

**Board 1**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 3  
♥ A 2  
♦ Q J T 9 3  
♣ K T 9 8 4

♠ J 8 7 4

♥ 7 5

♦ K 5 4

♣ Q J 5 2



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

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
All Pass			

2 ♠ by South

**Baker Major 6**

You open 1♥ and partner responds 1♠. It is your bid again.

You have good ♠ support but you must tell partner of your minimum hand. So you bid 2♠ and he passes.

**Board 2**

West Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ Q 4 2

♥ J 9

♦ A J T 9 3

♣ 9 4 2

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

♠ J 8  
♥ Q T 7 3 2  
♦ 8 5  
♣ K J T 5

West	North	East	South
1♥	Pass	1♠	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♠	All Pass

4 ♠ by East

**Baker Major 7**

Naturally you open 1♥. Partner responds 1♠. What do you say next?

Partner has at least 4 ♠s and you have 4. So you have found the 8-card Major fit. Now it is a question of finding the right level. Your job is to further describe your hand as either minimum, medium, or maximum. With 17/18 points (revalued) you are a medium, so you jump to 3♠.

Partner bids the game.

**Board 3**

North Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ K Q 9 7 3

♥ A T 9 5

♦ Q J 3

♣ T

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

♠ A 4  
♥ Q 7  
♦ K T 9 7  
♣ K Q J 8 6

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

3 NT by South

**Baker Major 8**

Of course you open 1♠. Partner responds 2♣. What is your next bid?

Partner has shown at least 11 points and you are forced to bid again. Since the ♥'s rank below ♠'s you can bid them with your minimum hand. Apparently that is just what partner wanted to hear since he jumps to 3NT which you happily pass.

**Board 4**

East Deals  
Both Vul

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

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

N
W
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S

♠ A 9 7 5 3  
♥ Q J T 5  
♦ K Q J  
♣ 7

♠ Q T 8  
♥ A 8  
♦ T 7 6 5 2  
♣ J T 2

West	North	East	South
2♥	Pass	1♠	Pass
		4♥	All Pass

4♥ by East

**Baker Major 9**

You open 1♠ and partner responds 2♥. What do you bid next?

Partner has shown 11+ points and at least 4 ♥s. Your hand revalues to 16 points in support of ♥s, where you know you have an 8-card fit or better. You bid 4♥ confidently.

**Board 5**

North Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A K T 7 5 3

♥ Q J 5

♦ K Q T

♣ 7

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♠ 8 4 2  
♥ T 9 2  
♦ 8 4 2  
♣ A K J 3

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

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

4 ♠ by South

**Baker Major 10**

We all know you will open 1♠ with this hand. And after partner responds 1NT what is your next bid?

With 6 of them you can rebid ♠s but you are too strong to say just 2♠. Your 17 points puts you in the Medium range where you make a jump. So you bid 3♠ and partner bids 4♠.