

**Deal 1**

North Deals	♠ K J 3		
None Vul	♥ K Q 5		
	♦ A Q J		
	♣ K J 4 2		
♠ A 7 6 4 2	♠ 9 5		
♥ 9 2	♥ 10 8 7 4 3		
♦ 6 4 2	♦ 8 7 5		
♣ 9 8 6	♣ A 7 3		
20 4 4 12	♠ Q 10 8 ♥ A J 6 ♦ K 10 9 3 ♣ Q 10 5		
West	North	East	South
	2 NT	Pass	4 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 NT by North			

NORTH has a perfect 2 NT opening hand, 20 points and 3-3-3-4 distribution.

SOUTH, with 12 points of his own, knows the partnership is borderline strong enough for slam.

Since he is happy with Notrump, he invites NORTH to bid slam by responding 4 NT.

With one more point NORTH might bid the slam, but here she just passes.

**Deal 2**East Deals  
None Vul

♠ J 10 4  
 ♥ A J 6  
 ♦ K 5 3  
 ♣ 10 8 7 2

8  
 9 15  
 8

West

2 NT

2 NT by East

♠ K 7 3 2  
 ♥ 10 9 7 3  
 ♦ J 2

♣ A 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

♠ A Q 8  
 ♥ 8 5 4  
 ♦ Q 10 9 6 4  
 ♣ 9 6

North  
Pass

East  
1 NT

South  
Pass

EAST opens 1 NT with 15 points and a balanced hand.

WEST, with 9 points, cannot bid game herself, but she can invite EAST to bid game if he

has the maximum 17 point opener. So she responds 2 NT.

EAST doesn't have maximum, he has minimum, so he passes.

**Deal 3**

North Deals  
None Vul

♠ 6 4 3  
♥ Q J 10 5  
♦ Q 3 2  
♣ 9 8 3

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**5 8**  
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♠ Q 10 8 2  
♥ A K  
♦ 7 6 4  
♣ A K Q 5

N  
W E  
S

♠ A K  
♥ 9 8 7 3  
♦ 10 9 8 5  
♣ J 10 6

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

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♣
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by South			

NORTH is 1 point too strong to open 1 NT, so opens 1â™£.

SOUTH responds in his 4-card Major suit, 1â™.

NORTH now shows her 4-card support plus her extra strength by jumping to 3â™ and SOUTH bids the game.

**Deal 4**

West Deals

None Vul

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

6  
**21**  
6 7

♠ A 10 9 8 2

♥ 10 9 4

♦ 8 4 2

♣ Q 6

W	N
S	E

♠ 5 4 3  
♥ A 7 2  
♦ K 10 6 5  
♣ 9 8 5

♠ 7 6  
♥ J 6 5 3  
♦ A 7  
♣ J 10 7 4 3

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

WEST has a classic 2 NT opening bid, 21 points and balanced distribution.

EAST knows that her 7 points will be plenty for game, but not enough to consider

slam so she just bids 3 NT.

**Deal 5**

North Deals      ♠ K J 3  
N-S Vul      ♥ K Q 5  
                    ♦ A Q J  
                    ♣ K J 4 2

♠ A 7 6 4 2      ♠ 9 5  
♥ 9 2      ♥ 10 8 7 4 3  
♦ 6 4 2      ♦ 8 7 5  
♣ 9 8 6      ♣ A 7 3

N  
W E  
S

20  
4 4  
12

♠ Q 10 8  
♥ A J 6  
♦ K 10 9 3  
♣ Q 10 5

**Deal 6**  
East Deals  
E-W Vul

♠ J 10 4  
♥ A J 6  
♦ K 5 3  
♣ 10 8 7 2

8  
9 15  
8

N  
W E  
S

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

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

♠ A Q 8  
♥ 8 5 4  
♦ Q 10 9 6 4  
♣ 9 6

**Deal 7**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 10 8 2

♥ A K

♦ 7 6 4

♣ A K Q 5

♠ 6 4 3

♥ Q J 10 5

♦ Q 3 2

♣ 9 8 3

N  
W E  
S

♠ A K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ 10 9 8 5

♣ J 10 6

♠ J 9 7 5

♥ 6 4 2

♦ A K J

♣ 7 4 2

**18**  
**5 8**  
**9**

**Deal 8**      ♠ A 10 9 8 2

West Deals      ♥ 10 9 4

None Vul      ♦ 8 4 2

♣ Q 6

♠ K Q J

♥ K Q 8

♦ Q J 9 3

♣ A K 2

N  
W    E  
S

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 7 2

♦ K 10 6 5

♣ 9 8 5

♠ 7 6

♥ J 6 5 3

♦ A 7

♣ J 10 7 4 3

6  
**21** 7  
6

**Deal 9**

North Deals	♠ K J 3
E-W Vul	♥ K Q 5
	♦ A Q J
	♣ K J 4 2
♠ A 7 6 4 2	♠ 9 5
♥ 9 2	♥ 10 8 7 4 3
♦ 6 4 2	♦ 8 7 5
♣ 9 8 6	♣ A 7 3
<b>20</b>	♠ Q 10 8
<b>4 4</b>	♥ A J 6
<b>12</b>	♦ K 10 9 3
	♣ Q 10 5



**Deal 10**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 7 3 2

♥ 10 9 7 3

♦ J 2

♣ A 5 4

♠ J 10 4

♥ A J 6

♦ K 5 3

♣ 10 8 7 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ 9 6 5

♥ K Q 2

♦ A 8 7

♣ K Q J 3

♠ A Q 8

♥ 8 5 4

♦ Q 10 9 6 4

♣ 9 6

8  
9 15  
8

**Deal 11**

South Deals

None Vul

♦ 7 6 4

♣ A K Q 5

♠ 6 4 3

♥ Q J 10 5

♦ Q 3 2

♣ 9 8 3

W N E S

♠ A K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ 10 9 8 5

♣ J 10 6

♠ J 9 7 5

♥ 6 4 2

♦ A K J

♣ 7 4 2

**18**  
5 8  
9

**Deal 12**      ♠ A 10 9 8 2

West Deals      ♥ 10 9 4

N-S Vul      ♦ 8 4 2

♣ Q 6

♠ K Q J

♥ K Q 8

♦ Q J 9 3

♣ A K 2

N  
W   E  
S

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 7 2

♦ K 10 6 5

♣ 9 8 5

♠ 7 6

♥ J 6 5 3

♦ A 7

♣ J 10 7 4 3

6  
**21** 7  
6

**Deal 13**      ♠ K J 3  
North Deals    ♥ K Q 5  
Both Vul        ♦ A Q J  
                  ♣ K J 4 2  
  
♠ A 7 6 4 2      ♠ 9 5  
♥ 9 2            ♥ 10 8 7 4 3  
♦ 6 4 2           ♦ 8 7 5  
♣ 9 8 6           ♣ A 7 3  
  
20  
4 4  
12

N  
W E  
S

♠ Q 10 8  
♥ A J 6  
♦ K 10 9 3  
♣ Q 10 5

**Deal 14**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 7 3 2

♥ 10 9 7 3

♦ J 2

♣ A 5 4

♠ J 10 4

♥ A J 6

♦ K 5 3

♣ 10 8 7 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ 9 6 5

♥ K Q 2

♦ A 8 7

♣ K Q J 3

♠ A Q 8

♥ 8 5 4

♦ Q 10 9 6 4

♣ 9 6

8  
9 15  
8

**Deal 15**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 10 8 2

♥ A K

♦ 7 6 4

♣ A K Q 5

♠ 6 4 3

♥ Q J 10 5

♦ Q 3 2

♣ 9 8 3

W N E S

♠ A K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ 10 9 8 5

♣ J 10 6

♠ J 9 7 5

♥ 6 4 2

♦ A K J

♣ 7 4 2

**18**  
5 8  
9

**Deal 16**      ♠ A 10 9 8 2

West Deals      ♥ 10 9 4

E-W Vul      ♦ 8 4 2

♣ Q 6

♠ K Q J

♥ K Q 8

♦ Q J 9 3

♣ A K 2

N  
W    E  
S

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 7 2

♦ K 10 6 5

♣ 9 8 5

♠ 7 6

♥ J 6 5 3

♦ A 7

♣ J 10 7 4 3

6  
**21** 7  
6

**Deal 17**

North Deals	♠ K J 3
None Vul	♥ K Q 5
	♦ A Q J
	♣ K J 4 2
♠ A 7 6 4 2	♠ 9 5
♥ 9 2	♥ 10 8 7 4 3
♦ 6 4 2	♦ 8 7 5
♣ 9 8 6	♣ A 7 3
<b>20</b>	♠ Q 10 8
<b>4 4</b>	♥ A J 6
<b>12</b>	♦ K 10 9 3
	♣ Q 10 5



**Deal 18**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 7 3 2

♥ 10 9 7 3

♦ J 2

♣ A 5 4

♠ J 10 4

♥ A J 6

♦ K 5 3

♣ 10 8 7 2

W N E S

♠ 9 6 5

♥ K Q 2

♦ A 8 7

♣ K Q J 3

♠ A Q 8

♥ 8 5 4

♦ Q 10 9 6 4

♣ 9 6

8  
9  
8 15

**Deal 19**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 8 2

♥ A K

♦ 7 6 4

♣ A K Q 5

♠ 6 4 3

♥ Q J 10 5

♦ Q 3 2

♣ 9 8 3



♠ A K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ 10 9 8 5

♣ J 10 6

♠ J 9 7 5

♥ 6 4 2

♦ A K J

♣ 7 4 2

**18**

**5 8**

**9**

**Deal 20**      ♠ A 10 9 8 2

West Deals      ♥ 10 9 4

Both Vul      ♦ 8 4 2

♣ Q 6

♠ K Q J

♥ K Q 8

♦ Q J 9 3

♣ A K 2

N  
W    E  
S

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 7 2

♦ K 10 6 5

♣ 9 8 5

♠ 7 6

♥ J 6 5 3

♦ A 7

♣ J 10 7 4 3

6  
**21** 7  
6

**Deal 21**      ♠ K J 3  
North Deals    ♥ K Q 5  
N-S Vul        ♦ A Q J  
                  ♣ K J 4 2  
  
♠ A 7 6 4 2      ♠ 9 5  
♥ 9 2            ♥ 10 8 7 4 3  
♦ 6 4 2           ♦ 8 7 5  
♣ 9 8 6           ♣ A 7 3  
  
20  
4 4  
12



♠ Q 10 8  
♥ A J 6  
♦ K 10 9 3  
♣ Q 10 5

**Deal 22**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 7 3 2

♥ 10 9 7 3

♦ J 2

♣ A 5 4

♠ J 10 4

♥ A J 6

♦ K 5 3

♣ 10 8 7 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ 9 6 5

♥ K Q 2

♦ A 8 7

♣ K Q J 3

♠ A Q 8

♥ 8 5 4

♦ Q 10 9 6 4

♣ 9 6

8  
9 15  
8

**Deal 23**

South Deals  
Both Vul

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

♠ 6 4 3  
♥ Q J 10 5  
♦ Q 3 2  
♣ 9 8 3

N  
W E  
S

♠ A K  
♥ 9 8 7 3  
♦ 10 9 8 5  
♣ J 10 6

**18**  
**5 8**  
**9**  
♠ J 9 7 5  
♥ 6 4 2  
♦ A K J  
♣ 7 4 2

**Deal 24**      ♠ A 10 9 8 2

West Deals      ♥ 10 9 4

None Vul      ♦ 8 4 2

♣ Q 6

♠ K Q J

♥ K Q 8

♦ Q J 9 3

♣ A K 2

N  
W    E  
S

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 7 2

♦ K 10 6 5

♣ 9 8 5

♠ 7 6

♥ J 6 5 3

♦ A 7

♣ J 10 7 4 3

6  
**21** 7  
6

**Deal 25**      ♠ K J 3  
North Deals      ♥ K Q 5  
E-W Vul      ♦ A Q J  
                  ♣ K J 4 2  
  
♠ A 7 6 4 2      ♠ 9 5  
♥ 9 2      ♥ 10 8 7 4 3  
♦ 6 4 2      ♦ 8 7 5  
♣ 9 8 6      ♣ A 7 3  
  
20  
4 4  
12



♠ Q 10 8  
♥ A J 6  
♦ K 10 9 3  
♣ Q 10 5

**Deal 26**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 7 3 2

♥ 10 9 7 3

♦ J 2

♣ A 5 4

♠ J 10 4

♥ A J 6

♦ K 5 3

♣ 10 8 7 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ 9 6 5

♥ K Q 2

♦ A 8 7

♣ K Q J 3

♠ A Q 8

♥ 8 5 4

♦ Q 10 9 6 4

♣ 9 6

8  
9 15  
8

**Deal 27**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 10 8 2

♥ A K

♦ 7 6 4

♣ A K Q 5

♠ 6 4 3

♥ Q J 10 5

♦ Q 3 2

♣ 9 8 3

N  
W E  
S

♠ A K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ 10 9 8 5

♣ J 10 6

♠ J 9 7 5

♥ 6 4 2

♦ A K J

♣ 7 4 2

**18**  
**5 8**  
**9**

**Deal 28**

West Deals

N-S Vul

♦ 8 4 2

♣ Q 6

♠ K Q J

♥ K Q 8

♦ Q J 9 3

♣ A K 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 7 2

♦ K 10 6 5

♣ 9 8 5

♠ 7 6

♥ J 6 5 3

♦ A 7

♣ J 10 7 4 3

6  
**21** 7  
6

**Deal 29**      ♠ K J 3  
North Deals      ♥ K Q 5  
Both Vul      ♦ A Q J  
                  ♣ K J 4 2  
  
♠ A 7 6 4 2      ♠ 9 5  
♥ 9 2      ♥ 10 8 7 4 3  
♦ 6 4 2      ♦ 8 7 5  
♣ 9 8 6      ♣ A 7 3  
  
20  
4 4  
12



♠ Q 10 8  
♥ A J 6  
♦ K 10 9 3  
♣ Q 10 5

**Deal 30**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 7 3 2

♥ 10 9 7 3

♦ J 2

♣ A 5 4

♠ J 10 4

♥ A J 6

♦ K 5 3

♣ 10 8 7 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ 9 6 5

♥ K Q 2

♦ A 8 7

♣ K Q J 3

♠ A Q 8

♥ 8 5 4

♦ Q 10 9 6 4

♣ 9 6

8

9

8

15

**Deal 31**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♦ 7 6 4

♣ A K Q 5

♠ 6 4 3

♥ Q J 10 5

♦ Q 3 2

♣ 9 8 3

N  
W E  
S

♠ A K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ 10 9 8 5

♣ J 10 6

♠ J 9 7 5

♥ 6 4 2

♦ A K J

♣ 7 4 2

**18**  
**5 8**  
**9**

**Deal 32**      ♠ A 10 9 8 2

West Deals      ♥ 10 9 4

E-W Vul      ♦ 8 4 2

♣ Q 6

♠ K Q J

♥ K Q 8

♦ Q J 9 3

♣ A K 2

N  
W     E  
S

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 7 2

♦ K 10 6 5

♣ 9 8 5

♠ 7 6

♥ J 6 5 3

♦ A 7

♣ J 10 7 4 3

6  
**21** 7  
6

**Deal 33**

North Deals	♠ K J 3
None Vul	♥ K Q 5
	♦ A Q J
	♣ K J 4 2
♠ A 7 6 4 2	♠ 9 5
♥ 9 2	♥ 10 8 7 4 3
♦ 6 4 2	♦ 8 7 5
♣ 9 8 6	♣ A 7 3
<b>20</b>	♠ Q 10 8
<b>4 4</b>	♥ A J 6
<b>12</b>	♦ K 10 9 3
	♣ Q 10 5



**Deal 34**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 7 3 2

♥ 10 9 7 3

♦ J 2

♣ A 5 4

♠ J 10 4

♥ A J 6

♦ K 5 3

♣ 10 8 7 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ 9 6 5

♥ K Q 2

♦ A 8 7

♣ K Q J 3

♠ A Q 8

♥ 8 5 4

♦ Q 10 9 6 4

♣ 9 6

8  
9 15  
8

**Deal 35**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 8 2

♥ A K

♦ 7 6 4

♣ A K Q 5

♠ 6 4 3

♥ Q J 10 5

♦ Q 3 2

♣ 9 8 3

N  
W E  
S

♠ A K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ 10 9 8 5

♣ J 10 6

♠ J 9 7 5

♥ 6 4 2

♦ A K J

♣ 7 4 2

**18**  
**5 8**  
**9**

**Deal 36**      ♠ A 10 9 8 2

West Deals      ♥ 10 9 4

Both Vul      ♦ 8 4 2

♣ Q 6

♠ K Q J

♥ K Q 8

♦ Q J 9 3

♣ A K 2

N  
W    E  
S

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 7 2

♦ K 10 6 5

♣ 9 8 5

♠ 7 6

♥ J 6 5 3

♦ A 7

♣ J 10 7 4 3

6  
**21** 7  
6