

**Deal 1**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 10 8 6 5 4
♥ Q 7 5 3
♦ 7
♣ A Q

♠ 7 3
♥ J 10 9 4
♦ A K 6
♣ 10 7 4 2

10
8 6
16

West

North

East

South

Pass

2 ♣

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

4 ♠

Pass

Pass

Pass

4 ♠ by North



♠ A 9 2
♥ 8 2
♦ Q 10 8 4 2
♣ 8 5 3

♠ K J
♥ A K 6
♦ J 9 5 3
♣ K J 9 6

Even with a 6-card â™ suit NORTH uses Stayman because he also has a 4-card

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suit. Given a choice, playing a 4-4 Major fit is usually

preferable to a 6-2 or even a 6-3 fit.

But here SOUTH doesn't have four

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s so NORTH just bids

the game where he knows the partnership holds eight trumps.

**Deal 2**  
 East Deals  
 None Vul

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

4  
 14 17  
 5

N  
W E  
S

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

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

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

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
		1 NT	Pass
2 ♦	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♣	Pass	4 ♦	Pass
6 ♥	Pass		Pass
6 ♥ by East			

EAST breaks the expected Transfer sequence by jumping to 3

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instead

of bidding just 2

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. This is called the "Super Accept" and it shows

a hand with four of the trump suit with maximum point count.

WEST's â™£ bid and EAST's

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bid are Control bids, showing first

round control of the suit that was bid.

**Deal 3**  
 South Deals  
 None Vul

$\spadesuit$ A 8 4 $\heartsuit$ 10 6 $\diamond$ 7 6 4 2 $\clubsuit$ K J 10 5	$\spadesuit$ K J 10 3 $\heartsuit$ K 5 $\diamond$ A 9 3 $\clubsuit$ 8 7 4 2
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$\spadesuit$ 7 2 $\heartsuit$ J 8 7 4 2 $\diamond$ J 10 5 $\clubsuit$ Q 9 3
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$\spadesuit$ Q 9 6 5 $\heartsuit$ A Q 9 3 $\diamond$ K Q 8 $\clubsuit$ A 6
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<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 $\clubsuit$	Pass	2 $\heartsuit$
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 $\spadesuit$
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 $\spadesuit$ by South			

NORTH uses Stayman because he has a 4-card  $\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}$  suit.

SOUTH's 2

$\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}Y$

response wasn't exactly what NORTH was hoping for,

so NORTH decides to bid 3 NT.

SOUTH absolutely knows that NORTH holds a 4-card Major -

and also knows that it isn't

$\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}Y$

s.

So SOUTH bids 4 $\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}$ .

**Deal 4**

West Deals

None Vul

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

8  
17 3  
12

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

N  
W E  
S

♠ J 9 7 4  
♥ Q 8 6 2  
♦ 10 8 7 6  
♣ 4

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

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

EAST has a rotten hand, and many players would just pass 1 NT.

But EAST figures that having WEST play any 4-4 fit would be better than 1 NT so

he bids 2 $\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}$ , Stayman. This is called "Garbage Stayman", and you can see why.

WEST bids 2

$\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}\hat{Y}$

and EAST passes. He would have passed either 2 $\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}$  or 2

$\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}\hat{I}$

also.

**Deal 5**

North Deals

None Vul

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

<sup>17</sup>  
8 4  
11



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

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

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

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
Pass	1 NT	Pass	3 NT
3 NT by North			

Just having a 4-card Major doesn't mean you must automatically use Stayman.

Here SOUTH has a 4-card ♠ suit, but decides not to seek a 4-4 fit because his

hand wouldn't have any ruffing values in a ♠ contract. He bids 3 NT.

Notice that even though NORTH also has four ♠'s the 4-4 fit is not useful to them in

a ♠ contract because neither hand can ruff any losers.

**Deal 6**

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

♠ 5 2 ♥ A 9 8 2 ♦ J 10 9 4 ♣ J 6 2

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
		1 NT	Pass
2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
2 NT	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		
4 ♠ by East			

WEST has an invitational (9 point) hand with five  $\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}$  s.

She bids it in the standard way - first transfer EAST to  $\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}$  s, then invite

the game by bidding 2 NT.

EAST, with 17 points and three  $\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}$  s, accepts the game invitation and chooses 4 $\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}$ .

**Deal 7**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 10 8 6 5 4

♥ Q 7 5 3

♦ 7

♣ A Q

♠ 7 3

♥ J 10 9 4

♦ A K 6

♣ 10 7 4 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 9 2

♥ 8 2

♦ Q 10 8 4 2

♣ 8 5 3

♠ K J

♥ A K 6

♦ J 9 5 3

♣ K J 9 6

**10**

**8 6**

**16**

**Deal 8**      ♠ 9 8 5 4 2

West Deals      ♥ 7

None Vul      ♦ Q J 6

♣ J 7 4 2

♠ K Q 3

♥ Q 10 9 8 4 3

♦ K 5

♣ A 5

N  
W   E  
S

♠ A 7

♥ K J 6 5

♦ A 8 4

♣ K Q 10 8

♠ J 10 6

♥ A 2

♦ 10 9 7 3 2

♣ 9 6 3

4

14 17

5

**Deal 9**

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 10 3

♥ K 5

♦ A 9 3

♣ 8 7 4 2

♠ A 8 4

♥ 10 6

♦ 7 6 4 2

♣ K J 10 5



♠ 7 2

♥ J 8 7 4 2

♦ J 10 5

♣ Q 9 3

♠ Q 9 6 5

♥ A Q 9 3

♦ K Q 8

♣ A 6

**11**  
**8 4**  
**17**

**Deal 10**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 3 2

♥ 10 9 3

♦ K J 9

♣ A 8 5 2

♠ A 10 6

♥ A K 7 4

♦ A Q 5 3

♣ 10 9

N  
W E  
S

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

♠ K Q 5

♥ J 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K Q J 7 6 3

8  
17 3  
12

♠ K Q J 7 6 3

**Deal 11**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 6 2

♥ K J 8

♦ A 6 2

♣ K 8 7

♠ 8 4

♥ A 7 6 3 2

♦ Q J 7

♣ J 5 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ 10 9 5

♥ 10 4

♦ 9 8 5 3

♣ A 10 6 4

♠ K J 7 3

♥ Q 9 5

♦ K 10 4

♣ Q 9 3

<sup>17</sup>  
8 4  
11

**Deal 12**      ♠ A 9 3  
West Deals      ♥ 10 6  
N-S Vul      ♦ 8 5 2  
                  ♣ K Q 9 7 3  
♠ Q 10 8 6 4      ♠ K J 7  
♥ Q 7 3      ♥ K J 5 4  
♦ A 6      ♦ K Q 7 3  
♣ 10 8 4      ♣ A 5  
  
       ♠ 5 2  
       ♠ 9  
       ♠ 8 17  
       ♠ 6  
       ♠ J 6 2

N  
W E  
S

**Deal 13**North Deals  
Both Vul

♠ Q 10 8 6 5 4

♥ Q 7 5 3

♦ 7

♣ A Q

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

W N E S

♠ A 9 2

♥ 8 2

♦ Q 10 8 4 2

♣ 8 5 3

10  
8 6  
16  
♠ K J  
♥ A K 6  
♦ J 9 5 3  
♣ K J 9 6

**Deal 14**      ♠ 9 8 5 4 2

East Deals      ♥ 7

None Vul      ♦ Q J 6

♣ J 7 4 2

♠ K Q 3

♥ Q 10 9 8 4 3

♦ K 5

♣ A 5

N  
W     E  
S

♠ A 7

♥ K J 6 5

♦ A 8 4

♣ K Q 10 8

♠ J 10 6

♥ A 2

♦ 10 9 7 3 2

♣ 9 6 3

4

14 17

5

**Deal 15**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 10 3

♥ K 5

♦ A 9 3

♣ 8 7 4 2

♠ A 8 4

♥ 10 6

♦ 7 6 4 2

♣ K J 10 5



♠ 7 2

♥ J 8 7 4 2

♦ J 10 5

♣ Q 9 3

♠ Q 9 6 5

♥ A Q 9 3

♦ K Q 8

♣ A 6

**11**  
**8**    **4**  
**17**

**Deal 16**

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 3 2

♥ 10 9 3

♦ K J 9

♣ A 8 5 2

♠ A 10 6

♥ A K 7 4

♦ A Q 5 3

♣ 10 9

N  
W E  
S

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

8  
17 3  
12♠ K Q 5  
♥ J 5  
♦ 4 2  
♣ K Q J 7 6 3

**Deal 17**

North Deals    ♠ A Q 6 2  
None Vul      ♥ K J 8  
                  ♦ A 6 2  
                  ♣ K 8 7

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

<sup>17</sup>  
**8 4**  
**11**

N  
W     E  
S

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

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

**Deal 18**

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



**Deal 19**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 8 6 5 4

♥ Q 7 5 3

♦ 7

♣ A Q

♠ 7 3

♥ J 10 9 4

♦ A K 6

♣ 10 7 4 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 9 2

♥ 8 2

♦ Q 10 8 4 2

♣ 8 5 3

♠ K J

♥ A K 6

♦ J 9 5 3

♣ K J 9 6

**10**

**8 6**

**16**

**Deal 20**      ♠ 9 8 5 4 2

West Deals      ♥ 7

Both Vul      ♦ Q J 6

♣ J 7 4 2

♠ K Q 3

♥ Q 10 9 8 4 3

♦ K 5

♣ A 5

N  
W   E  
S

♠ A 7

♥ K J 6 5

♦ A 8 4

♣ K Q 10 8

♠ J 10 6

♥ A 2

♦ 10 9 7 3 2

♣ 9 6 3

4

14 17

5

**Deal 21**

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 10 3

♥ K 5

♦ A 9 3

♣ 8 7 4 2

♠ A 8 4

♥ 10 6

♦ 7 6 4 2

♣ K J 10 5



♠ 7 2

♥ J 8 7 4 2

♦ J 10 5

♣ Q 9 3

♠ Q 9 6 5

♥ A Q 9 3

♦ K Q 8

♣ A 6

**11**  
**8 4**  
**17**

**Deal 22**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 10 6

♥ A K 7 4

♦ A Q 5 3

♣ 10 9

♠ 8 3 2

♥ 10 9 3

♦ K J 9

♣ A 8 5 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

♠ K Q 5

♥ J 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K Q J 7 6 3

8  
17 3  
12

**Deal 23**      ♠ A Q 6 2  
South Deals    ♥ K J 8  
Both Vul        ♦ A 6 2  
                  ♣ K 8 7

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

<sup>17</sup>  
**8 4**  
**11**

N  
W   E  
S

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

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

**Deal 24**      ♠ A 9 3  
West Deals      ♥ 10 6  
None Vul      ♦ 8 5 2  
                    ♣ K Q 9 7 3  
  
♠ Q 10 8 6 4      ♠ K J 7  
♥ Q 7 3      ♥ K J 5 4  
♦ A 6      ♦ K Q 7 3  
♣ 10 8 4      ♣ A 5  
  
      ♠ 5 2  
      ♠ 9  
      ♠ 8 17  
      ♠ 6  
  
W N E S



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

**Deal 25**

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 8 6 5 4

♥ Q 7 5 3

♦ 7

♣ A Q

♠ 7 3

♥ J 10 9 4

♦ A K 6

♣ 10 7 4 2

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 9 2

♥ 8 2

♦ Q 10 8 4 2

♣ 8 5 3

♠ K J

♥ A K 6

♦ J 9 5 3

♣ K J 9 6

**10**  
**8 6**  
**16**

**Deal 26**      ♠ 9 8 5 4 2

East Deals      ♥ 7

Both Vul      ♦ Q J 6

♣ J 7 4 2

♠ K Q 3

♥ Q 10 9 8 4 3

♦ K 5

♣ A 5

N  
W     E  
S

♠ A 7

♥ K J 6 5

♦ A 8 4

♣ K Q 10 8

♠ J 10 6

♥ A 2

♦ 10 9 7 3 2

♣ 9 6 3

4

14 17

5

**Deal 27**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 10 3

♥ K 5

♦ A 9 3

♣ 8 7 4 2

♠ A 8 4

♥ 10 6

♦ 7 6 4 2

♣ K J 10 5



♠ 7 2

♥ J 8 7 4 2

♦ J 10 5

♣ Q 9 3

♠ Q 9 6 5

♥ A Q 9 3

♦ K Q 8

♣ A 6

**11**  
**8 4**  
**17**

**Deal 28**

West Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

8  
17 3  
12

N  
W E  
S

♠ J 9 7 4  
♥ Q 8 6 2  
♦ 10 8 7 6  
♣ 4

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

**Deal 29**      ♠ A Q 6 2

North Deals      ♥ K J 8

Both Vul      ♦ A 6 2

♣ K 8 7

♠ 8 4

♥ A 7 6 3 2

♦ Q J 7

♣ J 5 2

N  
W     E  
S

♠ 10 9 5

♥ 10 4

♦ 9 8 5 3

♣ A 10 6 4

♠ K J 7 3

♥ Q 9 5

♦ K 10 4

♣ Q 9 3

<sup>17</sup>  
8     4  
11

**Deal 30**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 9 3

♥ 10 6

♦ 8 5 2

♣ K Q 9 7 3

♠ Q 10 8 6 4

♥ Q 7 3

♦ A 6

♣ 10 8 4

W N E S

♠ K J 7

♥ K J 5 4

♦ K Q 7 3

♣ A 5

♠ 5 2

♥ A 9 8 2

♦ J 10 9 4

♣ J 6 2

9  
8 17  
6

**Deal 31**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 10 8 6 5 4

♥ Q 7 5 3

♦ 7

♣ A Q

♠ 7 3

♥ J 10 9 4

♦ A K 6

♣ 10 7 4 2

W N E  
S

♠ A 9 2

♥ 8 2

♦ Q 10 8 4 2

♣ 8 5 3

♠ K J

♥ A K 6

♦ J 9 5 3

♣ K J 9 6

**10**  
**8 6**  
**16**

**Deal 32**      ♠ 9 8 5 4 2

West Deals      ♥ 7

E-W Vul      ♦ Q J 6

♣ J 7 4 2

♠ K Q 3

♥ Q 10 9 8 4 3

♦ K 5

♣ A 5

N  
W   E  
S

♠ A 7

♥ K J 6 5

♦ A 8 4

♣ K Q 10 8

♠ J 10 6

♥ A 2

♦ 10 9 7 3 2

♣ 9 6 3

4

14 17

5

**Deal 33**

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 10 3

♥ K 5

♦ A 9 3

♣ 8 7 4 2

♠ A 8 4

♥ 10 6

♦ 7 6 4 2

♣ K J 10 5



♠ 7 2

♥ J 8 7 4 2

♦ J 10 5

♣ Q 9 3

♠ Q 9 6 5

♥ A Q 9 3

♦ K Q 8

♣ A 6

**11**  
**8 4**  
**17**

**Deal 34**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 10 6

♥ A K 7 4

♦ A Q 5 3

♣ 10 9

♠ 8 3 2

♥ 10 9 3

♦ K J 9

♣ A 8 5 2

W N E S

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

♠ K Q 5

♥ J 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K Q J 7 6 3

8  
17 3  
12

**Deal 35**

South Deals    ♠ A Q 6 2  
E-W Vul        ♥ K J 8  
                  ♦ A 6 2  
                  ♣ K 8 7

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

<sup>17</sup>  
**8**    4  
**11**

N  
W     E  
S

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

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

**Deal 36**      ♠ A 9 3  
West Deals      ♥ 10 6  
Both Vul      ♦ 8 5 2  
                    ♣ K Q 9 7 3  
♠ Q 10 8 6 4      ♠ K J 7  
♥ Q 7 3      ♥ K J 5 4  
♦ A 6      ♦ K Q 7 3  
♣ 10 8 4      ♣ A 5  
  
      ♠ 5 2  
      ♠ 9  
      ♠ 8      ♥ A 9 8 2  
      ♠ 6      ♦ J 10 9 4  
      ♠ 17      ♣ J 6 2

N  
W     E  
S