86543
♥ KJ
♦ KQ97
♣ KQ

South:
♠ AJ10
♥ AQ972
♦ J862
♣ A

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. no ♠ queen

Board: 70
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 95
♥ J4
♦ AQJ103
♣ A743

South:
♠ AKJ76
♥ 107
♦ K865
♣ K6

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 71
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ 109865
♦ AK1032
♣ AK10

South:
♠ AJ107
♥ KQ
♦ J4
♣ Q6542

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 72
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ K1095
♥ 10
♦ KQJ62
♣ QJ3

South:
♠ J4
♥ AQ862
♦ 10
♣ AK542

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

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 69	♠ AJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ972	
Vul: None	♦ J862	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	

Board: 70	♠ AKJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 107	
Vul: None	♦ K865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K6	

Board: 71	♠ AJ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: EW	♦ J4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q6542	

Board: 72	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ862	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK542	

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Board: 69
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ 86543
♥ KJ
♦ KQ97
♣ KQ

South:
♠ AJ10
♥ AQ972
♦ J862
♣ A

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. no ♠ queen

Board: 70
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 95
♥ J4
♦ AQJ103
♣ A743

South:
♠ AKJ76
♥ 107
♦ K865
♣ K6

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 71
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ 109865
♦ AK1032
♣ AK10

South:
♠ AJ107
♥ KQ
♦ J4
♣ Q6542

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 72
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ K1095
♥ 10
♦ KQJ62
♣ QJ3

South:
♠ J4
♥ AQ862
♦ 10
♣ AK542

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 73	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ6	
Vul: EW	♦ K5432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 875	

Board: 74	♠ KQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ974	

Board: 75	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ76	
Vul: Both	♦ J102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A954	

Board: 76	♠ A1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 954	
Vul: Both	♦ J2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ4	

Board: 77	♠ 9652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ98	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK82	

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Board: 73
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♣ S

North:
 ♠ Q
 ♥ AKJ6
 ♦ K5432
 ♣ 875

South:
 ♠ A1042
 ♥ Q109
 ♦ J
 ♣ AKQ104

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 74
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ KQJ9
 ♥ 82
 ♦ QJ
 ♣ KQ974

South:
 ♠ 1073
 ♥ AK973
 ♦ AK95
 ♣ 8

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 75
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ AKQ76
 ♦ J102
 ♣ A954

South:
 ♠ AKQ10
 ♥ J84
 ♦ 43
 ♣ K873

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 76
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ A1083
 ♥ 954
 ♦ J2
 ♣ AKJ4

South:
 ♠ K9
 ♥ QJ763
 ♦ AK43
 ♣ Q5

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 77
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ 9652
 ♥ AQJ98
 ♦ —
 ♣ AK82

South:
 ♠ AKJ
 ♥ 4
 ♦ K10975
 ♣ Q643

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

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 73	♠ A1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q109	
Vul: EW	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ104	

Board: 74	♠ 1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK973	
Vul: Both	♦ AK95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 8	

Board: 75	♠ AKQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J84	
Vul: Both	♦ 43	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K873	

Board: 76	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ763	
Vul: Both	♦ AK43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q5	

Board: 77	♠ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: None	♦ K10975	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q643	

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Board: 73
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♣ S

North:
♠ Q
♥ AKJ6
♦ K5432
♣ 875

South:
♠ A1042
♥ Q109
♦ J
♣ AKQ104

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 74
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ KQJ9
♥ 82
♦ QJ
♣ KQ974

South:
♠ 1073
♥ AK973
♦ AK95
♣ 8

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 75
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ 8
♥ AKQ76
♦ J102
♣ A954

South:
♠ AKQ10
♥ J84
♦ 43
♣ K873

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 76
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A1083
♥ 954
♦ J2
♣ AKJ4

South:
♠ K9
♥ QJ763
♦ AK43
♣ Q5

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 77
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 9652
♥ AQJ98
♦ —
♣ AK82

South:
♠ AKJ
♥ 4
♦ K10975
♣ Q643

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 78	♠ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: Both	♦ J10932	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 62	

Board: 79	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ9863	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 873	

Board: 80	♠ 62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9832	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ32	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ	

Board: 81	♠ AKQ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: Both	♦ A62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J632	

Board: 82	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10975	
Vul: NS	♦ A854	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ7	

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Board: 78
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AKJ3
 ♥ A2
 ♦ J10932
 ♣ 62

South:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ K9863
 ♦ AK5
 ♣ A1087

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 79
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ A4
 ♥ AKJ9863
 ♦ Q
 ♣ 873

South:
 ♠ Q1093
 ♥ 10
 ♦ A32
 ♣ AQ1065

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 80
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ 62
 ♥ Q9832
 ♦ AJ32
 ♣ AJ

South:
 ♠ AJ953
 ♥ AK4
 ♦ —
 ♣ Q9842

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 81
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AKQ65
 ♥ 9
 ♦ A62
 ♣ J632

South:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ AQJ74
 ♦ KJ97
 ♣ A85

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 82
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 2
 ♥ A10975
 ♦ A854
 ♣ AJ7

South:
 ♠ AKQJ7
 ♥ J
 ♦ J103
 ♣ Q964

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

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 78	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9863	
Vul: Both	♦ AK5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A1087	

Board: 79	♠ Q1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: NS	♦ A32	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ1065	

Board: 80	♠ AJ953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK4	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q9842	

Board: 81	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ74	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ97	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A85	

Board: 82	♠ AKQJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ J103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q964	

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Board: 78
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AKJ3
 ♥ A2
 ♦ J10932
 ♣ 62

South:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ K9863
 ♦ AK5
 ♣ A1087

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 79
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ A4
 ♥ AKJ9863
 ♦ Q
 ♣ 873

South:
 ♠ Q1093
 ♥ 10
 ♦ A32
 ♣ AQ1065

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 80
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ 62
 ♥ Q9832
 ♦ AJ32
 ♣ AJ

South:
 ♠ AJ953
 ♥ AK4
 ♦ —
 ♣ Q9842

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 81
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AKQ65
 ♥ 9
 ♦ A62
 ♣ J632

South:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ AQJ74
 ♦ KJ97
 ♣ A85

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 82
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 2
 ♥ A10975
 ♦ A854
 ♣ AJ7

South:
 ♠ AKQJ7
 ♥ J
 ♦ J103
 ♣ Q964

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 83	♠ Q9742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A8	

Board: 84	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1093	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ92	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ107	

Board: 85	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10862	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A94	

Board: 86	♠ AK84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1053	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J8	

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Board: 83
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ Q9742
♥ Q8
♦ AQ96
♣ A8

South:
♠ A
♥ AK95
♦ KJ87
♣ 10632

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 84
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 7
♥ K1093
♦ KQ92
♣ AJ107

South:
♠ KQ432
♥ A864
♦ 43
♣ KQ

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 85
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 4
♥ A10862
♦ AQ92
♣ A94

South:
♠ KQ109
♥ K7
♦ K83
♣ K732

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ AK84
♥ 1053
♦ KQJ9
♣ J8

South:
♠ J6
♥ AQJ84
♦ 3
♣ AQ1075

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 83	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK95	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ87	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 10632	

Board: 84	♠ KQ432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A864	
Vul: Both	♦ 43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ	

Board: 85	♠ KQ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	
Vul: EW	♦ K83	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K732	

Board: 86	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ84	
Vul: EW	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ1075	

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Board: 83
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ Q9742
♥ Q8
♦ AQ96
♣ A8

South:
♠ A
♥ AK95
♦ KJ87
♣ 10632

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 84
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 7
♥ K1093
♦ KQ92
♣ AJ107

South:
♠ KQ432
♥ A864
♦ 43
♣ KQ

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 85
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 4
♥ A10862
♦ AQ92
♣ A94

South:
♠ KQ109
♥ K7
♦ K83
♣ K732

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ AK84
♥ 1053
♦ KQJ9
♣ J8

South:
♠ J6
♥ AQJ84
♦ 3
♣ AQ1075

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 87	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1075	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q974	

Board: 88	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ103	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 843	

Board: 89	♠ 1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK974	
Vul: None	♦ AK75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 9	

Board: 90	♠ Q1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ J63	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ72	

Board: 91	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ85	
Vul: None	♦ Q1096	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A852	

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Board: 87
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ AK1075
 ♦ AJ5
 ♣ Q974

South:
 ♠ KJ106
 ♥ Q4
 ♦ KQ
 ♣ J8532

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 88
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ AQJ103
 ♦ AQJ4
 ♣ 843

South:
 ♠ A10964
 ♥ —
 ♦ 976
 ♣ AKQJ6

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 89
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ 1085
 ♥ AK974
 ♦ AK75
 ♣ 9

South:
 ♠ AK63
 ♥ J10
 ♦ Q983
 ♣ Q75

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 90
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ Q1054
 ♥ A
 ♦ J63
 ♣ KQJ72

South:
 ♠ —
 ♥ QJ1072
 ♦ AK75
 ♣ A953

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 91
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AKJ85
♦ Q1096
♣ A852

South:
♠ AK108
♥ Q64
♦ K7532
♣ Q

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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Board: 87	♠ KJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q4	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J8532	

Board: 88	♠ A10964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ 976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQJ6	

Board: 89	♠ AK63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: None	♦ Q983	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q75	

Board: 90	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ1072	
Vul: NS	♦ AK75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A953	

Board: 91	♠ AK108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q64	
Vul: None	♦ K7532	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

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Board: 87
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ AK1075
 ♦ AJ5
 ♣ Q974

South:
 ♠ KJ106
 ♥ Q4
 ♦ KQ
 ♣ J8532

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 88
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ AQJ103
 ♦ AQJ4
 ♣ 843

South:
 ♠ A10964
 ♥ —
 ♦ 976
 ♣ AKQJ6

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 89
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ 1085
 ♥ AK974
 ♦ AK75
 ♣ 9

South:
 ♠ AK63
 ♥ J10
 ♦ Q983
 ♣ Q75

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 90
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ Q1054
 ♥ A
 ♦ J63
 ♣ KQJ72

South:
 ♠ —
 ♥ QJ1072
 ♦ AK75
 ♣ A953

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 91
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♥ N

North:
♠ —
♥ AKJ85
♦ Q1096
♣ A852

South:
♠ AK108
♥ Q64
♦ K7532
♣ Q

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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Board: 92	♠ J876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ865	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K7	

Board: 93	♠ AK104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ985	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ10	

Board: 94	♠ AK52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A543	
Vul: Both	♦ 6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J1052	

Board: 95	♠ KQJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 32	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K5	

Board: 96	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10542	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q96	

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Board: 92
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ J876
 ♥ KJ
 ♦ AJ865
 ♣ K7

South:
 ♠ AK105
 ♥ A10432
 ♦ 92
 ♣ A3

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 93
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ AK104
 ♥ QJ985
 ♦ 6
 ♣ AJ10

South:
 ♠ Q763
 ♥ A4
 ♦ KQ972
 ♣ Q4

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 94
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AK52
 ♥ A543
 ♦ 6
 ♣ J1052

South:
 ♠ J97
 ♥ QJ7
 ♦ AQJ1084
 ♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 95
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ KQJ106
 ♥ 32
 ♦ AJ72
 ♣ K5

South:
 ♠ A8
 ♥ AJ1095
 ♦ 93
 ♣ A1097

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 96
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A
 ♥ Q10542
 ♦ AJ94
 ♣ Q96

South:
 ♠ KQ743
 ♥ A7
 ♦ 10
 ♣ AJ832

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣ ¹
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			

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Board: 92	♠ AK105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10432	
Vul: NS	♦ 92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A3	

Board: 93	♠ Q763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: None	♦ KQ972	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q4	

Board: 94	♠ J97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

Board: 95	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ1095	
Vul: EW	♦ 93	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1097	

Board: 96	♠ KQ743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ832	

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Board: 92
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ J876
 ♥ KJ
 ♦ AJ865
 ♣ K7

South:
 ♠ AK105
 ♥ A10432
 ♦ 92
 ♣ A3

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♠
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 93
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ AK104
 ♥ QJ985
 ♦ 6
 ♣ AJ10

South:
 ♠ Q763
 ♥ A4
 ♦ KQ972
 ♣ Q4

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	4♠	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 94
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AK52
 ♥ A543
 ♦ 6
 ♣ J1052

South:
 ♠ J97
 ♥ QJ7
 ♦ AQJ1084
 ♣ A

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 95
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ KQJ106
 ♥ 32
 ♦ AJ72
 ♣ K5

South:
 ♠ A8
 ♥ AJ1095
 ♦ 93
 ♣ A1097

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 96
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A
 ♥ Q10542
 ♦ AJ94
 ♣ Q96

South:
 ♠ KQ743
 ♥ A7
 ♦ 10
 ♣ AJ832

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 97	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9543	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK763	

Board: 98	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ106	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ76	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q983	

Board: 99	♠ A852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ1074	
Vul: EW	♦ A53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

Board: 100	♠ 542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ AK1032	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1076	

Board: 101	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q7532	
Vul: None	♦ A92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKJ5	

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Board: 97
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ Q6
 ♥ Q9543
 ♦ A
 ♣ AK763

South:
 ♠ AK87
 ♥ KJ
 ♦ K975
 ♣ 852

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 98
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:
 ♠ 9
 ♥ AJ106
 ♦ AQ76
 ♣ Q983

South:
 ♠ KQ843
 ♥ Q8
 ♦ 2
 ♣ AK1062

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 99
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ A852
 ♥ AJ1074
 ♦ A53
 ♣ Q

South:
 ♠ KQJ6
 ♥ KQ
 ♦ 10962
 ♣ J32

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	4♠	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 100
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ 542
 ♥ Q
 ♦ AK1032
 ♣ A1076

South:
 ♠ KJ
 ♥ AK1032
 ♦ Q7
 ♣ J942

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 101

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 3

♥ Q7532

♦ A92

♣ AKJ5

South:

♠ KQ42

♥ AJ10

♦ Q874

♣ Q7

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force

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Board: 97	♠ AK87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: None	♦ K975	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 852	

Board: 98	♠ KQ843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: Both	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK1062	

Board: 99	♠ KQJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: EW	♦ 10962	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J32	

Board: 100	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1032	
Vul: Both	♦ Q7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J942	

Board: 101	♠ KQ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10	
Vul: None	♦ Q874	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q7	

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Board: 97
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ Q6
 ♥ Q9543
 ♦ A
 ♣ AK763

South:
 ♠ AK87
 ♥ KJ
 ♦ K975
 ♣ 852

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 98
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:
 ♠ 9
 ♥ AJ106
 ♦ AQ76
 ♣ Q983

South:
 ♠ KQ843
 ♥ Q8
 ♦ 2
 ♣ AK1062

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 99
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ A852
 ♥ AJ1074
 ♦ A53
 ♣ Q

South:
 ♠ KQJ6
 ♥ KQ
 ♦ 10962
 ♣ J32

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	4♠	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 100
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ 542
 ♥ Q
 ♦ AK1032
 ♣ A1076

South:
 ♠ KJ
 ♥ AK1032
 ♦ Q7
 ♣ J942

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 101

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 3

♥ Q7532

♦ A92

♣ AKJ5

South:

♠ KQ42

♥ AJ10

♦ Q874

♣ Q7

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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Board: 102	♠ KJ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q95	
Vul: Both	♦ Q7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ63	

Board: 103	♠ AQ1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ53	
Vul: NS	♦ 87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

Board: 104	♠ A953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 974	
Vul: EW	♦ K9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ4	

Board: 105	♠ A7543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A105	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J	

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Board: 102
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:	South:
♠ KJ105	♠ 72
♥ Q95	♥ AK1074
♦ Q7	♦ AK1098
♣ AQ63	♣ 8

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 103
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:	South:
♠ AQ1063	♠ J
♥ AQJ53	♥ K64
♦ 87	♦ AK1054
♣ Q	♣ AJ52

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 104
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♥ S

North:	South:
♠ A953	♠ Q6
♥ 974	♥ AQJ62
♦ K9	♦ AJ743
♣ AQJ4	♣ 6

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠ ³
Pass	6♥	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 105
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♥ S

North:	South:
♠ A7543	♠ K9
♥ A105	♥ KQ742
♦ AQ108	♦ K964
♣ J	♣ A6

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
Pass	6♥	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			

South hands (Practice Page)

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Board: 102	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1074	
Vul: Both	♦ AK1098	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 8	
Board: 103	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K64	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1054	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ52	
Board: 104	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ62	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 6	
Board: 105	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ742	
Vul: Both	♦ K964	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A6	

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Board: 102
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:	South:
♠ KJ105	♠ 72
♥ Q95	♥ AK1074
♦ Q7	♦ AK1098
♣ AQ63	♣ 8

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 103
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:	South:
♠ AQ1063	♠ J
♥ AQJ53	♥ K64
♦ 87	♦ AK1054
♣ Q	♣ AJ52

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♠ ³	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 104
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♥ S

North:	South:
♠ A953	♠ Q6
♥ 974	♥ AQJ62
♦ K9	♦ AJ743
♣ AQJ4	♣ 6

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠ ³
Pass	6♥	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1			

Board: 105
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♥ S

North:	South:
♠ A7543	♠ K9
♥ A105	♥ KQ742
♦ AQ108	♦ K964
♣ J	♣ A6

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
Pass	6♥	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			

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Board: 106	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ94	
Vul: None	♦ AK98	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10654	
Board: 107	♠ KQJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: None	♦ AJ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K107	
Board: 108	♠ A54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10963	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK74	
Board: 109	♠ AQJ9743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: EW	♦ Q64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 7	
Board: 110	♠ KJ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 43	
Vul: None	♦ KQ872	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K3	

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Board: 106
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ AQ94
 ♦ AK98
 ♣ 10654

South:
 ♠ A10952
 ♥ 82
 ♦ J5
 ♣ AKQ7

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 107
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ KQJ43
 ♥ 9
 ♦ AJ104
 ♣ K107

South:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ AKQJ8
 ♦ 8762
 ♣ A94

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 108
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♠ S

North:
 ♠ A54
 ♥ K10963
 ♦ 8
 ♣ AK74

South:
 ♠ KJ1082
 ♥ A85
 ♦ KJ107
 ♣ Q

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

1. Fourth suit game force
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

Board: 109
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ AQJ9743
 ♥ AJ
 ♦ Q64
 ♣ 7

South:
 ♠ K
 ♥ Q73
 ♦ A1073
 ♣ AKJ98

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 110

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ KJ73

♥ 43

♦ KQ872

♣ K3

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ AQ1096

♦ 9

♣ Q1042

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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Board: 106	♠ A10952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	
Vul: None	♦ J5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ7	

Board: 107	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ8	
Vul: None	♦ 8762	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A94	

Board: 108	♠ KJ1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A85	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

Board: 109	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q73	
Vul: EW	♦ A1073	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ98	

Board: 110	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ1096	
Vul: None	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q1042	

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Board: 106
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 8
 ♥ AQ94
 ♦ AK98
 ♣ 10654

South:
 ♠ A10952
 ♥ 82
 ♦ J5
 ♣ AKQ7

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ ¹
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 107
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ KQJ43
 ♥ 9
 ♦ AJ104
 ♣ K107

South:
 ♠ 7
 ♥ AKQJ8
 ♦ 8762
 ♣ A94

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 108
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 5♠ S

North:
 ♠ A54
 ♥ K10963
 ♦ 8
 ♣ AK74

South:
 ♠ KJ1082
 ♥ A85
 ♦ KJ107
 ♣ Q

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥ ³
Pass	5♠	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			

Board: 109
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ AQJ9743
 ♥ AJ
 ♦ Q64
 ♣ 7

South:
 ♠ K
 ♥ Q73
 ♦ A1073
 ♣ AKJ98

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 110

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ KJ73

♥ 43

♦ KQ872

♣ K3

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ AQ1096

♦ 9

♣ Q1042

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ ¹
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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Board: 111	♠ AKQ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 76	
Vul: EW	♦ K2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q642	
Board: 112	♠ 542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ864	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ65	
Board: 113	♠ Q	East Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK953	
Vul: EW	♦ J983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ8	
Board: 114	♠ AK53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J107	
Vul: Both	♦ 75	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ98	
Board: 115	♠ AJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ764	
Vul: NS	♦ K9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K9	

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Board: 111
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AKQ82
 ♥ 76
 ♦ K2
 ♣ Q642

South:
 ♠ 9
 ♥ AKQ84
 ♦ A986
 ♣ 1073

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 112
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ 542
 ♥ Q
 ♦ KJ864
 ♣ AQ65

South:
 ♠ AQ106
 ♥ K7653
 ♦ Q52
 ♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 113
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ Q
 ♥ AK953
 ♦ J983
 ♣ KJ8

South:
 ♠ AK65
 ♥ Q87
 ♦ A10764
 ♣ Q

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣ ¹	X	2♥
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

Board: 114
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ AK53
 ♥ J107
 ♦ 75
 ♣ KQ98

South:
 ♠ 42
 ♥ KQ964
 ♦ AKQ4
 ♣ 53

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 115

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AJ53

♥ KJ764

♦ K9

♣ K9

South:

♠ K1074

♥ Q

♦ A10654

♣ QJ4

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 111	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ84	
Vul: EW	♦ A986	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1073	
Board: 112	♠ AQ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K7653	
Vul: EW	♦ Q52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K	
Board: 113	♠ AK65	East Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q87	
Vul: EW	♦ A10764	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	
Board: 114	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ964	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 53	
Board: 115	♠ K1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ A10654	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ4	

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Board: 111
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AKQ82
 ♥ 76
 ♦ K2
 ♣ Q642

South:
 ♠ 9
 ♥ AKQ84
 ♦ A986
 ♣ 1073

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 112
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ 542
 ♥ Q
 ♦ KJ864
 ♣ AQ65

South:
 ♠ AQ106
 ♥ K7653
 ♦ Q52
 ♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 113
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ Q
 ♥ AK953
 ♦ J983
 ♣ KJ8

South:
 ♠ AK65
 ♥ Q87
 ♦ A10764
 ♣ Q

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣ ¹	X	2♥
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0			

Board: 114
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ AK53
 ♥ J107
 ♦ 75
 ♣ KQ98

South:
 ♠ 42
 ♥ KQ964
 ♦ AKQ4
 ♣ 53

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 115

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AJ53

♥ KJ764

♦ K9

♣ K9

South:

♠ K1074

♥ Q

♦ A10654

♣ QJ4

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 116	♠ KQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: Both	♦ Q98	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10982	

Board: 117	♠ QJ1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ2	

Board: 118	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ6	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ754	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10643	

Board: 119	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1062	
Vul: None	♦ 9863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A5	

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Board: 116
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ KQ63
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ Q98
 ♣ 10982

South:
 ♠ A
 ♥ J10974
 ♦ J52
 ♣ AKQ6

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 117
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ QJ1097
 ♥ K
 ♦ QJ76
 ♣ AQ2

South:
 ♠ A2
 ♥ AQ1065
 ♦ A1083
 ♣ 86

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 118
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ A
 ♥ KJ6
 ♦ AQ754
 ♣ 10643

South:
 ♠ QJ65
 ♥ A10985
 ♦ K
 ♣ AJ5

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 119
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♥ N

North:
 ♠ QJ
 ♥ AK1062
 ♦ 9863
 ♣ A5

South:
 ♠ AK64
 ♥ J73
 ♦ J
 ♣ K7632

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	5♦
Pass	5♥ ⁴	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			
4. no ♥ queen			

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Board: 116	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10974	
Vul: Both	♦ J52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ6	

Board: 117	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1065	
Vul: EW	♦ A1083	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 86	

Board: 118	♠ QJ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10985	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ5	

Board: 119	♠ AK64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J73	
Vul: None	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K7632	

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Board: 116
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ KQ63
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ Q98
 ♣ 10982

South:
 ♠ A
 ♥ J10974
 ♦ J52
 ♣ AKQ6

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 117
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ QJ1097
 ♥ K
 ♦ QJ76
 ♣ AQ2

South:
 ♠ A2
 ♥ AQ1065
 ♦ A1083
 ♣ 86

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 118
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ A
 ♥ KJ6
 ♦ AQ754
 ♣ 10643

South:
 ♠ QJ65
 ♥ A10985
 ♦ K
 ♣ AJ5

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 119
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 5♥ N

North:
 ♠ QJ
 ♥ AK1062
 ♦ 9863
 ♣ A5

South:
 ♠ AK64
 ♥ J73
 ♦ J
 ♣ K7632

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♣ ³	Pass	5♦
Pass	5♥ ⁴	AP	
1. Fourth suit game force			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
3. A=0/5 or 3/5			
4. no ♥ queen			