

**Deal 1**

North Deals	♠ Q 6 3
None Vul	♥ Q 10 9 2
	♦ A 7 6
	♣ A K 3
♠ 9 5 4	♠ J 10 8
♥ 7 5 3	♥ K 4
♦ K Q J 8	♦ 10 9 4 2
♣ J 6 2	♣ Q 9 7 5



15	♠ A K 7 2
7 6	♥ A J 8 6
12	♦ 5 3
	♣ 10 8 4

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
	1 NT	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♥ by North			

SOUTH has four cards in each Major suit  
- this is an ideal situation for Stayman.

NORTH shows a

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suit and SOUTH immediately bids game  
in that suit.

**Deal 2**East Deals  
None Vul

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

5  
 6 21  
 8

♠ J 10 5  
 ♥ 10 5  
 ♦ 9 8 4  
 ♣ K J 9 7 3

N  
 W E  
 S

♠ A Q 8 2  
 ♥ A Q 3  
 ♦ K 10 6 2  
 ♣ A Q

6 3  
 ♥ J 9 7 4  
 ♦ A Q J 5  
 ♣ 10 4 2

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
		2 NT	Pass
3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass
4 ♣ by East			

Stayman convention works just fine after a 2 NT opening, just at a higher level.

WEST knows that 6 points will be enough for game opposite EAST's 20-21, she just needs to find out if there is a 4-4 Major suit fit. There is, in  $\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}$  s.

**Deal 3**  
 South Deals  
 None Vul

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

9  
 8 7  
 16

	N	
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♠ Q 9 8 7 4  
 ♥ A J 10 8 3  
 ♦ Q 6  
 ♣ 5

♠ 5 2  
 ♥ Q 6 5 2  
 ♦ K J 10 4  
 ♣ J 4 2

West	North	East	South
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by South			

NORTH has five cards in each Major and SOUTH opens 1 NT.

First NORTH bids 2

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, indicating a 5-card â™ suit with the Transfer bid.

Then, after SOUTH bids the obligatory 2â™, NORTH jumps to 4

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, promising

enough strength for game, and also five

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s to go with the five â™ s.

SOUTH prefers â™ s, so she corrects the contract to 4â™ .

**Deal 4**West Deals  
None Vul

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

8  
 15 11  
 6

♠ 8 3  
 ♥ A 10 9 4 3  
 ♦ Q J 7  
 ♣ J 5 2

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 10 7  
 ♥ J 5  
 ♦ 10 9 6 4  
 ♣ A 10 9 3

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
1 NT	Pass	2 ♥	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	3 NT	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
4 ♠ by West			

With 12 points and five ♠'s, when EAST hears her partner open 1 NT she knows

there is a game - either 3 NT or 4♦.

EAST first transfers WEST to ♠'s, then jumps to 3 NT, giving WEST the choice.

WEST has three ♠'s, so he chooses 4♦, taking the 8-card Major fit.

**Deal 5**

North Deals	♠ K 8 6
None Vul	♥ A 9 3
	♦ K Q 8
	♣ A K J 2
♠ Q J 3	♠ A 10 9 5 2
♥ 10 6	♥ 8
♦ J 7 6 4 3	♦ 10 5
♣ Q 4 3	♣ 10 8 7 6 5

♠ 7 4  
 20  
 6 4  
 10  
 ♣ 9

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

6 ♥ by North



After NORTH opens 2 NT, SOUTH is pretty sure there will be a slam in

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s.

But, the contract should be played from the NORTH side so the opening lead doesn't go through any vulnerable

â™ holding NORTH might have.

SOUTH transfers NORTH to

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s, then uses Blackwood to be sure they aren't

off two Aces. Missing one Ace he settles

for 6

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**Deal 6**East Deals  
None Vul

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

8  
 9 15  
 8

*West*  
 2♣  
 2 NT  
 2 NT by East

♠ Q J 7 4 2  
 ♥ 10 6 2  
 ♦ J 10 3  
 ♣ A 8

N  
 W E  
 S

♠ A 6  
 ♥ K J 5 3  
 ♦ A 6 5 4  
 ♣ K 10 7

♠ 10 3  
 ♥ A 9 8 4  
 ♦ Q 9 2  
 ♣ Q 4 3 2

*North*      *East*      *South*  
 Pass      1 NT      Pass  
 Pass      Pass      Pass

WEST has an invitational hand, (9 points), after EAST's 1 NT opening.

With a 4-card â™ suit she uses Stayman.

EAST then shows his 4-card

â™Y

suit.

With no

â™Y

fit, WEST can only invite with 2 NT, an invitation which

EAST declines.

**Deal 7**

South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ Q 6 3

♥ Q 10 9 2

♦ A 7 6

♣ A K 3

♠ 9 5 4

♥ 7 5 3

♦ K Q J 8

♣ J 6 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ J 10 8

♥ K 4

♦ 10 9 4 2

♣ Q 9 7 5

♠ A K 7 2

♥ A J 8 6

♦ 5 3

♣ 10 8 4

**15**  
**7 6**  
**12**

**Deal 8**

West Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 5

♥ 10 5

♦ 9 8 4

♣ K J 9 7 3

♠ K 9 7 4

♥ K 8 6 2

♦ 7 3

♣ 8 6 5

N  
W E  
S

♠ A Q 8 2

♥ A Q 3

♦ K 10 6 2

♣ A Q

♠ 6 3

♥ J 9 7 4

♦ A Q J 5

♣ 10 4 2

5  
6 21  
8

**Deal 9**

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 8 7 4

♥ A J 10 8 3

♦ Q 6

♣ 5

♠ K 6 3

♥ 7 4

♦ 9 5 3

♣ K Q 8 7 3



♠ 5 2

♥ Q 6 5 2

♦ K J 10 4

♣ J 4 2

♠ A J 10

♥ K 9

♦ A 8 7 2

♣ A 10 9 6

9  
8 7  
16

**Deal 10**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 3

♥ A 10 9 4 3

♦ Q J 7

♣ J 5 2

♠ A 9 6

♥ K Q 6 2

♦ K 5 3 2

♣ K 8

N  
W E  
S

♠ K Q 5 4 2

♥ 8 7

♦ A 8

♣ Q 7 6 4

♠ J 10 7

♥ J 5

♦ 10 9 6 4

♣ A 10 9 3

8  
15 11  
6

**Deal 11**      ♠ K 8 6  
South Deals    ♥ A 9 3  
None Vul        ♦ K Q 8  
                  ♣ A K J 2  
  
♠ Q J 3        ♠ A 10 9 5 2  
♥ 10 6         ♥ 8  
♦ J 7 6 4 3    ♦ 10 5  
♣ Q 4 3        ♣ 10 8 7 6 5

N  
W   E  
S

20  
6 4  
10  
♠ 7 4  
♥ K Q J 7 5 4 2  
♦ A 9 2  
♣ 9

**Deal 12**West Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ Q J 7 4 2

♥ 10 6 2

♦ J 10 3

♣ A 8

♠ K 9 8 5

♥ Q 7

♦ K 8 7

♣ J 9 6 5

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 6

♥ K J 5 3

♦ A 6 5 4

♣ K 10 7

♠ 10 3

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ Q 9 2

♣ Q 4 3 2

8  
9 15  
8

**Deal 13**

North Deals  
Both Vul

♠ Q 6 3  
♥ Q 10 9 2  
♦ A 7 6  
♣ A K 3

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



♠ J 10 8  
♥ K 4  
♦ 10 9 4 2  
♣ Q 9 7 5

♠ A K 7 2  
♥ A J 8 6  
♦ 5 3  
♣ 10 8 4

**15**  
**7 6**  
**12**

**Deal 14**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 7 4

♥ K 8 6 2

♦ 7 3

♣ 8 6 5

♠ J 10 5

♥ 10 5

♦ 9 8 4

♣ K J 9 7 3

W N E  
S

♠ A Q 8 2

♥ A Q 3

♦ K 10 6 2

♣ A Q

♠ 6 3

♥ J 9 7 4

♦ A Q J 5

♣ 10 4 2

5  
6 21  
8

**Deal 15**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 8 7 4

♥ A J 10 8 3

♦ Q 6

♣ 5

♠ K 6 3

♥ 7 4

♦ 9 5 3

♣ K Q 8 7 3



♠ 5 2

♥ Q 6 5 2

♦ K J 10 4

♣ J 4 2

♠ A J 10

♥ K 9

♦ A 8 7 2

♣ A 10 9 6

9  
8  
16

7

**Deal 16**

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 3

♥ A 10 9 4 3

♦ Q J 7

♣ J 5 2

♠ A 9 6

♥ K Q 6 2

♦ K 5 3 2

♣ K 8

N  
W E  
S

♠ K Q 5 4 2

♥ 8 7

♦ A 8

♣ Q 7 6 4

♠ J 10 7

♥ J 5

♦ 10 9 6 4

♣ A 10 9 3

8  
15 11  
6

**Deal 17**

North Deals    ♠ K 8 6  
None Vul      ♥ A 9 3  
                  ♦ K Q 8  
                  ♣ A K J 2  
  
♠ Q J 3      ♠ A 10 9 5 2  
♥ 10 6      ♥ 8  
♦ J 7 6 4 3    ♦ 10 5  
♣ Q 4 3      ♣ 10 8 7 6 5



20  
6 4  
10  
♠ 7 4  
♥ K Q J 7 5 4 2  
♦ A 9 2  
♣ 9

**Deal 18**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 7 4 2

♥ 10 6 2

♦ J 10 3

♣ A 8

♠ K 9 8 5

♥ Q 7

♦ K 8 7

♣ J 9 6 5

W N E S

♠ A 6

♥ K J 5 3

♦ A 6 5 4

♣ K 10 7

♠ 10 3

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ Q 9 2

♣ Q 4 3 2

8  
9 15  
8

**Deal 19**

South Deals  
E-W Vul  
**♠ 9 5 4**  
**♥ 7 5 3**  
**♦ K Q J 8**  
**♣ J 6 2**



**♠ Q 6 3**  
**♥ Q 10 9 2**  
**♦ A 7 6**  
**♣ A K 3**  
**♠ J 10 8**  
**♥ K 4**  
**♦ 10 9 4 2**  
**♣ Q 9 7 5**  
**♠ A K 7 2**  
**♥ A J 8 6**  
**♦ 5 3**  
**♣ 10 8 4**

**15**  
**7 6**  
**12**

**Deal 20**      ♠ J 10 5  
West Deals      ♥ 10 5  
Both Vul      ♦ 9 8 4  
                  ♣ K J 9 7 3  
  
♠ K 9 7 4      ♠ A Q 8 2  
♥ K 8 6 2      ♥ A Q 3  
♦ 7 3      ♦ K 10 6 2  
♣ 8 6 5      ♣ A Q  
  
      ♠ 6 3  
      5  
      6 21  
      8      ♠ 10 4 2  
      ♦ A Q J 5  
      ♦ J 9 7 4

N  
W E  
S

**Deal 21**

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 8 7 4

♥ A J 10 8 3

♦ Q 6

♣ 5

♠ K 6 3

♥ 7 4

♦ 9 5 3

♣ K Q 8 7 3



♠ 5 2

♥ Q 6 5 2

♦ K J 10 4

♣ J 4 2

♠ A J 10

♥ K 9

♦ A 8 7 2

♣ A 10 9 6

**9**  
**8**  
**16** 7

**Deal 22**East Deals  
E-W Vul

♦ J 5 2

♠ A 9 6  
♥ K Q 6 2  
♦ K 5 3 2  
♣ K 88  
15 11  
6N  
W E  
S♠ 8 3  
♥ A 10 9 4 3  
♦ Q J 7  
♣ J 5 2♠ K Q 5 4 2  
♥ 8 7  
♦ A 8  
♣ Q 7 6 4♠ J 10 7  
♥ J 5  
♦ 10 9 6 4  
♣ A 10 9 3

**Deal 23**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ Q J 3  
♥ 10 6  
♦ J 7 6 4 3  
♣ Q 4 3

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 10 9 5 2  
♥ 8  
♦ 10 5  
♣ 10 8 7 6 5

20  
6 4  
10  
♠ 7 4  
♥ K Q J 7 5 4 2  
♦ A 9 2  
♣ 9

**Deal 24**

West Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 7 4 2

♥ 10 6 2

♦ J 10 3

♣ A 8

♠ K 9 8 5

♥ Q 7

♦ K 8 7

♣ J 9 6 5



♠ A 6

♥ K J 5 3

♦ A 6 5 4

♣ K 10 7

♠ 10 3

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ Q 9 2

♣ Q 4 3 2

**Deal 25**      ♠ Q 6 3  
North Deals      ♥ Q 10 9 2  
E-W Vul      ♦ A 7 6  
                  ♣ A K 3  
  
♠ 9 5 4      ♠ J 10 8  
♥ 7 5 3      ♥ K 4  
♦ K Q J 8      ♦ 10 9 4 2  
♣ J 6 2      ♣ Q 9 7 5  
  
    15  
    7   6  
    12

N  
W     E  
S

♠ A K 7 2  
♥ A J 8 6  
♦ 5 3  
♣ 10 8 4

**Deal 26**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 5  
♥ 10 5  
♦ 9 8 4  
♣ K J 9 7 3

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

5  
6 21  
8

N  
W E  
S

♠ A Q 8 2  
♥ A Q 3  
♦ K 10 6 2  
♣ A Q

♠ 6 3  
♥ J 9 7 4  
♦ A Q J 5  
♣ 10 4 2

**Deal 27**South Deals  
None Vul

♠ Q 9 8 7 4

♥ A J 10 8 3

♦ Q 6

♣ 5

♠ K 6 3

♥ 7 4

♦ 9 5 3

♣ K Q 8 7 3



♠ 5 2

♥ Q 6 5 2

♦ K J 10 4

♣ J 4 2

♠ A J 10

♥ K 9

♦ A 8 7 2

8 9

16 7

♣ A 10 9 6

**Deal 28**

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 3

♥ A 10 9 4 3

♦ Q J 7

♣ J 5 2

♠ A 9 6

♥ K Q 6 2

♦ K 5 3 2

♣ K 8

N  
W E  
S

♠ K Q 5 4 2

♥ 8 7

♦ A 8

♣ Q 7 6 4

♠ J 10 7

♥ J 5

♦ 10 9 6 4

♣ A 10 9 3

8  
15 11  
6

**Deal 29**      ♠ K 8 6  
North Deals    ♥ A 9 3  
Both Vul        ♦ K Q 8  
                  ♣ A K J 2

♠ Q J 3  
♥ 10 6  
♦ J 7 6 4 3  
♣ Q 4 3

**20**  
**6 4**  
**10**

N  
W   E  
S

♠ A 10 9 5 2  
♥ 8  
♦ 10 5  
♣ 10 8 7 6 5

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

**Deal 30**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 7 4 2

♥ 10 6 2

♦ J 10 3

♣ A 8

♠ K 9 8 5

♥ Q 7

♦ K 8 7

♣ J 9 6 5

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 6

♥ K J 5 3

♦ A 6 5 4

♣ K 10 7

♠ 10 3

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ Q 9 2

♣ Q 4 3 2

8  
9 15  
8

**Deal 31**

South Deals  
N-S Vul

♠ Q 6 3  
♥ Q 10 9 2  
♦ A 7 6  
♣ A K 3

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



♠ J 10 8  
♥ K 4  
♦ 10 9 4 2  
♣ Q 9 7 5

15  
7 6  
12

♠ A K 7 2  
♥ A J 8 6  
♦ 5 3  
♣ 10 8 4

**Deal 32**      ♠ J 10 5  
West Deals      ♥ 10 5  
E-W Vul      ♦ 9 8 4  
                  ♣ K J 9 7 3  
  
♠ K 9 7 4      ♠ A Q 8 2  
♥ K 8 6 2      ♥ A Q 3  
♦ 7 3      ♦ K 10 6 2  
♣ 8 6 5      ♣ A Q  
  
      ♠ 6 3  
      5  
      6 21  
      8      ♠ 10 4 2  
      ♦ A Q J 5  
      ♣

N  
W E  
S

**Deal 33**

North Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 8 7 4

♥ A J 10 8 3

♦ Q 6

♣ 5

♠ K 6 3

♥ 7 4

♦ 9 5 3

♣ K Q 8 7 3



♠ 5 2

♥ Q 6 5 2

♦ K J 10 4

♣ J 4 2

♠ A J 10

♥ K 9

♦ A 8 7 2

♣ A 10 9 6

9  
8  
16 7

**Deal 34**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 6

♥ K Q 6 2

♦ K 5 3 2

♣ K 8

8  
15 11  
6

♠ 8 3  
♥ A 10 9 4 3  
♦ Q J 7  
♣ J 5 2

N  
W E  
S

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

♠ J 10 7  
♥ J 5  
♦ 10 9 6 4  
♣ A 10 9 3

**Deal 35**      ♠ K 8 6  
South Deals    ♥ A 9 3  
E-W Vul        ♦ K Q 8  
                  ♣ A K J 2

♠ Q J 3                      ♠ A 10 9 5 2  
♥ 10 6                      ♥ 8  
♦ J 7 6 4 3              ♦ 10 5  
♣ Q 4 3                      ♣ 10 8 7 6 5

N  
W     E  
S

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

**20**  
**6 4**  
**10**

**Deal 36**

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 7 4 2

♥ 10 6 2

♦ J 10 3

♣ A 8

♠ K 9 8 5

♥ Q 7

♦ K 8 7

♣ J 9 6 5

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 6

♥ K J 5 3

♦ A 6 5 4

♣ K 10 7

♠ 10 3

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ Q 9 2

♣ Q 4 3 2

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9 15  
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