

**Deal 1**

North Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 4

♥ 5 4 3

♦ Q 8 6

♣ A 4

16

7 5

12

West

Pass

3 NT by North

♠ A Q 10

♥ Q 6

♦ A J 7 3

♣ K 10 9 6

♠ 7 3

♥ A K 2

♦ K 10 9 4

♣ Q 7 5 3

North

1 NT

Pass

♠ K 5 2

♥ J 10 9 8 7

♦ 5 2

♣ J 8 2

East

Pass

Pass

South

3 NT

The bidding has been as shown. It is your bid. What do you say?

A balanced hand with 12 points. Even if partner has just 15 points you want to be in game. So you bid 3 NT.

**Deal 2**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 3

♥ 10 7 5

♦ A K 10 9 6 4

♣ 8 6

10  
7 16  
7

*West*

3 NT

3 NT by East

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ A 6 2

♦ Q 8 2

♣ Q J 2



♠ K 8 4

♥ J 8 4 3

♦ 5 3

♣ K 5 4 3

*North*

Pass

♠ A Q 5 2

♥ K Q 9

♦ J 7

♣ A 10 9 7

*East*

1 NT

Pass

*South*

Pass

Pass

The bidding has been as shown. It is your bid. What do you say?

You have just 9 points, only 7 of which are HCP. Still, that ♦ suit is very likely to provide 5 or 6 tricks. Take a risk and bid 3 NT.

**Deal 3**

South Deals

None Vul

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

16  
 5 4  
 15

West

Pass

Pass

4 NT by South

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



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

North

4 NT

East

Pass

South

1 NT

Pass

The bidding has been as shown. It is your bid. What do you say?

With partner's 15, 16 or 17 points added to your 16 the total assets are 31, 32 or 33. That's only one chance in 3 of having the points you need for slam. On the other hand you have a pretty good 16. So you bid 4 NT, inviting partner to bid the slam. He will pass if he has only 15, so the worst thing that can happen is that he puts you in slam with only 32 points.

So you bid 4 NT and guess what? He passes.

**Deal 4**

West Deals  
None Vul

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

3  
20 13  
4

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
2 NT	Pass	6 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		
6 NT by West			

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



♠ K 6  
♥ K J 5  
♦ 10 7 5  
♣ K Q J 10 4

♠ 10 9 8 4 2  
♥ 8 3 2  
♦ A 4 2  
♣ 9 2

The bidding has been as shown. It is your bid. What do you say?

Do the math. If partner only has 20 points you still come to 34 points, enough for the slam. If you want to use Gerber to check for Aces, go ahead. Or, just bid 6 NT.

**Deal 5**

South Deals

None Vul

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

3  
11 11  
15

West

Pass

Pass

2 ♠ by North

♠ 9 8 7 6 4 2

♥ 9 5

♦ Q J 4

♣ 7 3



♠ A 10 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A 10 7 5

♣ A J 6 2

North

2 ♠

East

Pass

South

1 NT

Pass

The bidding has been as shown. It is your bid. What do you say?

You have a terrible hand and partner is not going to make 1 NT. So you bid 2 ♠, the Drop-dead bid. You don't expect to make this either, but it will probably end up better than 1 NT would have.

**Deal 6**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 4

♥ 5 4 3

♦ Q 8 6

♣ A 4

16

7 5

12

♠ A Q 10

♥ Q 6

♦ A J 7 3

♣ K 10 9 6



♠ 7 3

♥ A K 2

♦ K 10 9 4

♣ Q 7 5 3

♠ K 5 2

♥ J 10 9 8 7

♦ 5 2

♣ J 8 2

**Deal 7**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ A 6 2

♦ Q 8 2

♣ Q J 2

♠ 7 3

♥ 10 7 5

♦ A K 10 9 6 4

♣ 8 6



♠ A Q 5 2

♥ K Q 9

♦ J 7

♣ A 10 9 7

♠ K 8 4

♥ J 8 4 3

♦ 5 3

♣ K 5 4 3

10  
7 16  
7

**Deal 8**

West Deals

None Vul

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

16  
5 4  
15

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



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

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



**Deal 9**

North Deals

E-W Vul

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

3  
20 13  
4

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



♠ K 6  
♥ K J 5  
♦ 10 7 5  
♣ K Q J 10 4

♠ 10 9 8 4 2  
♥ 8 3 2  
♦ A 4 2  
♣ 9 2

**Deal 10**

East Deals

Both Vul

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

3  
11 11  
15

♠ 9 8 7 6 4 2

♥ 9 5

♦ Q J 4

♣ 7 3



♠ A 10 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A 10 7 5

♣ A J 6 2

♠ Q J 5

♥ K 10 4

♦ K 9 8 2

♣ Q 10 4

**Deal 11**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 4

♥ 5 4 3

♦ Q 8 6

♣ A 4

16

7 5

12

♠ A Q 10

♥ Q 6

♦ A J 7 3

♣ K 10 9 6



♠ 7 3

♥ A K 2

♦ K 10 9 4

♣ Q 7 5 3

♠ K 5 2

♥ J 10 9 8 7

♦ 5 2

♣ J 8 2

**Deal 12**

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ A 6 2

♦ Q 8 2

♣ Q J 2

♠ 7 3

♥ 10 7 5

♦ A K 10 9 6 4

♣ 8 6



♠ A Q 5 2

♥ K Q 9

♦ J 7

♣ A 10 9 7

♠ K 8 4

♥ J 8 4 3

♦ 5 3

♣ K 5 4 3

10  
7 16  
7

**Deal 13**

North Deals

Both Vul

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

16  
5 4  
15

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



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

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

**Deal 14**

East Deals

None Vul

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

3  
20 13  
4

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



♠ K 6  
♥ K J 5  
♦ 10 7 5  
♣ K Q J 10 4

♠ 10 9 8 4 2  
♥ 8 3 2  
♦ A 4 2  
♣ 9 2

**Deal 15**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

3  
11 11  
15

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



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

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

**Deal 16**

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 4

♥ 5 4 3

♦ Q 8 6

♣ A 4

16

7 5

12

♠ A Q 10

♥ Q 6

♦ A J 7 3

♣ K 10 9 6



♠ 7 3

♥ A K 2

♦ K 10 9 4

♣ Q 7 5 3

♠ K 5 2

♥ J 10 9 8 7

♦ 5 2

♣ J 8 2



**Deal 17**

North Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ A 6 2

♦ Q 8 2

♣ Q J 2

♠ 7 3

♥ 10 7 5

♦ A K 10 9 6 4

♣ 8 6



♠ A Q 5 2

♥ K Q 9

♦ J 7

♣ A 10 9 7

♠ K 8 4

♥ J 8 4 3

♦ 5 3

♣ K 5 4 3

10  
7 16  
7

**Deal 18**

East Deals

N-S Vul

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

16  
5 4  
15

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



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

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

**Deal 19**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

3  
20 13  
4

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



♠ K 6  
♥ K J 5  
♦ 10 7 5  
♣ K Q J 10 4

♠ 10 9 8 4 2  
♥ 8 3 2  
♦ A 4 2  
♣ 9 2

**Deal 20**

West Deals

Both Vul

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

3  
11 11  
15

♠ 9 8 7 6 4 2

♥ 9 5

♦ Q J 4

♣ 7 3



♠ A 10 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A 10 7 5

♣ A J 6 2

♠ Q J 5

♥ K 10 4

♦ K 9 8 2

♣ Q 10 4

**Deal 21**

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 4

♥ 5 4 3

♦ Q 8 6

♣ A 4

16

7 5

12

♠ A Q 10

♥ Q 6

♦ A J 7 3

♣ K 10 9 6



♠ 7 3

♥ A K 2

♦ K 10 9 4

♣ Q 7 5 3

♠ K 5 2

♥ J 10 9 8 7

♦ 5 2

♣ J 8 2

**Deal 22**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ A 6 2

♦ Q 8 2

♣ Q J 2

♠ 7 3

♥ 10 7 5

♦ A K 10 9 6 4

♣ 8 6



♠ A Q 5 2

♥ K Q 9

♦ J 7

♣ A 10 9 7

♠ K 8 4

♥ J 8 4 3

♦ 5 3

♣ K 5 4 3

10  
7 16  
7

**Deal 23**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

16  
5 4  
15

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



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

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

**Deal 24**

West Deals

None Vul

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

3  
20 13  
4

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



♠ K 6  
♥ K J 5  
♦ 10 7 5  
♣ K Q J 10 4

♠ 10 9 8 4 2  
♥ 8 3 2  
♦ A 4 2  
♣ 9 2



**Deal 25**

North Deals

E-W Vul

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

3  
11 11  
15

♠ 9 8 7 6 4 2

♥ 9 5

♦ Q J 4

♣ 7 3



♠ A 10 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A 10 7 5

♣ A J 6 2

♠ Q J 5

♥ K 10 4

♦ K 9 8 2

♣ Q 10 4

**Deal 26**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 4

♥ 5 4 3

♦ Q 8 6

♣ A 4

16

7 5

12

♠ A Q 10

♥ Q 6

♦ A J 7 3

♣ K 10 9 6



♠ 7 3

♥ A K 2

♦ K 10 9 4

♣ Q 7 5 3

♠ K 5 2

♥ J 10 9 8 7

♦ 5 2

♣ J 8 2

**Deal 27**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ A 6 2

♦ Q 8 2

♣ Q J 2

♠ 7 3

♥ 10 7 5

♦ A K 10 9 6 4

♣ 8 6



♠ A Q 5 2

♥ K Q 9

♦ J 7

♣ A 10 9 7

♠ K 8 4

♥ J 8 4 3

♦ 5 3

♣ K 5 4 3

10  
7 16  
7

**Deal 28**

West Deals

N-S Vul

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

16  
5 4  
15

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



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

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

**Deal 29**

North Deals

Both Vul

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

3  
20 13  
4

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



♠ K 6  
♥ K J 5  
♦ 10 7 5  
♣ K Q J 10 4

♠ 10 9 8 4 2  
♥ 8 3 2  
♦ A 4 2  
♣ 9 2

**Deal 30**  
East Deals  
None Vul

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

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



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

3  
11 11  
15

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

**Deal 31**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 4

♥ 5 4 3

♦ Q 8 6

♣ A 4

16

7 5

12

♠ A Q 10

♥ Q 6

♦ A J 7 3

♣ K 10 9 6



♠ 7 3

♥ A K 2

♦ K 10 9 4

♣ Q 7 5 3

♠ K 5 2

♥ J 10 9 8 7

♦ 5 2

♣ J 8 2

**Deal 32**

West Deals

E-W Vul

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

10  
7 16  
7

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ A 6 2

♦ Q 8 2

♣ Q J 2



♠ K 8 4

♥ J 8 4 3

♦ 5 3

♣ K 5 4 3

♠ A Q 5 2

♥ K Q 9

♦ J 7

♣ A 10 9 7



**Deal 33**

North Deals

None Vul

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

16  
5 4  
15

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



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

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

**Deal 34**

East Deals

N-S Vul

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

3  
20 13  
4

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



♠ K 6  
♥ K J 5  
♦ 10 7 5  
♣ K Q J 10 4

♠ 10 9 8 4 2  
♥ 8 3 2  
♦ A 4 2  
♣ 9 2

**Deal 35**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

3  
11 11  
15

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



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

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