

Deal 1

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 3
♥ J 10 6 2
♦ 5 4
♣ J 10 6 5 2

13
6 10
11

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K
♥ 9 8 7 3
♦ A 10 9 7 3 2
♣ K 4

♠ 10 6 4 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q 9 3

West	North	East	South
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♠ by North			

You open in third seat and the bidding continues as shown.

Partner has a limit raise in ♠s and wonders if you have a full strength opening bid. Your 15 point hand is enough to insist on game, but opposite a passed hand you have no interest in a slam.

So you sign-off at 4 ♠.

Deal 2West Deals
None Vul

♠ Q J 9 6
 ♥ A K
 ♦ 8 5 2
 ♣ 9 7 6 5

10 11
 12 7

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
Pass	Pass	1♠	Pass
2♣	Pass	2♦	Pass
2♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
2♠ by East			

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

W	N
S	E

With 11 points in support of ♠s you need to let partner know. The way to do it is to bid 2♣.

Partner rebids 2♦, confirming a full-strength opening bid. What do you bid next?

You've told partner you had at least a limit raise, now you need to tell him that it is pretty minimal. You bid 2♠ and everybody passes.

Deal 3North Deals
None Vul

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

6
 12 9
 13

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ Q 8
 ♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

W	N
S	E

♠ 2
 ♥ J 6 3 2
 ♦ A J 9 5 4
 ♣ Q J 4

♠ K Q 8 7 5
 ♥ K 7 4
 ♦ K Q 7
 ♣ 10 2

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass

3 ♠ by South

You open in third seat and the bidding continues as shown.

If you thought North had 11 points you'd bid 4 ♠. But you know he has a weak hand - with T+ points and support he would have said 2 ♣.

His 3 ♠ bid is just preemptive, so you pass.

Deal 4

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2

W N E S

♠ K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ A 10 9 7 3 2

♣ K 4

♠ 10 6 4 2
6 13 10
11♥ K Q 5
♦ 8 6
♣ A Q 9 3

Deal 5
North Deals
N-S Vul

♠ A 5 2
♥ 9 7 2
♦ K Q 10 9 3
♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6
♥ A K
♦ 8 5 2
♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 10 8 4 3
♥ J 5 3
♦ J 7 6
♣ A K

10 11 12
7

♠ 7
♥ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

Deal 6East Deals
E-W Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

♠ 2

♥ J 6 3 2

♦ A J 9 5 4

♣ Q J 4

♠ K Q 8 7 5

♥ K 7 4

♦ K Q 7

♣ 10 2

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Deal 7

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2



♠ K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ A 10 9 7 3 2

♣ K 4

♠ 10 6 4 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q 9 3

13

6

10

11

Deal 8

West Deals

None Vul

♠ A 5 2
♥ 9 7 2
♦ K Q 10 9 3
♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6
♥ A K
♦ 8 5 2
♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 10 8 4 3
♥ J 5 3
♦ J 7 6
♣ A K

♠ 7
♥ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

10 11
7 12

Deal 9

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

♠ 2

♥ J 6 3 2

♦ A J 9 5 4

♣ Q J 4



♠ K Q 8 7 5

♥ K 7 4

♦ K Q 7

♣ 10 2

6
12 9
13

Deal 10

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2

W N E S

♠ K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ A 10 9 7 3 2

♣ K 4

13
6 10
11

♠ 10 6 4 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q 9 3

Deal 11

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 5 2

♥ 9 7 2

♦ K Q 10 9 3

♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6

♥ A K

♦ 8 5 2

♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W S E

♠ K 10 8 4 3

♥ J 5 3

♦ J 7 6

♣ A K

10 11
7 12♠ 7
♥ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

Deal 12

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

♠ 2

♥ J 6 3 2

♦ A J 9 5 4

♣ Q J 4



♠ K Q 8 7 5

♥ K 7 4

♦ K Q 7

♣ 10 2

6
12 9
13

Deal 13

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2

**13**
6 10
11

♠ 10 6 4 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q 9 3

Deal 14

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 5 2

♥ 9 7 2

♦ K Q 10 9 3

♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6

♥ A K

♦ 8 5 2

♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 10 8 4 3

♥ J 5 3

♦ J 7 6

♣ A K

♠ 7
11
10 12
7
♦ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

Deal 15 ♠ J 10 9 6

South Deals ♥ Q 8

N-S Vul ♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

N
W E
S

♠ 2
♥ J 6 3 2
♦ A J 9 5 4
♣ Q J 4

♠ K Q 8 7 5

♥ K 7 4

♦ K Q 7

♣ 10 2

6
12 9
13

Deal 16

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2



♠ K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ A 10 9 7 3 2

♣ K 4

♠ 10 6 4 2
6 13 10
11

♥ K Q 5
♦ 8 6
♣ A Q 9 3

Deal 17

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A 5 2

♥ 9 7 2

♦ K Q 10 9 3

♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6

♥ A K

♦ 8 5 2

♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 10 8 4 3

♥ J 5 3

♦ J 7 6

♣ A K

10 11
12 7♠ 7
♥ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

Deal 18

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

♠ 2

♥ J 6 3 2

♦ A J 9 5 4

♣ Q J 4



♠ K Q 8 7 5

♥ K 7 4

♦ K Q 7

♣ 10 2

6

12 9

13

Deal 19

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2



♠ K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ A 10 9 7 3 2

♣ K 4

13
6 10
11

♠ 10 6 4 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q 9 3

Deal 20

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 5 2

♥ 9 7 2

♦ K Q 10 9 3

♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6

♥ A K

♦ 8 5 2

♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 10 8 4 3

♥ J 5 3

♦ J 7 6

♣ A K

10 11
12 7

♠ 7
♥ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

Deal 21 ♠ J 10 9 6

North Deals ♥ Q 8

N-S Vul ♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

N
W E
S

♠ 2
♥ J 6 3 2
♦ A J 9 5 4
♣ Q J 4

♠ K Q 8 7 5

♥ K 7 4

♦ K Q 7

♣ 10 2

6
12 9
13

Deal 22

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2

W N E S

♠ K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ A 10 9 7 3 2

♣ K 4

13
6 10
11

♠ 10 6 4 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q 9 3

Deal 23

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 5 2
♥ 9 7 2
♦ K Q 10 9 3
♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6
♥ A K
♦ 8 5 2
♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 10 8 4 3
♥ J 5 3
♦ J 7 6
♣ A K

10 11 12
7

♠ 7
♥ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

Deal 24 ♠ J 10 9 6

West Deals ♥ Q 8

None Vul ♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

N
W E
S

♠ 2
♥ J 6 3 2
♦ A J 9 5 4
♣ Q J 4

♠ K Q 8 7 5

♥ K 7 4

♦ K Q 7

♣ 10 2

6
12 9
13

Deal 25

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2

W N E S

♠ K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ A 10 9 7 3 2

♣ K 4

13
6 10
11

♠ 10 6 4 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q 9 3

Deal 26

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 5 2

♥ 9 7 2

♦ K Q 10 9 3

♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6

♥ A K

♦ 8 5 2

♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 10 8 4 3

♥ J 5 3

♦ J 7 6

♣ A K

10 11
7 12♠ 7
♥ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

Deal 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

♠ 2

♥ J 6 3 2

♦ A J 9 5 4

♣ Q J 4



6
12 9
13

♠ K Q 8 7 5
♥ K 7 4
♦ K Q 7
♣ 10 2

Deal 28

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2



♠ K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ A 10 9 7 3 2

♣ K 4

♠ 10 6 4 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q 9 3

13
6 10
11

Deal 29
North Deals
Both Vul

♠ A 5 2
♥ 9 7 2
♦ K Q 10 9 3
♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6
♥ A K
♦ 8 5 2
♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 10 8 4 3
♥ J 5 3
♦ J 7 6
♣ A K

10 11 12
7

♠ 7
♥ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

Deal 30

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

♠ 2

♥ J 6 3 2

♦ A J 9 5 4

♣ Q J 4

♠ K Q 8 7 5

♥ K 7 4

♦ K Q 7

♣ 10 2

N
W E
S

6
12 9
13

Deal 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2

**13**
6 10
11

♠ 10 6 4 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q 9 3

Deal 32

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 5 2
♥ 9 7 2
♦ K Q 10 9 3
♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6
♥ A K
♦ 8 5 2
♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 10 8 4 3
♥ J 5 3
♦ J 7 6
♣ A K

11
10 12
7

♠ 7
♥ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

Deal 33

North Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

♠ 2

♥ J 6 3 2

♦ A J 9 5 4

♣ Q J 4



6
12 9
13

♠ K Q 8 7 5
♥ K 7 4
♦ K Q 7
♣ 10 2

Deal 34

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7 5

♥ A 4

♦ K Q J

♣ 8 7

♠ A 3

♥ J 10 6 2

♦ 5 4

♣ J 10 6 5 2

W N E S

♠ K

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ A 10 9 7 3 2

♣ K 4

13
6 10
11

♠ 10 6 4 2

♥ K Q 5

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q 9 3

Deal 35

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 5 2

♥ 9 7 2

♦ K Q 10 9 3

♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 9 6

♥ A K

♦ 8 5 2

♣ 9 7 6 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 10 8 4 3

♥ J 5 3

♦ J 7 6

♣ A K

10 11
7 12♠ 7
♥ Q 10 8 6 4
♦ A 4
♣ J 10 8 3 2

Deal 36West Deals
Both Vul

♠ J 10 9 6

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 6

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 9 7

♠ 2

♥ J 6 3 2

♦ A J 9 5 4

♣ Q J 4



6
12 9
13

♠ K Q 8 7 5
♥ K 7 4
♦ K Q 7
♣ 10 2