

Deal 1

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 7 4
♥ Q J 7 5 2
♦ J 10 9
♣ J 5

23
5 5
7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K 8 2
♥ A K 3
♦ A 4
♣ K Q 9 4

♠ J 10 3
♥ 10 9
♦ 7 5 3 2
♣ A 6 3 2

♠ Q 6 5
♥ 8 6 4
♦ K Q 8 6
♣ 10 8 7

West	North	East	South
	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
3 NT by North			

You dealt this hand. Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

With 23 points you naturally open 2♣. Partner responds 2♦. What do you bid next?

You have 23 points and no 5-card suit. Since your hand is balanced you bid 2 NT. Partner raises to 3 NT and you pass.

Deal 2
 East Deals
 None Vul

♠ 10 8 7 2
 ♥ Q 5 3
 ♦ 8 6 4
 ♣ 9 7 4

9
 2 23
 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A J 9 4
 ♥ J 8 7 4
 ♦ 10 3
 ♣ Q J 6

♠ K Q 5
 ♥ A K 6
 ♦ A K 9 2
 ♣ A 10 8

♠ 6 3
 ♥ 10 9 2
 ♦ Q J 7 5
 ♣ K 5 3 2

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

Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

With only 2 points you make a Negative 2♦ response to partner's 2♣ opener. He now bids 2 NT. What is your bid?

This isn't as clear-cut a decision as you might think at first. Partner is showing 22-24 points, and even though you only have 2 points it is possible that the partnership total could be 26. The thing that should convince you to pass is that a 24-2 point split doesn't play nearly as well as say a 13-13 split would. Lack of transportation would likely kill any chance of 3 NT (or 4♣). So you pass.

Deal 3South Deals
None Vul

♠ J 10 3
♥ 10 9
♦ 5 4 3 2
♣ A 6 3 2

4
5
26

♠ Q 6 5
♥ 8 6 4
♦ Q 9 8 6
♣ 10 8 7

N
W E
S

♠ 9 7 4
♥ Q J 7 5 2
♦ J 10 7
♣ J 5

♠ A K 8 2
♥ A K 3
♦ A K
♣ K Q 9 4

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

You dealt this hand. Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

With 26 points you naturally open 2 ♣. Partner responds 2 ♦. What do you bid next?

You have 26 points and no 5-card suit. Since your hand is balanced you bid 3 NT. Everybody passes.

Deal 4West Deals
None Vul

♠ K Q 5
 ♥ A K 6
 ♦ A K 9 2
 ♣ A 10 8

6
 23 4
 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6 3
 ♥ 10 9 2
 ♦ Q J 7 5
 ♣ K 5 3 2

♠ J 10 8 2
 ♥ Q 5 3
 ♦ 8 6 4
 ♣ J 9 4

♠ A 9 7 4
 ♥ J 8 7 4
 ♦ 10 3
 ♣ Q 7 6

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

Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

With only 4 points you make a Negative 2♦ response to partner's 2♣ opener. He now bids 2 NT. What is your bid?

True, 4 points isn't much. But added to partner's 22-24 it becomes enough for a game. Your problem isn't whether to bid to the game or not, (you definitely will), but whether you should use Stayman to find out if there is a 4-4 ♠ fit. You decide not to do this because your 4-3-3-3 distribution removes the possibility of you getting any ruffs. So you bid 3 NT.

Deal 5

North Deals	♠ —	♥ A K Q J 8 6 4 3	
None Vul	♦ A 5		
	♣ Q J 4		
♠ A Q J 9 6 4 2		♠ 10 5	
♥ —	N	♥ 10 7 5	
♦ 10 6	W E	♦ K Q 9 3	
♣ K 8 5 2	S	♣ A 9 7 6	
		♠ K 8 7 3	
		♥ 9 2	
10 9		♦ J 8 7 4 2	
4		♣ 10 3	
West	North	East	South
	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♥ by North			

You dealt this hand. Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

You only have 20 points, but you have 9 playing tricks. You have two choices, open 4 ♥ or open 2 ♣. Usually 4 ♥ would show a slightly weaker hand than this, so you bid 2 ♣. Partner responds 2 ♦. What do you bid next?

Of course you bid your 8-card suit. But no jumping, just bid 2 ♥. Partner now says 2 NT. What do you bid next?

Partner has between 3 and 7 points. Somewhere in those points might be the one trick you need, but you don't have any scientific way of finding out. So just bid 4 ♥ and hope.(There it is, the ♣T.)

Deal 6

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K 8 2

♥ A K 3

♦ A 4

♣ K Q 9 4

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ J 10 9

♣ J 5

N
W E
S

♠ J 10 3

♥ 10 9

♦ 7 5 3 2

♣ A 6 3 2

♠ Q 6 5

♥ 8 6 4

♦ K Q 8 6

♣ 10 8 7

23
5 5
7

Deal 7 ♠ A J 9 4
South Deals ♥ J 8 7 4
Both Vul ♦ 10 3
 ♣ Q J 6

♠ 10 8 7 2
♥ Q 5 3
♦ 8 6 4
♣ 9 7 4

9
2 23
6

N
W E
S

♠ K Q 5
♥ A K 6
♦ A K 9 2
♣ A 10 8

♠ 6 3
♥ 10 9 2
♦ Q J 7 5
♣ K 5 3 2

Deal 8

West Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 6 5

♥ 8 6 4

♦ Q 9 8 6

♣ 10 8 7

♠ J 10 3

♥ 10 9

♦ 5 4 3 2

♣ A 6 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ J 10 7

♣ J 5

4
5 5
26♠ A K 8 2
♥ A K 3
♦ A K
♣ K Q 9 4

Deal 9

North Deals ♠ 6 3
E-W Vul ♥ 10 9 2
 ♦ Q J 7 5
 ♣ K 5 3 2
♠ K Q 5
♥ A K 6
♦ A K 9 2
♣ A 10 8

6
23 4
7

N
W E
S

♠ J 10 8 2
♥ Q 5 3
♦ 8 6 4
♣ J 9 4

♠ A 9 7 4
♥ J 8 7 4
♦ 10 3
♣ Q 7 6

Deal 10

East Deals	♠ —	♥ A K Q J 8 6 4 3
Both Vul	♦ A 5	♦ —
	♣ Q J 4	♣ —
♠ A Q J 9 6 4 2	♠ N	♠ 10 5
♥ —	W E	♥ 10 7 5
♦ 10 6	S	♦ K Q 9 3
♣ K 8 5 2	♣ —	♣ A 9 7 6
	♠ K 8 7 3	♠ —
10 17 4 9	♥ 9 2	♥ —
	♦ J 8 7 4 2	♦ —
	♣ 10 3	♣ —

Deal 11

South Deals

None Vul

♦ A 4

♣ K Q 9 4

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ J 10 9

♣ J 5

23
5 5
7

N
W E
S

♠ J 10 3

♥ 10 9

♦ 7 5 3 2

♣ A 6 3 2

♠ Q 6 5
♥ 8 6 4
♦ K Q 8 6
♣ 10 8 7

Deal 12

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J 9 4

♥ J 8 7 4

♦ 10 3

♣ Q J 6

♠ 10 8 7 2

♥ Q 5 3

♦ 8 6 4

♣ 9 7 4



♠ K Q 5

♥ A K 6

♦ A K 9 2

♣ A 10 8

♠ 6 3

♥ 10 9 2

♦ Q J 7 5

♣ K 5 3 2

9
2 23
6

Deal 13

North Deals
Both Vul

♠ Q 6 5
♥ 8 6 4
♦ Q 9 8 6
♣ 10 8 7

♠ J 10 3
♥ 10 9
♦ 5 4 3 2
♣ A 6 3 2



♠ 9 7 4
♥ Q J 7 5 2
♦ J 10 7
♣ J 5

4
5 5
26

♠ A K 8 2
♥ A K 3
♦ A K
♣ K Q 9 4

Deal 14

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 5
♥ A K 6
♦ A K 9 2
♣ A 10 8

6
23 4
7

♠ 6 3
♥ 10 9 2
♦ Q J 7 5
♣ K 5 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ J 10 8 2
♥ Q 5 3
♦ 8 6 4
♣ J 9 4

♠ A 9 7 4
♥ J 8 7 4
♦ 10 3
♣ Q 7 6

Deal 15

South Deals ♠ —
N-S Vul ♥ A K Q J 8 6 4 3
♦ A 5
♣ Q J 4
♠ A Q J 9 6 4 2 ♠ 10 5
♥ — ♥ 10 7 5
♦ 10 6 ♦ K Q 9 3
♣ K 8 5 2 ♣ A 9 7 6

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



**10 9
17 4**

Deal 16

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K 8 2

♥ A K 3

♦ A 4

♣ K Q 9 4

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ J 10 9

♣ J 5

N
W E
S

♠ J 10 3

♥ 10 9

♦ 7 5 3 2

♣ A 6 3 2

♠ Q 6 5

♥ 8 6 4

♦ K Q 8 6

♣ 10 8 7

23
5 5
7

Deal 17

North Deals

None Vul

♦ A J 9 4

♥ J 8 7 4

♦ 10 3

♣ Q J 6

♠ 10 8 7 2

♥ Q 5 3

♦ 8 6 4

♣ 9 7 4

♠ K Q 5

♥ A K 6

♦ A K 9 2

♣ A 10 8

♠ 6 3

♥ 10 9 2

♦ Q J 7 5

♣ K 5 3 2



9
2 23
6

Deal 18

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 6 5

♥ 8 6 4

♦ Q 9 8 6

♣ 10 8 7

♠ J 10 3

♥ 10 9

♦ 5 4 3 2

♣ A 6 3 2

W N E S

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ J 10 7

♣ J 5

♠ A K 8 2

♥ A K 3

♦ A K

♣ K Q 9 4

4
5 5
26

Deal 19

South Deals	♠ 6 3
E-W Vul	♥ 10 9 2
	♦ Q J 7 5
	♣ K 5 3 2
♠ K Q 5	♠ J 10 8 2
♥ A K 6	♥ Q 5 3
♦ A K 9 2	♦ 8 6 4
♣ A 10 8	♣ J 9 4
6 23 4 7	♠ A 9 7 4 ♥ J 8 7 4 ♦ 10 3 ♣ Q 7 6

N
W E
S

Deal 20

♠ —
West Deals ♦ A K Q J 8 6 4 3
Both Vul ♦ A 5
 ♣ Q J 4
♠ A Q J 9 6 4 2 ♠ 10 5
♦ — ♦ 10 7 5
♦ 10 6 ♦ K Q 9 3
♣ K 8 5 2 ♣ A 9 7 6

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

N
W E
S

**10 9
4**

Deal 21 ♠ A K 8 2

North Deals ♥ A K 3

N-S Vul ♦ A 4

♣ K Q 9 4

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ J 10 9

♣ J 5

23
5 5
7

N
W S E

♠ J 10 3

♥ 10 9

♦ 7 5 3 2

♣ A 6 3 2

♠ Q 6 5

♥ 8 6 4

♦ K Q 8 6

♣ 10 8 7

Deal 22

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 9 4

♥ J 8 7 4

♦ 10 3

♣ Q J 6

♠ 10 8 7 2

♥ Q 5 3

♦ 8 6 4

♣ 9 7 4



♠ K Q 5

♥ A K 6

♦ A K 9 2

♣ A 10 8

♠ 6 3

♥ 10 9 2

♦ Q J 7 5

♣ K 5 3 2

9
2 23
6

Deal 23

South Deals
Both Vul

♠ Q 6 5
♥ 8 6 4
♦ Q 9 8 6
♣ 10 8 7

♠ J 10 3
♥ 10 9
♦ 5 4 3 2
♣ A 6 3 2



♠ 9 7 4
♥ Q J 7 5 2
♦ J 10 7
♣ J 5

4
5 5
26

♠ A K 8 2
♥ A K 3
♦ A K
♣ K Q 9 4

Deal 24

West Deals	♠ 6 3
None Vul	♥ 10 9 2
	♦ Q J 7 5
	♣ K 5 3 2
♠ K Q 5	♠ J 10 8 2
♥ A K 6	♥ Q 5 3
♦ A K 9 2	♦ 8 6 4
♣ A 10 8	♣ J 9 4
	♠ A 9 7 4
6 23 4 7	♥ J 8 7 4
	♦ 10 3
	♣ Q 7 6

N
W E
S

Deal 25

North Deals ♠ —
E-W Vul ♥ A K Q J 8 6 4 3
 ♦ A 5
 ♣ Q J 4

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

 ♠ K 8 7 3
10 17 9 ♥ 9 2
4 ♦ J 8 7 4 2
 ♣ 10 3



Deal 26

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K 8 2

♥ A K 3

♦ A 4

♣ K Q 9 4

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ J 10 9

♣ J 5

N
W E
S

♠ J 10 3

♥ 10 9

♦ 7 5 3 2

♣ A 6 3 2

♠ Q 6 5

♥ 8 6 4

♦ K Q 8 6

♣ 10 8 7

23
5 5
7

Deal 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A J 9 4

♥ J 8 7 4

♦ 10 3

♣ Q J 6

♠ 10 8 7 2

♥ Q 5 3

♦ 8 6 4

♣ 9 7 4



♠ K Q 5

♥ A K 6

♦ A K 9 2

♣ A 10 8

♠ 6 3

♥ 10 9 2

♦ Q J 7 5

♣ K 5 3 2

9
2 23
6

Deal 28

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 6 5

♥ 8 6 4

♦ Q 9 8 6

♣ 10 8 7

♠ J 10 3

♥ 10 9

♦ 5 4 3 2

♣ A 6 3 2

W N E S

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ J 10 7

♣ J 5

♠ A K 8 2

♥ A K 3

♦ A K

♣ K Q 9 4

4
5 5
26

Deal 29

North Deals	♠ 6 3
Both Vul	♥ 10 9 2
	♦ Q J 7 5
	♣ K 5 3 2
♠ K Q 5	♠ J 10 8 2
♥ A K 6	♥ Q 5 3
♦ A K 9 2	♦ 8 6 4
♣ A 10 8	♣ J 9 4
6 23 4 7	♠ A 9 7 4 ♥ J 8 7 4 ♦ 10 3 ♣ Q 7 6



Deal 30

♠ —
East Deals ♥ A K Q J 8 6 4 3
None Vul ♦ A 5
♣ Q J 4
♠ A Q J 9 6 4 2 ♠ 10 5
♥ — ♥ 10 7 5
♦ 10 6 ♦ K Q 9 3
♣ K 8 5 2 ♣ A 9 7 6

17
10 9
4
♠ K 8 7 3
♥ 9 2
♦ J 8 7 4 2
♣ 10 3



Deal 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♦ A 4

♣ K Q 9 4

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ J 10 9

♣ J 5

23
5 5
7

N
W S E

♠ J 10 3
♥ 10 9
♦ 7 5 3 2
♣ A 6 3 2

♠ Q 6 5
♥ 8 6 4
♦ K Q 8 6
♣ 10 8 7

Deal 32

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 9 4

♥ J 8 7 4

♦ 10 3

♣ Q J 6

♠ 10 8 7 2

♥ Q 5 3

♦ 8 6 4

♣ 9 7 4

N
W E
S

♠ K Q 5

♥ A K 6

♦ A K 9 2

♣ A 10 8

9
2 23
6

♠ 6 3

♥ 10 9 2

♦ Q J 7 5

♣ K 5 3 2

Deal 33

North Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 6 5

♥ 8 6 4

♦ Q 9 8 6

♣ 10 8 7

♠ J 10 3

♥ 10 9

♦ 5 4 3 2

♣ A 6 3 2

W N E S

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ J 10 7

♣ J 5

♠ A K 8 2

♥ A K 3

♦ A K

♣ K Q 9 4

4
5 5
26

Deal 34

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 5

♥ A K 6

♦ A K 9 2

♣ A 10 8

♠ 6 3

♥ 10 9 2

♦ Q J 7 5

♣ K 5 3 2

W N E S

♠ J 10 8 2

♥ Q 5 3

♦ 8 6 4

♣ J 9 4

♠ A 9 7 4

♥ J 8 7 4

♦ 10 3

♣ Q 7 6

6
23 4
7

Deal 35

South Deals ♠ —
E-W Vul ♥ A K Q J 8 6 4 3
 ♦ A 5
 ♣ Q J 4
♠ A Q J 9 6 4 2 ♠ 10 5
♥ — N ♥ 10 7 5
♦ 10 6 W E ♦ K Q 9 3
♣ K 8 5 2 S ♣ A 9 7 6

17
10 9
4
 ♠ K 8 7 3
 ♥ 9 2
 ♦ J 8 7 4 2
 ♣ 10 3