

**Deal 1**

South Deals  
None Vul

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

8  
12 7  
13

West

1 ♥

Pass

2 ♠ by South

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



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

North

Dbl

Pass

East

2 ♥

Pass

South

1 ♦

2 ♠

NORTH has 8 points and she makes a Negative Double of the

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overcall

to show exactly four â™Ÿ s.

SOUTH also has four â™Ÿ s so he bids 2â™Ÿ at his turn to show a minimum.

NORTH is happy to pass.

**Deal 2**

South Deals  
None Vul

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

14  
11 3  
12

*West*

1 ♠

Pass

Pass

4 ♥ by South

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



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

*North*

2 ♠

4 ♥

*East*

Pass

Pass

*South*

1 ♥

3 ♥

Pass

NORTH's Support Cue-bid shows at least  
Limit Raise strength and

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support.

SOUTH has a minimum opening bid and  
can only return to 3

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NORTH actually has better than the 12  
points he promised, so he now bids 4

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**Deal 3**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q J 5 4 3

♥ 10 5

♦ 10 6 5 2

♣ 5

11  
7 10  
12

*West*

2 ♠

Pass

3 ♣ by South

♠ 8 6 2

♥ 6 3

♦ K Q 9 7

♣ A Q 8 2



♠ 9 7

♥ A K J 8 7

♦ 4 3

♣ K J 10 4

*North*

Dbl

Pass

*East*

Pass

Pass

*South*

1 ♥

3 ♣

NORTH has a 11 points with both Minors and she doesn't want to sell out to WEST's 2<sup>nd</sup> <sup>TM</sup>.

So she makes a Negative Double, effectively bidding both minors at once.

SOUTH has four <sup>TM</sup>£s so he bids the suit at the minimum level and NORTH passes.

**Deal 4**

South Deals

None Vul

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

10  
 11 0  
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♠ K 10 9 3

♥ 6 5

♦ A 4

♣ Q J 6 5 2

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♠ A Q J 7 5 2

♥ A K Q 7

♦ K 2

♣ 8

♠ 8 6 4

♥ 10 9 4

♦ 10 9 5

♣ 9 7 4 3

West North East South

2 ♦ 3 ♦ Pass 1 ♠  
 Pass 5 ♦ Pass 4 NT  
 Pass Pass Pass 6 ♠

6 ♠ by South

NORTH makes a Support Cue-bid of 2

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to show his Limit Raise in â™™ s.

SOUTH thinks slam and bids Blackwood to make sure they aren't off two Aces.

NORTH says he has one so SOUTH bids the slam.

**Deal 5**

South Deals

None Vul

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

13  
8 6  
13

♠ 9 5 3
♥ K Q 8 7
♦ J 3
♣ A K 5 4

West North East South

2 ♠ 1 ♣  
 Pass Pass 3 ♥  
 Pass Pass Pass

4 ♥ by South

NORTH can't bid 3

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because that would show a 5-card suit.

Instead she makes a Negative Double.

SOUTH has four

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s and he now bids them.

NORTH has 13 points so she bids 4

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