

Deal 1
North Deals
None Vul

♠ 2
♥ Q 8 7 4 2
♦ K J 6 4
♣ J 9 4

9
7 9
15

♠ A 10 7
♥ A J 10 9 6 5
♦ 9 7
♣ 5 2

♠ 9 5 3
♥ K 3
♦ Q 10 3
♣ A 10 8 7 6

♠ K Q J 8 6 4

♥ —

♦ A 8 5 2

♣ K Q 3

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

You dealt this hand. Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

You open with a Weak 2-Bid, 2 ♥. Partner responds 2 ♠. What do you say next?

The 2 ♠ bid is forcing for one round, but you want to bid again anyway. While you had an 11 point hand when you opened 2 ♥ it has actually grown in value in support of ♠s. It is a question whether you should now bid 3 ♠ or 4 ♠. Let's assume you say 3 ♠ and partner raises to 4 ♠.

Deal 2

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6 5
♥ A 3
♦ K 10 3 2
♣ 10 7 6 5

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♠ 2
♥ K 9 8 6 2
♦ A J 9 5
♣ K 8 4

♠ K Q J 10 8 4

♥ —
♦ Q 8 6
♣ A Q 9 3

West	North	East	South
	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

4 ♠ by South

Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

You know have just a 6-card ♥ fit so you can be no worse off in ♠s. You respond 2 ♠ and partner raises to 3 ♠.

It isn't a sure thing, but take a chance. Bid 4 ♠.