

Deal 1

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

♠ 6 4 2	
♥ 10 6	
♦ 10 5 4	
♣ A 10 9 8 7	

12	♠ K Q 8 7
4 2	♥ A K Q 2
22	♦ A K J 6

♣ 6

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
			2 ♣
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
6 ♠ by North			

	♠ 9 3 ♥ J 9 7 4 3 ♦ 9 8 3 ♣ J 4 2
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After SOUTH's 2 \hat{a}^{TM} opening, NORTH bids 2 NT, showing a balanced hand of at least 8 points. NORTH

actually has 12 points, but the time to show the extra strength will be later.

SOUTH's 3 \hat{a}^{TM} bid is Stayman, asking NORTH for a 4-card Major. NORTH mentions his \hat{a}^{TM} s and

SOUTH bids 4 \hat{a}^{TM} , showing a minimum 2 \hat{a}^{TM} opener with 4 \hat{a}^{TM} s.

Now NORTH adds his 12 points to SOUTH's 22 minimum and gets 34. He bids 6 \hat{a}^{TM} .

Deal 2East Deals
None Vul

♠ 2
 ♥ Q J 5 2
 ♦ 9 8 7 2
 ♣ 10 7 6 3

3 7
20
10

♠ 10 9 7 4
 ♥ 4
 ♦ K 5 4
 ♣ K J 9 8 5



♠ A K Q 6 3
 ♥ A K 10 9 6
 ♦ 10 6
 ♣ A

♠ J 8 5
 ♥ 8 7 3
 ♦ A Q J 3
 ♣ Q 4 2

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

WEST has 3 points, so she responds 2

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to EAST's opening 2â™£ bid,

then bids 3â™£ as a second-negative when EAST bids 2â™.

However, when EAST then bids

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s, WEST finds two more points

and bids 4

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Deal 3

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 4
♥ J 4 3
♦ J 6 4
♣ A 9 8 4 2

22
6 4
8

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
	2 ♣	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
3 NT by South			



♠ Q 10 8 5
♥ A K 6
♦ A K 8
♣ K Q J

♠ A 9 6 3
♥ 10 9 8 2
♦ 9 5 3
♣ 10 6

♠ K J 2
♥ Q 7 5
♦ Q 10 7 2
♣ 7 5 3

NORTH expected to open 2♦, then bid 2 NT at her second turn.

But SOUTH, with 8 points and a balanced hand, responds 2 NT, so NORTH must adapt. She shows

her minimum, balanced, 22-point hand by bidding 3 NT.

Since NORTH has just the 8 points minimum that he promised, he passes 3 NT.

Deal 4

West Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q J 2**♥ A K 5****♦ K Q 7 3****♣ A 6****♠ 4 3****♥ 6 4 3****♦ J 10 2****♣ K J 9 8 5****23 5
6 6****♠ K 9 8 7****♥ Q J 8 2****♦ 9 8 6****♣ 7 4****♠ 10 6 5****♥ 10 9 7****♦ A 5 4****♣ Q 10 3 2***West**North**East**South***2 ♣**

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2 NT

Pass

3 ♣

Pass

Pass

4 ♠ by West

Baker Bidpractice/Set6 22

Deal 5

Deal 5

West Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 6 4
♥ 10 3
♦ 5 4
♣ Q 10 9 8 7

♠ A 8
♥ K Q 4
♦ A K Q J 8 6
♣ K 4



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22 11
4

West North East South
2 ♣ Pass 2 NT Pass
4 ♣ Pass 4 ♠ Pass
5 ♣ Pass 5 ♥ Pass
7 NT ALL Pass
7 NT by East

Baker Bidpractice/Set6 23

Deal 7

Deal 6
 East Deals
 None Vul

♠ 9 7 3
 ♥ 6 2
 ♦ Q J 9 8 6 3
 ♣ A 4

6
 7 22
 5

♠ K Q 6 5 2
 ♥ J 9 7 3
 ♦ 5
 ♣ 9 8 6

♠ 8
 ♥ A K Q 5
 ♦ A K 7 2
 ♣ K Q J 3

♠ A J 10 4
 ♥ 10 8 4
 ♦ 10 4
 ♣ 10 7 5 2

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
		2 ♣	Pass
3 ♦	Pass	4 NT	Pass
5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		
6 ♦ by West			

When EAST opens 2 \hat{a}^{TM} WEST has enough strength (9 points) for a positive response. But,

because her suit is

\hat{a}^{TM}

s, she must jump to 3

\hat{a}^{TM}

EAST thinks slam and uses Blackwood to discover that WEST holds one Ace.

That's all WEST needs to know to bid 6

\hat{a}^{TM}

Deal 9

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 10 5

♥ 8 5

♦ Q 7 2

♣ K Q 5 3

♠ 6 4 2

♥ 10 6

♦ 10 5 4

♣ A 10 9 8 7



♠ 9 3

♥ J 9 7 4 3

♦ 9 8 3

♣ J 4 2

12
4 2
22

♠ K Q 8 7

♥ A K Q 2

♦ A K J 6

♣ 6

Deal 10

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 7 4

♥ 4

♦ K 5 4

♣ K J 9 8 5

♠ 2

♥ Q J 5 2

♦ 9 8 7 2

♣ 10 7 6 3

N
W E
S

♠ A K Q 6 3

♥ A K 10 9 6

♦ 10 6

♣ A

♠ J 8 5

7
3 20

♥ 8 7 3

♦ A Q J 3

♣ Q 4 2

Deal 11

South Deals

None Vul

♦ A K 8

♣ K Q J

♠ 7 4

♥ J 4 3

♦ J 6 4

♣ A 9 8 4 2

N
W E
S♠ A 9 6 3
♥ 10 9 8 2
♦ 9 5 3
♣ 10 6♠ K J 2
♥ Q 7 5
♦ Q 10 7 2
♣ 7 5 3²²
6 4
8

Deal 12

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4 3
♥ 6 4 3
♦ J 10 2
♣ K J 9 8 5

♠ A Q J 2
♥ A K 5
♦ K Q 7 3
♣ A 6

5
2 3 6
6

N
W E
S

♠ K 9 8 7
♥ Q J 8 2
♦ 9 8 6
♣ 7 4

♠ 10 6 5
♥ 10 9 7
♦ A 5 4
♣ Q 10 3 2

Deal 13

North Deals
Both Vul

Deal 14

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 6 4

♥ 10 3

♦ 5 4

♣ Q 10 9 8 7

♠ A 8

♥ K Q 4

♦ A K Q J 8 6

♣ K 4

♠ K 7 2
♥ A 9 7 5
♦ 10 7 2
♣ A 5 3

♠ Q 9 5 3

♥ J 8 6 2

♦ 9 3

♣ J 6 2

3
22 11
4

Deal 15
South Deals
N-S Vul

Deal 16 ♠ K Q 6 5 2

West Deals ♥ J 9 7 3

E-W Vul ♦ 5

♣ 9 8 6

♠ 9 7 3

♥ 6 2

♦ Q J 9 8 6 3

♣ A 4

N
W E
S

♠ 8
♥ A K Q 5
♦ A K 7 2
♣ K Q J 3

♠ A J 10 4

♥ 10 8 4

♦ 10 4

♣ 10 7 5 2

6
7 22
5

Deal 17

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A J 10 5

♥ 8 5

♦ Q 7 2

♣ K Q 5 3

♠ 6 4 2

♥ 10 6

♦ 10 5 4

♣ A 10 9 8 7



♠ 9 3

♥ J 9 7 4 3

♦ 9 8 3

♣ J 4 2

♠ K Q 8 7

♥ A K Q 2

♦ A K J 6

♣ 6

12
4 2
22

Deal 18

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 9 7 4

♥ 4

♦ K 5 4

♣ K J 9 8 5

♠ 2

♥ Q J 5 2

♦ 9 8 7 2

♣ 10 7 6 3

W N E
S

♠ A K Q 6 3

♥ A K 10 9 6

♦ 10 6

♣ A

7
3 10 20

♠ J 8 5
♥ 8 7 3
♦ A Q J 3
♣ Q 4 2

Deal 19

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 8 5

♥ A K 6

♦ A K 8

♣ K Q J

♠ 7 4

♥ J 4 3

♦ J 6 4

♣ A 9 8 4 2



♠ A 9 6 3

♥ 10 9 8 2

♦ 9 5 3

♣ 10 6

♠ K J 2

♥ Q 7 5

♦ Q 10 7 2

♣ 7 5 3

22
6 4
8

Deal 20

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4 3
♥ 6 4 3
♦ J 10 2
♣ K J 9 8 5

♠ A Q J 2
♥ A K 5
♦ K Q 7 3
♣ A 6

5
23 6
6

N
W E
S

♠ K 9 8 7
♥ Q J 8 2
♦ 9 8 6
♣ 7 4

♠ 10 6 5
♥ 10 9 7
♦ A 5 4
♣ Q 10 3 2

Deal 21

North Deals

N-S Vul

Deal 22 ♠ J 10 6 4

East Deals ♥ 10 3

E-W Vul ♦ 5 4

♣ Q 10 9 8 7

♠ A 8

♥ K Q 4

♦ A K Q J 8 6

♣ K 4

3
22 11
4

N
W S E

♠ Q 9 5 3
♥ J 8 6 2
♦ 9 3
♣ J 6 2

♠ K 7 2
♥ A 9 7 5
♦ 10 7 2
♣ A 5 3

Deal 23
South Deals
Both Vul

Deal 24 ♠ K Q 6 5 2

West Deals ♥ J 9 7 3

None Vul ♦ 5

♣ 9 8 6

♠ 9 7 3

♥ 6 2

♦ Q J 9 8 6 3

♣ A 4

N
W E
S

♠ 8
♥ A K Q 5
♦ A K 7 2
♣ K Q J 3

♠ A J 10 4

♥ 10 8 4

♦ 10 4

♣ 10 7 5 2

6
7 22
5

Deal 25 ♠ A J 10 5

North Deals ♥ 8 5

E-W Vul ♦ Q 7 2

♣ K Q 5 3

♠ 6 4 2

♥ 10 6

♦ 10 5 4

♣ A 10 9 8 7



♠ 9 3

♥ J 9 7 4 3

♦ 9 8 3

♣ J 4 2

♠ K Q 8 7

♥ A K Q 2

♦ A K J 6

♣ 6

12
4 2
22

Deal 26

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 7 4

♥ 4

♦ K 5 4

♣ K J 9 8 5

♠ 2

♥ Q J 5 2

♦ 9 8 7 2

♣ 10 7 6 3

W N E S

♠ A K Q 6 3

♥ A K 10 9 6

♦ 10 6

♣ A

3 7
10 20♠ J 8 5
♥ 8 7 3
♦ A Q J 3
♣ Q 4 2

Deal 27South Deals
None Vul

♠ Q 10 8 5

♥ A K 6

♦ A K 8

♣ K Q J

♠ 7 4

♥ J 4 3

♦ J 6 4

♣ A 9 8 4 2

W N E S

♠ A 9 6 3

♥ 10 9 8 2

♦ 9 5 3

♣ 10 6

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_{6 4 8}♠ K J 2
♥ Q 7 5
♦ Q 10 7 2
♣ 7 5 3

Deal 28

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4 3
♥ 6 4 3
♦ J 10 2
♣ K J 9 8 5

♠ A Q J 2
♥ A K 5
♦ K Q 7 3
♣ A 6

5
2 3 6
6

N
W E
S

♠ K 9 8 7
♥ Q J 8 2
♦ 9 8 6
♣ 7 4

♠ 10 6 5
♥ 10 9 7
♦ A 5 4
♣ Q 10 3 2

Deal 29
North Deals
Both Vul

Deal 30 ♠ J 10 6 4

East Deals ♥ 10 3

None Vul ♦ 5 4

♣ Q 10 9 8 7

♠ A 8

♥ K Q 4

♦ A K Q J 8 6

♣ K 4

N
W E
S

♠ K 7 2

♥ A 9 7 5

♦ 10 7 2

♣ A 5 3

♠ Q 9 5 3

♥ J 8 6 2

♦ 9 3

♣ J 6 2

3

22 11

4

Deal 31
South Deals
N-S Vul

Deal 32

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 6 5 2

♥ J 9 7 3

♦ 5

♣ 9 8 6

♠ 9 7 3

♥ 6 2

♦ Q J 9 8 6 3

♣ A 4



♠ A J 10 4

♥ 10 8 4

♦ 10 4

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♣ 10 7 5 2