

**Deal 1**

North Deals

None Vul

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

9  
 4 6  
 21

West

Pass

4 ♥ by North

♠ 7 6 4

♥ A K 9 7 4 3

♦ 7 2

♣ Q 5



♠ K Q

♥ Q J

♦ A K Q 6 5

♣ K J 4 2

North

2 ♥

Pass

East

Pass

Pass

South

4 ♥

NORTH is too weak to open 1

♠

but just right for 2

♠

.

Wow! SOUTH has 21 HCP and two good

♠

s. Could this be time for a slam try?

Nope, no slam here. Suppose NORTH has  
 six

♠

s headed by the AK. The trump suit

would certainly be solid, but then NORTH couldn't possibly have an outside Ace as well  
 or he would have been

too strong for a Weak-two opening. So SOUTH just bids 4

♠

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**Deal 2**

East Deals

None Vul

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

11  
 15 7  
 7

West

Pass

2 ♥ by East

♠ K 10 7 6 2

♥ 10 5

♦ A 10 7 3

♣ A 10

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♠ 9 4

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ J 6 2

♣ Q 9 6 3

North

Pass

East

2 ♥

South

Pass

WEST really hates that 2

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opening by EAST.

But there's no sense bidding and  
 probably making matters worse, so she  
 grits her

teeth and passes.

If you think 3 NT has a chance you are  
 delusional.

**Deal 3**

North Deals  
None Vul

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

9  
9 7  
15

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



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

♠ 9  
♥ J 5 3  
♦ K J 10 8  
♣ Q 10 8 7 2

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

SOUTH expects to be better off in 4♠ than NORTH would be in 2

4♠

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Whether or not you play a new suit as a one round force or not, NORTH should make the 3♠ bid with

a hand this good. SOUTH then bids the 4♠ game.

**Deal 4**

West Deals

None Vul

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

	♠ Q J 9 3
	♥ 9
	♦ 8 7
	♣ Q J 10 7 6 3

West	North	East	South
3 ♥	Pass	4 NT	Pass
5 ♦	Pass	6 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		
6 ♥ by West			

WEST has a pretty normal 3

♠™

opening bid.

EAST, however, has a big hand, and she launches into Blackwood.

When WEST shows one Ace EAST can bid 6

♠™

with confidence.

**Deal 5**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 7 6

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ K 8 6 5

♣ 3

20  
7 7  
6

West

Pass

Pass

3 NT by North

♠ A Q 10

♥ K Q J

♦ Q J 10 3

♣ A J 10



♠ J 3

♥ 7 6

♦ 9 7

♣ K Q 9 8 7 5 2

North

3 NT

East

Pass

South

3 ♣

Pass

SOUTH doesn't have much of a 3<sup>TM</sup>£ opening bid.

But NORTH has just the type of hand you need to bid 3 NT after partner's preempt. The other three

suits well stopped, and certain entry in Opener's long suit. Notice here that 3 NT is a good contract,

but 5<sup>TM</sup>£ would go down 1.

**Deal 6**

East Deals  
None Vul

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

7  
23 5  
5

*West*

2 NT

4 ♥

4 ♥ by East

♠ K 10 8 2

♥ 5

♦ 6 4 2

♣ A 10 8 7 5



♠ 9 7 5

♥ A 7 4

♦ J 10 9 3

♣ 9 6 3

*North*

Pass

Pass

*East*

2 ♥

3 ♥

Pass

*South*

Pass

Pass

Pass

When EAST opens with a Weak 2

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bid, WEST knows she will

force to game but is thinking about slam.

But first she needs to know if EAST has anything extra. She bids 2 NT to get more information.

EAST returns to

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s to show bare minimum so WEST settles for game.

**Deal 7**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

9  
4 6  
21

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



♠ K Q  
♥ Q J  
♦ A K Q 6 5  
♣ K J 4 2

♠ A J 9 8 3  
♥ 10 5  
♦ J 9 8 3  
♣ 10 8

**Deal 8**

West Deals

None Vul

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

11  
15 7  
7

♠ K 10 7 6 2

♥ 10 5

♦ A 10 7 3

♣ A 10



♠ 9 4

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ J 6 2

♣ Q 9 6 3

♠ J 8 3

♥ K Q J 7 6 2

♦ 8 5

♣ 8 5



**Deal 9**

North Deals

E-W Vul

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

9  
9 7  
15

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



♠ 9  
♥ J 5 3  
♦ K J 10 8  
♣ Q 10 8 7 2

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

**Deal 10**

East Deals

Both Vul

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

7  
7 <sup>20</sup>  
6

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



♠ Q J 9 3  
♥ 9  
♦ 8 7  
♣ Q J 10 7 6 3

♠ A K 7 5  
♥ K 6 3  
♦ K Q J 5 4  
♣ A

**Deal 11**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 7 6

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ K 8 6 5

♣ 3

20

7 7

6

♠ A Q 10

♥ K Q J

♦ Q J 10 3

♣ A J 10



♠ K 5 4 2

♥ 10 5 4 2

♦ A 4 2

♣ 6 4

♠ J 3

♥ 7 6

♦ 9 7

♣ K Q 9 8 7 5 2

**Deal 12**

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 6 3

♥ Q 8 2

♦ A K Q

♣ K Q J

7

23 5

5

♠ K 10 8 2

♥ 5

♦ 6 4 2

♣ A 10 8 7 5



♠ J 4

♥ K J 10 9 6 3

♦ 8 7 5

♣ 4 2

♠ 9 7 5

♥ A 7 4

♦ J 10 9 3

♣ 9 6 3

**Deal 13**

North Deals

Both Vul

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

9  
4 6  
21

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



♠ K Q  
♥ Q J  
♦ A K Q 6 5  
♣ K J 4 2

♠ A J 9 8 3  
♥ 10 5  
♦ J 9 8 3  
♣ 10 8

**Deal 14**

East Deals

None Vul

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

11  
15 7  
7

♠ K 10 7 6 2

♥ 10 5

♦ A 10 7 3

♣ A 10



♠ 9 4

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ J 6 2

♣ Q 9 6 3

♠ J 8 3

♥ K Q J 7 6 2

♦ 8 5

♣ 8 5

**Deal 15**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

9  
9 7  
15

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



♠ 9  
♥ J 5 3  
♦ K J 10 8  
♣ Q 10 8 7 2

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

**Deal 16**

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6

♥ A Q J 8 7 5 4

♦ 6 3 2

♣ 8 4

7

7 **20**

6

♠ 10 8 4 2

♥ 10 2

♦ A 10 9

♣ K 9 5 2



♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 9

♦ 8 7

♣ Q J 10 7 6 3

♠ A K 7 5

♥ K 6 3

♦ K Q J 5 4

♣ A



**Deal 17**

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 7 6

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ K 8 6 5

♣ 3

20

7 7

6

♠ A Q 10

♥ K Q J

♦ Q J 10 3

♣ A J 10



♠ K 5 4 2

♥ 10 5 4 2

♦ A 4 2

♣ 6 4

♠ J 3

♥ 7 6

♦ 9 7

♣ K Q 9 8 7 5 2

**Deal 18**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 6 3

♥ Q 8 2

♦ A K Q

♣ K Q J

7

23 5

5

♠ K 10 8 2

♥ 5

♦ 6 4 2

♣ A 10 8 7 5



♠ J 4

♥ K J 10 9 6 3

♦ 8 7 5

♣ 4 2

♠ 9 7 5

♥ A 7 4

♦ J 10 9 3

♣ 9 6 3

**Deal 19**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

9  
4 6  
21

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



♠ K Q  
♥ Q J  
♦ A K Q 6 5  
♣ K J 4 2

♠ A J 9 8 3  
♥ 10 5  
♦ J 9 8 3  
♣ 10 8

**Deal 20**  
West Deals  
Both Vul

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

11  
15 7  
7

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



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

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

**Deal 21**

North Deals

N-S Vul

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

9  
9 7  
15

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



♠ 9  
♥ J 5 3  
♦ K J 10 8  
♣ Q 10 8 7 2

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

**Deal 22**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 8 4 2

♥ 10 2

♦ A 10 9

♣ K 9 5 2

♠ 6

♥ A Q J 8 7 5 4

♦ 6 3 2

♣ 8 4



♠ A K 7 5

♥ K 6 3

♦ K Q J 5 4

♣ A

♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 9

♦ 8 7

♣ Q J 10 7 6 3

7  
7 20  
6

**Deal 23**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 7 6

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ K 8 6 5

♣ 3

20

7 7

6

♠ A Q 10

♥ K Q J

♦ Q J 10 3

♣ A J 10



♠ K 5 4 2

♥ 10 5 4 2

♦ A 4 2

♣ 6 4

♠ J 3

♥ 7 6

♦ 9 7

♣ K Q 9 8 7 5 2

**Deal 24**

West Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 6 3

♥ Q 8 2

♦ A K Q

♣ K Q J

7

23 5

5

♠ K 10 8 2

♥ 5

♦ 6 4 2

♣ A 10 8 7 5



♠ J 4

♥ K J 10 9 6 3

♦ 8 7 5

♣ 4 2

♠ 9 7 5

♥ A 7 4

♦ J 10 9 3

♣ 9 6 3



**Deal 25**

North Deals

E-W Vul

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

9  
4 6  
21

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



♠ A J 9 8 3  
♥ 10 5  
♦ J 9 8 3  
♣ 10 8

♠ K Q  
♥ Q J  
♦ A K Q 6 5  
♣ K J 4 2

**Deal 26**

East Deals

Both Vul

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

11  
15 7  
7

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



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

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

**Deal 27**  
South Deals  
None Vul

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

9  
9 7  
15

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



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

**Deal 28**

West Deals

N-S Vul

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

7  
7 <sup>20</sup>  
6

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

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W E  
S

♠ Q J 9 3  
♥ 9  
♦ 8 7  
♣ Q J 10 7 6 3

♠ A K 7 5  
♥ K 6 3  
♦ K Q J 5 4  
♣ A

**Deal 29**

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 7 6

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ K 8 6 5

♣ 3

20

7 7

6

♠ A Q 10

♥ K Q J

♦ Q J 10 3

♣ A J 10



♠ K 5 4 2

♥ 10 5 4 2

♦ A 4 2

♣ 6 4

♠ J 3

♥ 7 6

♦ 9 7

♣ K Q 9 8 7 5 2

**Deal 30**  
East Deals  
None Vul

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

7  
23 5  
5

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



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

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

**Deal 31**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

9  
4 6  
21

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



♠ K Q  
♥ Q J  
♦ A K Q 6 5  
♣ K J 4 2

♠ A J 9 8 3  
♥ 10 5  
♦ J 9 8 3  
♣ 10 8

**Deal 32**

West Deals

E-W Vul

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

11  
15 7  
7

♠ K 10 7 6 2

♥ 10 5

♦ A 10 7 3

♣ A 10



♠ 9 4

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ J 6 2

♣ Q 9 6 3

♠ J 8 3

♥ K Q J 7 6 2

♦ 8 5

♣ 8 5



**Deal 33**

North Deals

None Vul

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

9  
9 7  
15

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



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

♠ 9  
♥ J 5 3  
♦ K J 10 8  
♣ Q 10 8 7 2

**Deal 34**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 8 4 2

♥ 10 2

♦ A 10 9

♣ K 9 5 2

♠ 6

♥ A Q J 8 7 5 4

♦ 6 3 2

♣ 8 4



♠ A K 7 5

♥ K 6 3

♦ K Q J 5 4

♣ A

♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 9

♦ 8 7

♣ Q J 10 7 6 3

7  
7 20  
6

**Deal 35**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 7 6

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ K 8 6 5

♣ 3

20

7 7

6

♠ A Q 10

♥ K Q J

♦ Q J 10 3

♣ A J 10



♠ K 5 4 2

♥ 10 5 4 2

♦ A 4 2

♣ 6 4

♠ J 3

♥ 7 6

♦ 9 7

♣ K Q 9 8 7 5 2

**Deal 36**

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 6 3

♥ Q 8 2

♦ A K Q

♣ K Q J

7

23 5

5

♠ K 10 8 2

♥ 5

♦ 6 4 2

♣ A 10 8 7 5



♠ J 4

♥ K J 10 9 6 3

♦ 8 7 5

♣ 4 2

♠ 9 7 5

♥ A 7 4

♦ J 10 9 3

♣ 9 6 3