

Deal 1North Deals
None Vul

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

19
 3 6
12



♠ K 9
 ♥ A K J 6 5
 ♦ A 10 5
 ♣ A 7 6

♠ A 10 6 5 4 3
 ♥ 2
 ♦ J 9 8 2
 ♣ J 4

♠ Q 8 2
 ♥ Q 8 4 3
 ♦ K 7 4
 ♣ K Q 2

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

NORTH has 20 points, a pretty strong hand to open 1

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SOUTH has 12 points, and makes a Limit Raise, a jump to 3

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NORTH is very, very close to bidding a slam. But she knows SOUTH has 12 points at most, so she should

take the safe position and just bid 4

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Deal 2

West Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 8 7 4 2	♦ 6 5	♣ A K Q J 10 2	♠ 10
♥ K Q 3			♦ J 10 3 2
♦ 8 6			♣ A K Q J 10 2
♣ 9 5			♠ A J 6 5 3
			♦ J 10 9
			♦ A Q 5 4
			♣ 6
			♠ K
			♦ A 8 7 4 2
			♦ K 9 7
			♣ 8 7 4 3
<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
Pass	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
4 ♠ by East			



WEST passes to start with since he only has 9 points.

EAST naturally opens 1 \hat{a}^{TM} with her 13 point, 5-card \hat{a}^{TM} suit hand.

WEST might now make a Limit Raise since his hand is now worth 11 points because of the

two doubletons. However, with six trumps he should jump all the way to 4 \hat{a}^{TM} .

Deal 3South Deals
None Vul

♠ K 4
 ♥ A J 8 6 4
 ♦ J 10
 ♣ 10 9 8 5

6
 9 7
18

	N	
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	S	

♠ 6
 ♥ 10 9 3
 ♦ Q 9 7 5 4 2
 ♣ A J 4

♠ A Q 9 7 5 3
 ♥ Q 7
 ♦ A K 3
 ♣ K 2

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

SOUTH has 20 points, counting two extra for the fifth and sixth ♠'s.

Naturally she opens 1♦.

NORTH has a poor hand, but with 7 points he must respond. He has four of partner's ♠'s

so he responds 2♦.

SOUTH

KNOWS

that $6 + 20 = 26$, so she

GOES

to 4♦.

Deal 4

West Deals	♠ Q 5 3
None Vul	♥ 6 3
	♦ 8 6 4 2
	♣ K Q J 2
♠ A 7 4	♠ J 8
♥ A J 8 7 2	♥ K Q 5 4
♦ K Q J	♦ 9 7 5 3
♣ A 3	♣ 10 6 4
8	♠ K 10 9 6 2
19 6	♥ 10 9
7	♦ A 10
	♣ 9 8 7 5

W N E S

West North East South

1 ♥ Pass 2 ♥ Pass

4 ♥ Pass Pass Pass

4 ♥ by West

WEST has 20 points, but with a 5-card Major opens 1

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rather than 2 NT.

EAST barely has enough points for a response, but she does have four

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So she responds 2

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WEST adds EAST's 6 to his 20 and bids the game, 4

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Deal 5

North Deals
N-S Vul

♠ K 9
♥ A K J 6 5
♦ A 10 5
♣ A 7 6

♠ J 7
♥ 10 9 7
♦ Q 6 3
♣ 10 9 8 5 3

19
3 6
12

N
W E
S

♠ A 10 6 5 4 3
♥ 2
♦ J 9 8 2
♣ J 4

♠ Q 8 2
♥ Q 8 4 3
♦ K 7 4
♣ K Q 2

Deal 6

East Deals

6 5

E-W Vul

J 10 3 2

A K Q J 10 2

Q 9 8 7 4 2

K Q 3

8 6

9 5

N
W E
S

A J 6 5 3

J 10 9

A Q 5 4

6

K

11
7 12
10

A 8 7 4 2
K 9 7
8 7 4 3

Deal 7

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 8 2

♥ K 5 2

♦ 8 6

♣ Q 7 6 3

♠ K 4

♥ A J 8 6 4

♦ J 10

♣ 10 9 8 5



♠ 6

♥ 10 9 3

♦ Q 9 7 5 4 2

♣ A J 4

♠ A Q 9 7 5 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A K 3

♣ K 2

6
9
18
7

Deal 8

West Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 5 3

♥ 6 3

♦ 8 6 4 2

♣ K Q J 2

♠ A 7 4

♥ A J 8 7 2

♦ K Q J

♣ A 3

W N E S

♠ J 8

♥ K Q 5 4

♦ 9 7 5 3

♣ 10 6 4

♠ K 10 9 6 2

♥ 10 9

♦ A 10

♣ 9 8 7 5

8
19 6
7

Deal 9

North Deals ♠ K 9
E-W Vul ♥ A K J 6 5
 ♦ A 10 5
 ♣ A 7 6

♠ J 7
♥ 10 9 7
♦ Q 6 3
♣ 10 9 8 5 3

19
3 6
12

N
W E
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♠ A 10 6 5 4 3
♥ 2
♦ J 9 8 2
♣ J 4

♠ Q 8 2
♥ Q 8 4 3
♦ K 7 4
♣ K Q 2

Deal 10 ♠ 10

East Deals ♥ 6 5

Both Vul ♦ J 10 3 2

♣ A K Q J 10 2

♠ Q 9 8 7 4 2

N
W E
S

♠ A J 6 5 3

♥ K Q 3

♥ J 10 9

♦ 8 6

♦ A Q 5 4

♣ 9 5

♣ 6

♠ K

11
7 12
10

♥ A 8 7 4 2

♦ K 9 7

♣ 8 7 4 3

Deal 11

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



Deal 12

West Deals	♠ Q 5 3
N-S Vul	♥ 6 3
	♦ 8 6 4 2
	♣ K Q J 2
♠ A 7 4	♠ J 8
♥ A J 8 7 2	♥ K Q 5 4
♦ K Q J	♦ 9 7 5 3
♣ A 3	♣ 10 6 4
8	♠ K 10 9 6 2
19 6	♥ 10 9
7	♦ A 10
	♣ 9 8 7 5



Deal 13

North Deals
Both Vul

♠ J 7
♥ 10 9 7
♦ Q 6 3
♣ 10 9 8 5 3

19
3 6
12

♠ K 9
♥ A K J 6 5
♦ A 10 5
♣ A 7 6

♠ A 10 6 5 4 3
♥ 2
♦ J 9 8 2
♣ J 4

♠ Q 8 2
♥ Q 8 4 3
♦ K 7 4
♣ K Q 2

N
W E
S

Deal 14

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10

♥ 6 5

♦ J 10 3 2

♣ A K Q J 10 2

♠ Q 9 8 7 4 2

♥ K Q 3

♦ 8 6

♣ 9 5

N
W E
S♠ A J 6 5 3
♥ J 10 9
♦ A Q 5 4
♣ 6

♠ K

11
7 10
12♥ A 8 7 4 2
♦ K 9 7
♣ 8 7 4 3

Deal 15

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 8 2

♥ K 5 2

♦ 8 6

♣ Q 7 6 3

♠ K 4

♥ A J 8 6 4

♦ J 10

♣ 10 9 8 5

W N E S

♠ 6

♥ 10 9 3

♦ Q 9 7 5 4 2

♣ A J 4

♠ A Q 9 7 5 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A K 3

♣ K 2

6
9 7
18

Deal 16

West Deals	♠ Q 5 3
E-W Vul	♥ 6 3
	♦ 8 6 4 2
	♣ K Q J 2
♠ A 7 4	♠ J 8
♥ A J 8 7 2	♥ K Q 5 4
♦ K Q J	♦ 9 7 5 3
♣ A 3	♣ 10 6 4
8	♠ K 10 9 6 2
19 6	♥ 10 9
7	♦ A 10
	♣ 9 8 7 5



Deal 17

North Deals
None Vul

♠ J 7
♥ 10 9 7
♦ Q 6 3
♣ 10 9 8 5 3

19
3 6
12

♠ K 9
♥ A K J 6 5
♦ A 10 5
♣ A 7 6

♠ A 10 6 5 4 3
♥ 2
♦ J 9 8 2
♣ J 4

♠ Q 8 2
♥ Q 8 4 3
♦ K 7 4
♣ K Q 2

N
W E
S

Deal 18

	♠ 10
East Deals	♥ 6 5
N-S Vul	♦ J 10 3 2
	♣ A K Q J 10 2
♠ Q 9 8 7 4 2	♠ A J 6 5 3
♥ K Q 3	♥ J 10 9
♦ 8 6	♦ A Q 5 4
♣ 9 5	♣ 6
	♠ K
	♥ A 8 7 4 2
7 10 11 12	♦ K 9 7
	♣ 8 7 4 3

N
W E
S

Deal 19

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 8 2

♥ K 5 2

♦ 8 6

♣ Q 7 6 3

♠ K 4

♥ A J 8 6 4

♦ J 10

♣ 10 9 8 5

N
W E
S

♠ 6

♥ 10 9 3

♦ Q 9 7 5 4 2

♣ A J 4

♠ A Q 9 7 5 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A K 3

♣ K 2

6
9 7
18

Deal 20 ♠ Q 5 3
West Deals ♥ 6 3
Both Vul ♦ 8 6 4 2
 ♣ K Q J 2

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

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19 6
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 ♠ K 10 9 6 2
 ♥ 10 9
 ♦ A 10
 ♣ 9 8 7 5

N
W E
S

Deal 21

North Deals	♠ K 9
N-S Vul	♥ A K J 6 5
	♦ A 10 5
	♣ A 7 6
♠ J 7	♠ A 10 6 5 4 3
♥ 10 9 7	♥ 2
♦ Q 6 3	♦ J 9 8 2
♣ 10 9 8 5 3	♣ J 4
19 3 6 12	♠ Q 8 2 ♥ Q 8 4 3 ♦ K 7 4 ♣ K Q 2

N
W E
S

Deal 22

♠ 10	♦ J 10 3 2	♣ A K Q J 10 2
East Deals	♥ 6 5	
E-W Vul		
♠ Q 9 8 7 4 2	♠ A J 6 5 3	
♥ K Q 3	♥ J 10 9	
♦ 8 6	♦ A Q 5 4	
♣ 9 5	♣ 6	
	♠ K	
	♥ A 8 7 4 2	
7 11 10 12	♦ K 9 7	
	♣ 8 7 4 3	

N
W E
S

Deal 23

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 8 2

♥ K 5 2

♦ 8 6

♣ Q 7 6 3

♠ K 4

♥ A J 8 6 4

♦ J 10

♣ 10 9 8 5

N
W E
S

♠ 6

♥ 10 9 3

♦ Q 9 7 5 4 2

♣ A J 4

♠ A Q 9 7 5 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A K 3

♣ K 2

6
9 7
18

Deal 24

West Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 5 3

♥ 6 3

♦ 8 6 4 2

♣ K Q J 2

♠ A 7 4

♥ A J 8 7 2

♦ K Q J

♣ A 3

W N E S

♠ J 8

♥ K Q 5 4

♦ 9 7 5 3

♣ 10 6 4

♠ K 10 9 6 2

♥ 10 9

♦ A 10

♣ 9 8 7 5

8
19 6
7

Deal 25

North Deals
E-W Vul

♠ K 9
♥ A K J 6 5
♦ A 10 5
♣ A 7 6

♠ J 7
♥ 10 9 7
♦ Q 6 3
♣ 10 9 8 5 3

19
3 6
12

N
W E
S

♠ A 10 6 5 4 3
♥ 2
♦ J 9 8 2
♣ J 4

♠ Q 8 2
♥ Q 8 4 3
♦ K 7 4
♣ K Q 2

Deal 26

East Deals	♠ 10
Both Vul	♥ 6 5
	♦ J 10 3 2
	♣ A K Q J 10 2
♠ Q 9 8 7 4 2	♠ A J 6 5 3
♥ K Q 3	♥ J 10 9
♦ 8 6	♦ A Q 5 4
♣ 9 5	♣ 6
	♠ K
	♥ A 8 7 4 2
	♦ K 9 7
	♣ 8 7 4 3

N
W E
S

11
7 10 12

Deal 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 8 2

♥ K 5 2

♦ 8 6

♣ Q 7 6 3

♠ K 4

♥ A J 8 6 4

♦ J 10

♣ 10 9 8 5

N
W E
S

♠ 6

♥ 10 9 3

♦ Q 9 7 5 4 2

♣ A J 4

♠ A Q 9 7 5 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A K 3

♣ K 2

6
9 7
18

Deal 28

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 5 3
♥ 6 3
♦ 8 6 4 2
♣ K Q J 2

♠ A 7 4
♥ A J 8 7 2
♦ K Q J
♣ A 3

8
19 6
7

N
W S E

♠ J 8
♥ K Q 5 4
♦ 9 7 5 3
♣ 10 6 4

♠ K 10 9 6 2
♥ 10 9
♦ A 10
♣ 9 8 7 5

Deal 29

North Deals
Both Vul

♠ K 9
♥ A K J 6 5
♦ A 10 5
♣ A 7 6

♠ J 7
♥ 10 9 7
♦ Q 6 3
♣ 10 9 8 5 3

19
3 6
12

N
W E
S

♠ A 10 6 5 4 3
♥ 2
♦ J 9 8 2
♣ J 4

♠ Q 8 2
♥ Q 8 4 3
♦ K 7 4
♣ K Q 2

Deal 30

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10

♥ 6 5

♦ J 10 3 2

♣ A K Q J 10 2

♠ Q 9 8 7 4 2

♥ K Q 3

♦ 8 6

♣ 9 5

N
W E
S

♠ A J 6 5 3

♥ J 10 9

♦ A Q 5 4

♣ 6

♠ K

11
7 12
10

♥ A 8 7 4 2

♦ K 9 7

♣ 8 7 4 3

Deal 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 8 2

♥ K 5 2

♦ 8 6

♣ Q 7 6 3

♠ K 4

♥ A J 8 6 4

♦ J 10

♣ 10 9 8 5

W N E S

♠ 6

♥ 10 9 3

♦ Q 9 7 5 4 2

♣ A J 4

♠ A Q 9 7 5 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A K 3

♣ K 2

6
9
18 7

Deal 32

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 5 3
♥ 6 3
♦ 8 6 4 2
♣ K Q J 2

♠ A 7 4
♥ A J 8 7 2
♦ K Q J
♣ A 3

8
19 6
7

N
W S E

♠ J 8
♥ K Q 5 4
♦ 9 7 5 3
♣ 10 6 4

♠ K 10 9 6 2
♥ 10 9
♦ A 10
♣ 9 8 7 5

Deal 33

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9
♥ A K J 6 5
♦ A 10 5
♣ A 7 6

♠ J 7
♥ 10 9 7
♦ Q 6 3
♣ 10 9 8 5 3

N
W E
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♠ A 10 6 5 4 3
♥ 2
♦ J 9 8 2
♣ J 4

19
3 6
12

♠ Q 8 2
♥ Q 8 4 3
♦ K 7 4
♣ K Q 2

Deal 34

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10

♥ 6 5

♦ J 10 3 2

♣ A K Q J 10 2

♠ Q 9 8 7 4 2

♥ K Q 3

♦ 8 6

♣ 9 5

N
W E
S

♠ A J 6 5 3

♥ J 10 9

♦ A Q 5 4

♣ 6

♠ K

11
7 12
10

♥ A 8 7 4 2

♦ K 9 7

♣ 8 7 4 3

Deal 35

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 8 2

♥ K 5 2

♦ 8 6

♣ Q 7 6 3

♠ K 4

♥ A J 8 6 4

♦ J 10

♣ 10 9 8 5

N
W E
S

♠ 6

♥ 10 9 3

♦ Q 9 7 5 4 2

♣ A J 4

♠ A Q 9 7 5 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A K 3

♣ K 2

6
9 7
18

Deal 36

West Deals	♠ Q 5 3
Both Vul	♥ 6 3
	♦ 8 6 4 2
	♣ K Q J 2
♠ A 7 4	♠ J 8
♥ A J 8 7 2	♥ K Q 5 4
♦ K Q J	♦ 9 7 5 3
♣ A 3	♣ 10 6 4
	♠ K 10 9 6 2
8	♥ 10 9
19 6	♦ A 10
7	♣ 9 8 7 5

