

**Deal 1**South Deals  
None Vul

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

**16**  
**1** **0**  
**23**



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

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

♠ A K 3  
♥ K Q 10  
♦ A J 2  
♣ K Q J 10

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
			2 ♣

Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass

Pass  
7 NT by North

Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

It's like a Bridge fantasy come true. But don't go crazy, wait to see what kind of hand partner has. Remember, anything you say will be forcing. So you answer 2 NT and he bids 3 NT. What is your next bid?

Hmmm, 22-24 points added to your 16 comes to 38-40 points. Looking apologetically at your poor opponents you bid 7 NT.

**Deal 2**  
South Deals  
None Vul

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

6  
6 5  
23

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

N  
W E  
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♠ J 10 9 7 2  
♥ J 4 3  
♦ K 10 2  
♣ 8 7

♠ A K  
♥ A K 10 8 6  
♦ 7 5  
♣ A K Q 6

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
			2 ♣
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	6 ♥
ALL	Pass		
6 ♥ by South			

Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

Your 7 points isn't enough for a Positive response so you respond 2 ♦. Partner now bids 2 ♥. What is your bid?

You let partner know of your good support by bidding 3 ♥, which is a stronger bid than 4 ♥ would be. Partner now bids 4 ♣. What do you say?

Partner is not introducing a new suit here, you have already agreed on ♥s. He is making a control-showing bid of the ♣A. He expects you to do the same if you can. Since you can show your Ace very conveniently below game level you bid 4 ♦. That was what he was hoping for, he bids 6 ♥.

**Deal 3**

South Deals

None Vul

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

5  
5 7  
23

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

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

♠ A J  
♥ A K 10 8 6  
♦ Q 9 4  
♣ A K Q

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

Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

Your 7 points isn't enough for a Positive response so you respond 2 ♦. Partner now bids 2 ♥. What is your bid?

You don't like the ♥s, but with a good suit of your own you can say 2 ♠. Partner now bids 2 NT. What do you say?

You know there are enough points for game so you must keep bidding. You should bid the ♠s one more time to show partner it is a 6-card suit. He then bids 4 ♠ and everybody passes.



**Deal 5**

North Deals

None Vul

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

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

	N		E	
W		S		
	J 2		9 8 4	
	6 3		8 5 3	
24	K Q J 10 2		A J 10 5 2	
4 6	10 9 6			
6	9 8 4			

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

3 NT by North

Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

With one more point you could have made a positive response. Instead, you bid 2 ♦. Partner now bids 2 ♠. What is your bid?

Not being in love with partner's ♠s, you have enough strength to now bid 3 ♥. Partner replies 3 NT. What do you say?

When you have nothing more to say, you pass.