

Board 1

North Deals

None Vul

♠ T 8 3

♥ 9 3

♦ K J 5 4 3

♣ Q 7 2

♠ A K 9

♥ A J 8 2

♦ A 6

♣ A K 9 3



♠ 6 5 4

♥ K 6 4

♦ Q T 9 8

♣ J T 6

| West | North | East | South |
|----------|-------|------|-------|
| | 2♣ | Pass | 2♦ |
| Pass | 2NT | Pass | 3♣ |
| Pass | 3♥ | Pass | 4♥ |
| All Pass | | | |

4♥ by South

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NORTH opens 2 and SOUTH responds 2

showing fewer than 8 points.

NORTH bids 2NT with a 23 point balanced hand.

SOUTH has enough points to bid 3NT, but with two 4-card Major suits bids 3 Stayman instead. NORTH

won't confuse this as the second negative since that bid isn't used after a 2NT rebid.

So NORTH shows her 4-card

suit and SOUTH bids 4

Board 2

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K 9
♥ A K 2
♦ A 8 3
♣ A Q 7 4

♠ 7 5 4

♥ J 9 7 6 4

♦ J T 9

♣ 9 2

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| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 6 3
♥ Q 8 5
♦ K 7 6 4
♣ K J 3

♠ J T 8 2
♥ T 3
♦ Q 5 2
♣ T 8 6 5

| West | North | East | South |
|------|-------|------|----------|
| 2♣ | Pass | 2NT | Pass |
| 3NT | Pass | 6NT | All Pass |

6NT by East

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EAST has a balanced hand with 11 points, so she responds 2NT to WEST's 2 opening bid.

WEST bids 3NT. This shows 22-24 points, a hand he was planning to rebid 2NT.

EAST knows the side has at least 33 points, but no more than 35 so she bids 6NT.

Board 3

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 5

♥ Q 4

♦ K J 9 8 5

♣ A 4 2

♠ 7 2

♥ 9 7 5 3

♦ Q 7 4 2

♣ Q 9 3



♠ J 4 3

♥ J 6

♦ T 6 3

♣ K J T 7 5

| West | North | East | South |
|------|-------|----------|-------|
| Pass | 2♦ | Pass | 2♣ |
| Pass | 2NT | Pass | 3♥ |
| Pass | 4♥ | All Pass | |

4♥ by North

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SOUTH has both Majors and enough points to open 2 .

NORTH, with 4 points, responds with a negative 2

SOUTH first bids her higher ranking suit, 2 .

NORTH is too strong for second negative, he bids 2NT.

SOUTH now shows her second suit, 3

NORTH is happy to bid the game in

Board 4

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 2
 ♥ A K Q 5
 ♦ K 7 5
 ♣ K Q T

♠ 8 5 4
 ♥ J 7 3
 ♦ 9 2
 ♣ A 9 8 6 5

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| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 7 3
 ♥ 9 8 2
 ♦ A Q J 8 6
 ♣ J 2

♠ J T 9 6
 ♥ T 6 4
 ♦ T 4 3
 ♣ 7 4 3

| West | North | East | South |
|------|-------|------|----------|
| 2♣ | Pass | 3♦ | Pass |
| 3NT | Pass | 6NT | All Pass |

6NT by East

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WEST has a balanced hand with 23 points. He opens 2 and expects to rebid 2NT.

EAST has 12 points so makes a positive response in her best suit. Since that suit is

s she must jump to the 3-level.

WEST now describes his balanced, minimum hand by bidding 3NT.

EAST bids 6NT, knowing that the partnership holds at least 34 points.

Board 5

North Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 5 3
♥ 8 6 3
♦ 9 6 3
♣ 8 6 5 2

♠ K 6
♥ A K Q J 2
♦ K Q J
♣ K Q J



♠ J 8 4
♥ T 4
♦ A T 7 4
♣ T 9 7 4

♠ A T 9 7 2
♥ 9 7 5
♦ 8 5 2
♣ A 3

| West | North | East | South | |
|------|-------|----------|-------|------|
| | 2♣ | Pass | 2♠ | 4 |
| Pass | 3♥ | Pass | 4♥ | |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5♥ | |
| Pass | 6♥ | All Pass | | bid. |

6♥ by North

6NT. She could also have bid 6

but 6NT scores a little more.

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pass

pass

SOUTH, with 9 points and a 5-card suit, should make a positive response, 2 .

NORTH bids her

s and SOUTH agrees the trump suit with a

4

bid.

NORTH thinks there is a slam, so she invokes Blackwood. Hearing that SOUTH holds two Aces she bids