

Board 1

North Deals
None Vul

♠ 4 2
♥ A K J
♦ 8 7 4 3
♣ 9 7 5 4

♠ K J 3

♥ Q T 9 7 5
♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 8 6
♥ 8 4 2
♦ J 5 2
♣ T 2

♠ 9 7 5

♥ 6 3

♦ K T

♣ A K Q J 8 3

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

3 NT by South

Baker FSF 11

You respond 2♣. Partner rebids 2♦. What is your next bid?

With 13 HCP and that ♣ suit you could jump to 4♣. However, that would sail you right past 3NT which is very likely to turn out your best game. Rather than rebid ♣s, find out whether partner has ♠s stopped by using FSF.

You bid 2♠ and partner then says 2NT. Where do you go from here?

It couldn't have worked out better. Notrump played from partner's side. You bid 3NT.

Board 2

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8 6 3

♥ A J 7 5

♦ 9

♣ K Q 6 4

♠ J T 7

♥ 9 6 4 2

♦ T 7 2

♣ A J 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K Q 9 5

♥ K 3

♦ A J 8 6 3

♣ 9 3

♠ 4 2

♥ Q T 8

♦ K Q 5 4

♣ T 8 7 2

Baker FSF 12
You are the dealer.

There is only one possibility; you open 1♣. Partner responds 1♦.

You rebid "up-the-line", so you now say 1♥. Partner says 1♠. What do you bid?

Be careful! This is NOT Fourth Suit Forcing. It is true that you are forced to bid, but the difference is that in this sequence partner has a real ♠ suit. With 4-card support you bid 2♠ and partner raises to 4♠.

West	North	East	South
1♣	Pass	1♦	Pass
1♥	Pass	1♠	Pass
2♠	Pass	4♠	Pass

4♠ by East

Board 3

North Deals
None Vul

♠ 8 6 2
♥ A T 8 5
♦ K T 8 5
♣ T 4

♠ T 9 4
♥ K Q J 6 2
♦ 6
♣ A K 6 5

	N		♠ A 7
	W	E	♥ 9 4
	S		♦ Q J 7 3 2
			♣ J 9 7 2

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ A 9 4
♣ Q 8 3

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

4♠ by South

Baker FSF 13

You have 13 points and you respond 1♠. Partner rebids 2♣. What is your next bid?

You have ♦s stopped, and with your 13 points you might well jump to 3NT. And while you may end up at 3NT it can't hurt to find out if partner has 3 ♠s first. So you bid 2♦, FSF.

Partner says 2♠, telling you he has three of them, and you bid 4♠.

Board 4

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 7
♥ A Q 7 4 3
♦ T 8 2
♣ J T 5

♠ 9 4 2

♥ 2

♦ A K J 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 8 6
♥ K J 9
♦ 6
♣ A K 6 4 2

♠ Q J 5 3
♥ T 8 6 5
♦ Q 9 3
♣ Q 7

West	North	East	South
		1♣	Pass
1♥	Pass	1♠	Pass
2♦	Pass	3♥	Pass
4♥	Pass		

4♥ by West

Baker FSF 14
You are the dealer.

You have 15 points and you open 1♣. Partner responds 1♥.

Show your 4-card Major, bid 1♠. Partner says 2♦.

This is FSF, asking you to further describe your hand. Since you have 3 ♥s you will naturally let partner know that. But, your hand is so good you should jump to 3♥. Remember that partner may be bidding with only 12 points.

He was pretty weak, but with your jump finds enough to say 4♥.

Board 5

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4 2

♥ A K J

♦ 8 7 4 3

♣ 9 7 5 4

♠ K J 3

♥ Q T 9 7 5

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 8 6

♥ 8 4 2

♦ J 5 2

♣ T 2

♠ 9 7 5

♥ 6 3

♦ K T

♣ A K Q J 8 3

Board 6

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 6 3

♥ A J 7 5

♦ 9

♣ K Q 6 4

♠ J T 7

♥ 9 6 4 2

♦ T 7 2

♣ A J 5



♠ K Q 9 5

♥ K 3

♦ A J 8 6 3

♣ 9 3

♠ 4 2

♥ Q T 8

♦ K Q 5 4

♣ T 8 7 2

Board 7

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6 2
♥ A T 8 5
♦ K T 8 5
♣ T 4

♠ T 9 4

♥ K Q J 6 2

♦ 6

♣ A K 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 7

♥ 9 4

♦ Q J 7 3 2

♣ J 9 7 2

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ A 9 4
♣ Q 8 3

Board 8

West Deals

None Vul

♠ A 7

♥ A Q 7 4 3

♦ T 8 2

♣ J T 5

♠ 9 4 2

♥ 2

♦ A K J 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3



♠ K T 8 6

♥ K J 9

♦ 6

♣ A K 6 4 2

♠ Q J 5 3

♥ T 8 6 5

♦ Q 9 3

♣ Q 7

Board 9

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 3

♥ Q T 9 7 5

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 6

♠ 4 2

♥ A K J

♦ 8 7 4 3

♣ 9 7 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 8 6

♥ 8 4 2

♦ J 5 2

♣ T 2

♠ 9 7 5

♥ 6 3

♦ K T

♣ A K Q J 8 3

Board 10

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 8 6 3

♥ A J 7 5

♦ 9

♣ K Q 6 4

♠ J T 7

♥ 9 6 4 2

♦ T 7 2

♣ A J 5



♠ K Q 9 5

♥ K 3

♦ A J 8 6 3

♣ 9 3

♠ 4 2

♥ Q T 8

♦ K Q 5 4

♣ T 8 7 2

Board 11

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 6 2
♥ A T 8 5
♦ K T 8 5
♣ T 4

♠ T 9 4

♥ K Q J 6 2

♦ 6

♣ A K 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 7

♥ 9 4

♦ Q J 7 3 2

♣ J 9 7 2

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ A 9 4
♣ Q 8 3

Board 12

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 7
♥ A Q 7 4 3
♦ T 8 2
♣ J T 5

♠ 9 4 2

♥ 2

♦ A K J 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 8 6
♥ K J 9
♦ 6
♣ A K 6 4 2

♠ Q J 5 3
♥ T 8 6 5
♦ Q 9 3
♣ Q 7

Board 13

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 3

♥ Q T 9 7 5

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 6

♠ 4 2

♥ A K J

♦ 8 7 4 3

♣ 9 7 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 8 6

♥ 8 4 2

♦ J 5 2

♣ T 2

♠ 9 7 5

♥ 6 3

♦ K T

♣ A K Q J 8 3

Board 15

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 6 2
♥ A T 8 5
♦ K T 8 5
♣ T 4

♠ T 9 4

♥ K Q J 6 2

♦ 6

♣ A K 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 7

♥ 9 4

♦ Q J 7 3 2

♣ J 9 7 2

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ A 9 4
♣ Q 8 3

Board 16

West Deals

E-W Vul

♦ A K J 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3

♠ A 7
♥ A Q 7 4 3
♦ T 8 2
♣ J T 5N
W E
S♠ 9 4 2
♥ 2
♦ A K J 9
♣ A K 6 4 2♠ K T 8 6
♥ K J 9
♦ 6
♣ Q 7♠ Q J 5 3
♥ T 8 6 5
♦ Q 9 3
♣ Q 7

Board 17

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 4 2
♥ A K J
♦ 8 7 4 3
♣ 9 7 5 4

♠ K J 3

♥ Q T 9 7 5

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 8 6
♥ 8 4 2
♦ J 5 2
♣ T 2

♠ 9 7 5
♥ 6 3
♦ K T
♣ A K Q J 8 3

Board 18

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8 6 3

♥ A J 7 5

♦ 9

♣ K Q 6 4

♠ J T 7

♥ 9 6 4 2

♦ T 7 2

♣ A J 5



♠ K Q 9 5

♥ K 3

♦ A J 8 6 3

♣ 9 3

♠ 4 2

♥ Q T 8

♦ K Q 5 4

♣ T 8 7 2

Board 19

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6 2
♥ A T 8 5
♦ K T 8 5
♣ T 4

♠ T 9 4

♥ K Q J 6 2

♦ 6

♣ A K 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 7

♥ 9 4

♦ Q J 7 3 2

♣ J 9 7 2

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ A 9 4
♣ Q 8 3

Board 20

West Deals

Both Vul

♦ A K J 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3

♠ A 7
♥ A Q 7 4 3
♦ T 8 2
♣ J T 5N
W E
S♠ 9 4 2
♥ 2
♦ A K J 9
♣ A K 6 4 2♠ K T 8 6
♥ K J 9
♦ 6
♣ Q 7♠ Q J 5 3
♥ T 8 6 5
♦ Q 9 3
♣ Q 7

Board 21

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4 2
♥ A K J
♦ 8 7 4 3
♣ 9 7 5 4

♠ K J 3

♥ Q T 9 7 5

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 8 6
♥ 8 4 2
♦ J 5 2
♣ T 2

♠ 9 7 5
♥ 6 3
♦ K T
♣ A K Q J 8 3

Board 22

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 6 3

♥ A J 7 5

♦ 9

♣ K Q 6 4

♠ J T 7

♥ 9 6 4 2

♦ T 7 2

♣ A J 5



♠ K Q 9 5

♥ K 3

♦ A J 8 6 3

♣ 9 3

♠ 4 2

♥ Q T 8

♦ K Q 5 4

♣ T 8 7 2

Board 23

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6 2
♥ A T 8 5
♦ K T 8 5
♣ T 4

♠ T 9 4

♥ K Q J 6 2

♦ 6

♣ A K 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 7

♥ 9 4

♦ Q J 7 3 2

♣ J 9 7 2

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ A 9 4
♣ Q 8 3

Board 24

West Deals

None Vul

♠ A 7
♥ A Q 7 4 3
♦ T 8 2
♣ J T 5

♠ 9 4 2

♥ 2

♦ A K J 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 8 6
♥ K J 9
♦ 6
♣ A K 6 4 2

♠ Q J 5 3
♥ T 8 6 5
♦ Q 9 3
♣ Q 7

Board 25

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 3

♥ Q T 9 7 5

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 6

♠ 4 2

♥ A K J

♦ 8 7 4 3

♣ 9 7 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 8 6

♥ 8 4 2

♦ J 5 2

♣ T 2

♠ 9 7 5

♥ 6 3

♦ K T

♣ A K Q J 8 3

Board 26

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 8 6 3

♥ A J 7 5

♦ 9

♣ K Q 6 4

♠ J T 7

♥ 9 6 4 2

♦ T 7 2

♣ A J 5



♠ K Q 9 5

♥ K 3

♦ A J 8 6 3

♣ 9 3

♠ 4 2

♥ Q T 8

♦ K Q 5 4

♣ T 8 7 2

Board 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 6 2
♥ A T 8 5
♦ K T 8 5
♣ T 4

♠ T 9 4

♥ K Q J 6 2

♦ 6

♣ A K 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 7

♥ 9 4

♦ Q J 7 3 2

♣ J 9 7 2

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ A 9 4
♣ Q 8 3

Board 28

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 7
♥ A Q 7 4 3
♦ T 8 2
♣ J T 5

♠ 9 4 2

♥ 2

♦ A K J 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K T 8 6
♥ K J 9
♦ 6
♣ A K 6 4 2

♠ Q J 5 3
♥ T 8 6 5
♦ Q 9 3
♣ Q 7

Board 29

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 3

♥ Q T 9 7 5

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 6

♠ 4 2

♥ A K J

♦ 8 7 4 3

♣ 9 7 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 8 6

♥ 8 4 2

♦ J 5 2

♣ T 2

♠ 9 7 5

♥ 6 3

♦ K T

♣ A K Q J 8 3

Board 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 6 2
♥ A T 8 5
♦ K T 8 5
♣ T 4

♠ T 9 4

♥ K Q J 6 2

♦ 6

♣ A K 6 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 7

♥ 9 4

♦ Q J 7 3 2

♣ J 9 7 2

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ A 9 4
♣ Q 8 3

Board 32

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 4 2

♥ 2

♦ A K J 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3

♠ A 7

♥ A Q 7 4 3

♦ T 8 2

♣ J T 5

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

Board 33

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 4 2
♥ A K J
♦ 8 7 4 3
♣ 9 7 5 4

♠ K J 3

♥ Q T 9 7 5

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A Q T 8 6
♥ 8 4 2
♦ J 5 2
♣ T 2

♠ 9 7 5
♥ 6 3
♦ K T
♣ A K Q J 8 3

Board 34

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8 6 3

♥ A J 7 5

♦ 9

♣ K Q 6 4

♠ J T 7

♥ 9 6 4 2

♦ T 7 2

♣ A J 5



♠ K Q 9 5

♥ K 3

♦ A J 8 6 3

♣ 9 3

♠ 4 2

♥ Q T 8

♦ K Q 5 4

♣ T 8 7 2

Board 35

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6 2
♥ A T 8 5
♦ K T 8 5
♣ T 4

♠ T 9 4

♥ K Q J 6 2

♦ 6

♣ A K 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ A 7

♥ 9 4

♦ Q J 7 3 2

♣ J 9 7 2

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ A 9 4
♣ Q 8 3

Board 36

West Deals

Both Vul

♦ A K J 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3

♠ A 7
♥ A Q 7 4 3
♦ T 8 2
♣ J T 5N
W E
S♠ 9 4 2
♥ 2
♦ A K J 9
♣ A K 6 4 2♠ K T 8 6
♥ K J 9
♦ 6
♣ Q 7♠ Q J 5 3
♥ T 8 6 5
♦ Q 9 3
♣ Q 7