

Deal 1

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 4

♥ 9 7 3

♦ A 9 5 2

♣ 4

8
10 9
13

West

Pass

Pass

1 NT by North

♠ 10 9 5

♥ J 4

♦ Q J 8 3

♣ K J 7 2

♠ J 6 3

♥ A K Q 8 2

♦ K 6

♣ 10 9 5

North

1 NT

East

Pass

South

1 ♥

Pass

SOUTH has a solid 1

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opening, 14 points and five trumps.

NORTH must respond with 8 points, but cannot bid either minor suit since he needs at least

11 points to bid a new suit at the 2-level. So he bids 1 NT (6-10 points).

SOUTH doesn't object to Notrump so she passes.

Deal 2

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 6 2
 ♥ K Q 7 5
 ♦ 8 3
 ♣ 10 7 4

11
 6 13
 10

West

2 ♠

2 ♠ by East

♠ 8

♥ J 8 3

♦ A K Q 10 6 2

♣ J 5 2

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♠ A 5 4

♥ 10 9 6

♦ J 4

♣ K Q 9 8 3

North

Pass

East

1 ♠

Pass

South

Pass

Pass

♠ K Q 10 7 3

♥ A 4 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ A 6

EAST has a normal 1st opening bid, 14 points and five trumps.

WEST has good 4-card support and 7 points, so she raises to 2nd,

passed by EAST.

WEST does not consider showing the

2nd

s,

first because she knows there is a 2nd fit, and second because she doesn't have

the 11 points needed to bid a new suit at the 2-level.

Deal 3

South Deals
None Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ J 10 8 4 3
♦ —
♣ 7 6 4 3

18
3 4
15

West

Pass
Pass

6 NT by South

♠ K J 4
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ K 10 8



♠ A 8 3
♥ A 7
♦ K J 9 6 4
♣ Q J 5

North

6 NT

East

Pass

South

1 NT
Pass

With balanced distribution and 16 points
SOUTH should open 1 NT rather than 1

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NORTH's response is based on simple
math. He adds his 18 points to the 15
minimum that SOUTH has announced
and

comes up with 33 points combined. This
is enough for a small slam, and since he
has balanced distribution

he bids 6 NT.

Deal 4

East Deals
None Vul

♠ K 4
♥ Q 10 6
♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ Q 9 8 5

6
7 20
7

West

1 NT

Pass

3 NT by West

♠ 8 3
♥ J 8 5 4 3
♦ K J 9
♣ J 4 2



♠ A 7 5 2
♥ K 9 2
♦ 10 7 4
♣ 10 6 3

North

Pass

Pass

East

1 ♠

3 NT

South

Pass

Pass

EAST is right at the maximum for a 1st opening bid - one more point and he would

have opened 2nd.

WEST does not have 3-card support but with 7 points must make some response.

She cannot bid at the 2-level so she says 1 NT (6-10 points).

EAST is fine with Notrump so he bids 3 NT.

Deal 5

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 4

♥ 9 7 3

♦ A 9 5 2

♣ 4

8
10 9
13

♠ 10 9 5

♥ J 4

♦ Q J 8 3

♣ K J 7 2



♠ J 6 3

♥ A K Q 8 2

♦ K 6

♣ 10 9 5

♠ K 2

♥ 10 6 5

♦ 10 7 4

♣ A Q 8 6 3

Deal 6

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 6 2

♥ K Q 7 5

♦ 8 3

♣ 10 7 4

11
6 13
10

♠ 8

♥ J 8 3

♦ A K Q 10 6 2

♣ J 5 2



♠ K Q 10 7 3

♥ A 4 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ A 6

♠ A 5 4

♥ 10 9 6

♦ J 4

♣ K Q 9 8 3

Deal 7

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ J 10 8 4 3
♦ —
♣ 7 6 4 3

18

3 4

15

♠ K J 4
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ K 10 8



♠ A 8 3
♥ A 7
♦ K J 9 6 4
♣ Q J 5

♠ 10 5 2
♥ 6 5
♦ 10 8 7 3 2
♣ A 9 2

Deal 8

West Deals

None Vul

♠ K 4
♥ Q 10 6
♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ Q 9 8 5

6
7 20
7

♠ 8 3
♥ J 8 5 4 3
♦ K J 9
♣ J 4 2



♠ A 7 5 2
♥ K 9 2
♦ 10 7 4
♣ 10 6 3

♠ Q J 10 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ A Q 6
♣ A K 7

Deal 9

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 4

♥ 9 7 3

♦ A 9 5 2

♣ 4

8
10 9
13

♠ 10 9 5

♥ J 4

♦ Q J 8 3

♣ K J 7 2



♠ J 6 3

♥ A K Q 8 2

♦ K 6

♣ 10 9 5

♠ K 2

♥ 10 6 5

♦ 10 7 4

♣ A Q 8 6 3

Deal 10

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 6 2

♥ K Q 7 5

♦ 8 3

♣ 10 7 4

11
6 13
10

♠ 8

♥ J 8 3

♦ A K Q 10 6 2

♣ J 5 2



♠ K Q 10 7 3

♥ A 4 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ A 6

♠ A 5 4

♥ 10 9 6

♦ J 4

♣ K Q 9 8 3

Deal 11

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ J 10 8 4 3
♦ —
♣ 7 6 4 3

18
3 4
15

♠ K J 4
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ K 10 8



♠ A 8 3
♥ A 7
♦ K J 9 6 4
♣ Q J 5

♠ 10 5 2
♥ 6 5
♦ 10 8 7 3 2
♣ A 9 2

Deal 12

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 4
♥ Q 10 6
♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ Q 9 8 5

6
7 20
7

♠ 8 3
♥ J 8 5 4 3
♦ K J 9
♣ J 4 2



♠ A 7 5 2
♥ K 9 2
♦ 10 7 4
♣ 10 6 3

♠ Q J 10 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ A Q 6
♣ A K 7

Deal 13

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 4

♥ 9 7 3

♦ A 9 5 2

♣ 4

8
10 9
13

♠ 10 9 5

♥ J 4

♦ Q J 8 3

♣ K J 7 2



♠ J 6 3

♥ A K Q 8 2

♦ K 6

♣ 10 9 5

♠ K 2

♥ 10 6 5

♦ 10 7 4

♣ A Q 8 6 3

Deal 14

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 6 2

♥ K Q 7 5

♦ 8 3

♣ 10 7 4

11
6 13
10

♠ 8

♥ J 8 3

♦ A K Q 10 6 2

♣ J 5 2



♠ K Q 10 7 3

♥ A 4 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ A 6

♠ A 5 4

♥ 10 9 6

♦ J 4

♣ K Q 9 8 3

Deal 15

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ J 10 8 4 3
♦ —
♣ 7 6 4 3

18
3 4
15

♠ K J 4
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ K 10 8



♠ A 8 3
♥ A 7
♦ K J 9 6 4
♣ Q J 5

♠ 10 5 2
♥ 6 5
♦ 10 8 7 3 2
♣ A 9 2

Deal 16

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 4
♥ Q 10 6
♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ Q 9 8 5

6
7 20
7

♠ 8 3
♥ J 8 5 4 3
♦ K J 9
♣ J 4 2



♠ A 7 5 2
♥ K 9 2
♦ 10 7 4
♣ 10 6 3

♠ Q J 10 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ A Q 6
♣ A K 7

Deal 17

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 4

♥ 9 7 3

♦ A 9 5 2

♣ 4

8
10 9
13

♠ 10 9 5

♥ J 4

♦ Q J 8 3

♣ K J 7 2



♠ J 6 3

♥ A K Q 8 2

♦ K 6

♣ 10 9 5

♠ K 2

♥ 10 6 5

♦ 10 7 4

♣ A Q 8 6 3

Deal 18

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 6 2

♥ K Q 7 5

♦ 8 3

♣ 10 7 4

11
6 13
10

♠ 8

♥ J 8 3

♦ A K Q 10 6 2

♣ J 5 2



♠ K Q 10 7 3

♥ A 4 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ A 6

♠ A 5 4

♥ 10 9 6

♦ J 4

♣ K Q 9 8 3

Deal 19

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ J 10 8 4 3
♦ —
♣ 7 6 4 3

18
3 4
15

♠ K J 4
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ K 10 8



♠ A 8 3
♥ A 7
♦ K J 9 6 4
♣ Q J 5

♠ 10 5 2
♥ 6 5
♦ 10 8 7 3 2
♣ A 9 2

Deal 20
West Deals
Both Vul

♠ K 4
♥ Q 10 6
♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ Q 9 8 5

6
7 20
7

♠ 8 3
♥ J 8 5 4 3
♦ K J 9
♣ J 4 2



♠ A 7 5 2
♥ K 9 2
♦ 10 7 4
♣ 10 6 3

♠ Q J 10 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ A Q 6
♣ A K 7

Deal 21

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 4

♥ 9 7 3

♦ A 9 5 2

♣ 4

8
10 9
13

♠ 10 9 5

♥ J 4

♦ Q J 8 3

♣ K J 7 2



♠ J 6 3

♥ A K Q 8 2

♦ K 6

♣ 10 9 5

♠ K 2

♥ 10 6 5

♦ 10 7 4

♣ A Q 8 6 3

Deal 22

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 6 2

♥ K Q 7 5

♦ 8 3

♣ 10 7 4

11
6 13
10

♠ 8

♥ J 8 3

♦ A K Q 10 6 2

♣ J 5 2



♠ K Q 10 7 3

♥ A 4 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ A 6

♠ A 5 4

♥ 10 9 6

♦ J 4

♣ K Q 9 8 3

Deal 23

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ J 10 8 4 3
♦ —
♣ 7 6 4 3

18
3 4
15

♠ K J 4
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ K 10 8



♠ A 8 3
♥ A 7
♦ K J 9 6 4
♣ Q J 5

♠ 10 5 2
♥ 6 5
♦ 10 8 7 3 2
♣ A 9 2

Deal 24

West Deals

None Vul

♠ K 4
♥ Q 10 6
♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ Q 9 8 5

6
7 20
7

♠ 8 3
♥ J 8 5 4 3
♦ K J 9
♣ J 4 2



♠ A 7 5 2
♥ K 9 2
♦ 10 7 4
♣ 10 6 3

♠ Q J 10 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ A Q 6
♣ A K 7

Deal 25

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 4

♥ 9 7 3

♦ A 9 5 2

♣ 4

8
10 9
13

♠ 10 9 5

♥ J 4

♦ Q J 8 3

♣ K J 7 2



♠ J 6 3

♥ A K Q 8 2

♦ K 6

♣ 10 9 5

♠ K 2

♥ 10 6 5

♦ 10 7 4

♣ A Q 8 6 3

Deal 26
 East Deals
 Both Vul

♠ J 9 6 2
 ♥ K Q 7 5
 ♦ 8 3
 ♣ 10 7 4

11
 6 13
 10

♠ 8
 ♥ J 8 3
 ♦ A K Q 10 6 2
 ♣ J 5 2



♠ K Q 10 7 3
 ♥ A 4 2
 ♦ 9 7 5
 ♣ A 6

♠ A 5 4
 ♥ 10 9 6
 ♦ J 4
 ♣ K Q 9 8 3

Deal 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ J 10 8 4 3
♦ —
♣ 7 6 4 3

18

3 4

15

♠ K J 4
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ K 10 8



♠ A 8 3
♥ A 7
♦ K J 9 6 4
♣ Q J 5

♠ 10 5 2
♥ 6 5
♦ 10 8 7 3 2
♣ A 9 2

Deal 28
 West Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ K 4
 ♥ Q 10 6
 ♦ 8 5 3 2
 ♣ Q 9 8 5

6
 7 20
 7

♠ 8 3
 ♥ J 8 5 4 3
 ♦ K J 9
 ♣ J 4 2



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

♠ Q J 10 9 6
 ♥ A 7
 ♦ A Q 6
 ♣ A K 7

Deal 29

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 4
♥ 9 7 3
♦ A 9 5 2
♣ 4

8
10 9
13

♠ 10 9 5
♥ J 4
♦ Q J 8 3
♣ K J 7 2



♠ J 6 3
♥ A K Q 8 2
♦ K 6
♣ 10 9 5

♠ K 2
♥ 10 6 5
♦ 10 7 4
♣ A Q 8 6 3

Deal 30
East Deals
None Vul

♠ J 9 6 2
♥ K Q 7 5
♦ 8 3
♣ 10 7 4

11
6 13
10

♠ 8
♥ J 8 3
♦ A K Q 10 6 2
♣ J 5 2



♠ K Q 10 7 3
♥ A 4 2
♦ 9 7 5
♣ A 6

♠ A 5 4
♥ 10 9 6
♦ J 4
♣ K Q 9 8 3

Deal 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ J 10 8 4 3
♦ —
♣ 7 6 4 3

18
3 4
15

♠ K J 4
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ K 10 8



♠ A 8 3
♥ A 7
♦ K J 9 6 4
♣ Q J 5

♠ 10 5 2
♥ 6 5
♦ 10 8 7 3 2
♣ A 9 2

Deal 32

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 4
♥ Q 10 6
♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ Q 9 8 5

6
7 20
7

♠ 8 3
♥ J 8 5 4 3
♦ K J 9
♣ J 4 2



♠ A 7 5 2
♥ K 9 2
♦ 10 7 4
♣ 10 6 3

♠ Q J 10 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ A Q 6
♣ A K 7

Deal 33

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 4

♥ 9 7 3

♦ A 9 5 2

♣ 4

8
10 9
13

♠ 10 9 5

♥ J 4

♦ Q J 8 3

♣ K J 7 2



♠ J 6 3

♥ A K Q 8 2

♦ K 6

♣ 10 9 5

♠ K 2

♥ 10 6 5

♦ 10 7 4

♣ A Q 8 6 3

Deal 34

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 6 2

♥ K Q 7 5

♦ 8 3

♣ 10 7 4

11
6 13
10

♠ 8

♥ J 8 3

♦ A K Q 10 6 2

♣ J 5 2



♠ K Q 10 7 3

♥ A 4 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ A 6

♠ A 5 4

♥ 10 9 6

♦ J 4

♣ K Q 9 8 3

Deal 35

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ J 10 8 4 3
♦ —
♣ 7 6 4 3

18

3 4

15

♠ K J 4
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ K 10 8



♠ A 8 3
♥ A 7
♦ K J 9 6 4
♣ Q J 5

♠ 10 5 2
♥ 6 5
♦ 10 8 7 3 2
♣ A 9 2

Deal 36
 West Deals
 Both Vul

♠ K 4
 ♥ Q 10 6
 ♦ 8 5 3 2
 ♣ Q 9 8 5

6
 7 20
 7

♠ 8 3
 ♥ J 8 5 4 3
 ♦ K J 9
 ♣ J 4 2



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

♠ Q J 10 9 6
 ♥ A 7
 ♦ A Q 6
 ♣ A K 7