

Deal 1
 North Deals
 None Vul

♠ 7 2
 ♥ J 8 7 4 2
 ♦ J 10 5
 ♣ Q 9 3

17
 4 8
 11

♠ K J 10 3
 ♥ K 5
 ♦ A 9 3
 ♣ 8 7 4 2

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

N
W E S

♠ Q 9 6 5
 ♥ A Q 9 3
 ♦ K Q 8
 ♣ A 6

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

SOUTH uses Stayman because he has a 4-card ♠ suit.

NORTH's 2

♦

response wasn't exactly what SOUTH was hoping for,

so SOUTH decides to bid 3 NT.

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

and also knows that it isn't

♦

s.

So NORTH bids 4♦.

Deal 2
East Deals
None Vul

♠ J 9 7 4
♥ Q 8 6 2
♦ 10 8 7 6
♣ 4

12
3 17
8

West

2 ♣
Pass
2 ♥ by East

♠ K Q 5
♥ J 5
♦ 4 2
♣ K Q J 7 6 3

N
W E
S

♠ 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

North East South
Pass 1 NT Pass
Pass 2 ♥ Pass

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

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

he bids 2â™£, Stayman. This is called "Garbage Stayman", and you can see why.

EAST bids 2

â™¥

and WEST passes. He would have passed either 2â™ or 2

â™!

also.

Deal 3South Deals
None Vul

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

11
 4 8
 17

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 7 3
 ♥ Q 9 5
 ♦ K 10 4
 ♣ Q 9 3

♠ 8 4
 ♥ A 7 6 3 2
 ♦ Q J 7
 ♣ J 5 2

♠ A Q 6 2
 ♥ K J 8
 ♦ A 6 2
 ♣ K 8 7

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

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

Here NORTH has a 4-card â™ suit, but decides not to seek a 4-4 fit because his hand wouldn't have any ruffing values in a â™ contract. He bids 3 NT.

Notice that even though SOUTH also has four â™'s the 4-4 fit is not useful to them in

a â™ contract because neither hand can ruff any losers.

Deal 4West Deals
None Vul

♠ KJ7
♥ KJ54
♦ KQ73
♣ A5

17
6
8
9

♠ 52
♥ A982
♦ J1094
♣ J62

♠ Q10864
♥ Q73
♦ A6
♣ 1084

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A93
♥ 106
♦ 852
♣ KQ973

<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 West			

EAST has an invitational (9 point) hand with five ♠'s.

She bids it in the standard way - first transfer WEST to ♠'s, then invite

the game by bidding 2 NT.

WEST, with 17 points and three ♠'s, accepts the game invitation and chooses 4♠.

Deal 5 ♠ Q 9 6 5
North Deals ♥ A Q 9 3
N-S Vul ♦ K Q 8
 ♣ A 6

♠ 7 2
♥ J 8 7 4 2
♦ J 10 5
♣ Q 9 3

17
4 8
11

N
W E
S

♠ A 8 4
♥ 10 6
♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ K J 10 5

♠ K J 10 3
♥ K 5
♦ A 9 3
♣ 8 7 4 2

Deal 6

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 5

♥ J 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K Q J 7 6 3

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

N
W E
S

♠ 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

12
3 17
8

Deal 7

South Deals
Both Vul

♠ K J 7 3
♥ Q 9 5
♦ K 10 4
♣ Q 9 3

♠ 10 9 5
♥ 10 4
♦ 9 8 5 3
♣ A 10 6 4

11
4 8
17



♠ 8 4
♥ A 7 6 3 2
♦ Q J 7
♣ J 5 2

♠ A Q 6 2
♥ K J 8
♦ A 6 2
♣ K 8 7

Deal 8

West Deals
None Vul

♠ K J 7
♥ K J 5 4
♦ K Q 7 3
♣ A 5

N
W E
S

6
17 8
9

♠ A 9 3
♥ 10 6
♦ 8 5 2
♣ K Q 9 7 3

♠ 5 2
♥ A 9 8 2
♦ J 10 9 4
♣ J 6 2

♠ Q 10 8 6 4
♥ Q 7 3
♦ A 6
♣ 10 8 4

Deal 9 ♠ Q 9 6 5
North Deals ♥ A Q 9 3
E-W Vul ♦ K Q 8
 ♣ A 6

♠ 7 2
♥ J 8 7 4 2
♦ J 10 5
♣ Q 9 3

17
4 8
11

N
W S E

♠ A 8 4
♥ 10 6
♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ K J 10 5

♠ K J 10 3
♥ K 5
♦ A 9 3
♣ 8 7 4 2

Deal 10

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 5

♥ J 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K Q J 7 6 3

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

N
W E
S

♠ A 10 6

♥ A K 7 4

♦ A Q 5 3

♣ 10 9

♠ 8 3 2

12
3 17
8

♥ 10 9 3

♦ K J 9

♣ A 8 5 2

Deal 11

South Deals

None Vul

♦ K J 7 3

♥ Q 9 5

♦ K 10 4

♣ Q 9 3

♠ 10 9 5

♥ 10 4

♦ 9 8 5 3

♣ A 10 6 4



♠ 8 4

♥ A 7 6 3 2

♦ Q J 7

♣ J 5 2

♠ A Q 6 2
♥ K J 8
♦ A 6 2
♣ K 8 7

11

4 8

17

Deal 12

West Deals
N-S Vul
♠ KJ7
♥ KJ54
♦ KQ73
♣ A5

6
17 8
9

N
W E
S

♠ 52
♥ A982
♦ J1094
♣ J62

♠ Q10864
♥ Q73
♦ A6
♣ 1084

♠ A93
♥ 106
♦ 852
♣ KQ973

Deal 13 ♠ Q 9 6 5
North Deals ♥ A Q 9 3
Both Vul ♦ K Q 8
 ♣ A 6

♠ 7 2
♥ J 8 7 4 2
♦ J 10 5
♣ Q 9 3

17
4 8
11

N
W E
S

♠ A 8 4
♥ 10 6
♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ K J 10 5

♠ K J 10 3
♥ K 5
♦ A 9 3
♣ 8 7 4 2

Deal 14

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 5

♥ J 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K Q J 7 6 3

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

N
W E
S

♠ A 10 6

♥ A K 7 4

♦ A Q 5 3

♣ 10 9

♠ 8 3 2

12

3 17

8

♥ 10 9 3

♦ K J 9

♣ A 8 5 2

Deal 15

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ K J 7 3
♥ Q 9 5
♦ K 10 4
♣ Q 9 3

♠ 10 9 5
♥ 10 4
♦ 9 8 5 3
♣ A 10 6 4

11
4 8
17



♠ 8 4
♥ A 7 6 3 2
♦ Q J 7
♣ J 5 2

♠ A Q 6 2
♥ K J 8
♦ A 6 2
♣ K 8 7

Deal 16

West Deals
E-W Vul
♠ KJ7
♥ KJ54
♦ KQ73
♣ A5

6
17 8
9

N
W E
S

♠ 52
♥ A982
♦ J1094
♣ J62

♠ Q10864
♥ Q73
♦ A6
♣ 1084

♠ A93
♥ 106
♦ 852
♣ KQ973

Deal 17 ♠ Q 9 6 5
North Deals ♥ A Q 9 3
None Vul ♦ K Q 8
 ♣ A 6

♠ 7 2
♥ J 8 7 4 2
♦ J 10 5
♣ Q 9 3

17
4 8
11

N
W E
S

♠ A 8 4
♥ 10 6
♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ K J 10 5

♠ K J 10 3
♥ K 5
♦ A 9 3
♣ 8 7 4 2

Deal 18

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 5

♥ J 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K Q J 7 6 3

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

N
W E
S

♠ A 10 6

♥ A K 7 4

♦ A Q 5 3

♣ 10 9

♠ 8 3 2

12

3 17

♥ 10 9 3

♦ K J 9

♣ A 8 5 2

Deal 19

South Deals ♠ K J 7 3
E-W Vul ♥ Q 9 5
 ♦ K 10 4
 ♣ Q 9 3

♠ 10 9 5
♥ 10 4
♦ 9 8 5 3
♣ A 10 6 4

11
4 8
17



♠ 8 4
♥ A 7 6 3 2
♦ Q J 7
♣ J 5 2

♠ A Q 6 2
♥ K J 8
♦ A 6 2
♣ K 8 7

Deal 20

West Deals
Both Vul
♠ KJ7
♥ KJ54
♦ KQ73
♣ A5

6
17 8
9

N
W E
S

♠ 52
♥ A982
♦ J1094
♣ J62

♠ Q10864
♥ Q73
♦ A6
♣ 1084

♠ A93
♥ 106
♦ 852
♣ KQ973

Deal 21 ♠ Q 9 6 5
North Deals ♥ A Q 9 3
N-S Vul ♦ K Q 8
 ♣ A 6

♠ 7 2
♥ J 8 7 4 2
♦ J 10 5
♣ Q 9 3

17
4 8
11

N
W E
S

♠ A 8 4
♥ 10 6
♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ K J 10 5

♠ K J 10 3
♥ K 5
♦ A 9 3
♣ 8 7 4 2

Deal 22

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 5

♥ J 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K Q J 7 6 3

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

N
W E
S

♠ 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

12**3 17****8**

Deal 23

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 7 3

♥ Q 9 5

♦ K 10 4

♣ Q 9 3

♠ 10 9 5

♥ 10 4

♦ 9 8 5 3

♣ A 10 6 4



♠ 8 4

♥ A 7 6 3 2

♦ Q J 7

♣ J 5 2

♠ A Q 6 2

4 11 8

17

♥ K J 8

♦ A 6 2

♣ K 8 7

Deal 24

West Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 2
♥ A 9 8 2
♦ J 10 9 4
♣ J 6 2

♠ K J 7
♥ K J 5 4
♦ K Q 7 3
♣ A 5

6
17 8
9

N
W E
S

♠ Q 10 8 6 4
♥ Q 7 3
♦ A 6
♣ 10 8 4

♠ A 9 3
♥ 10 6
♦ 8 5 2
♣ K Q 9 7 3

Deal 25 ♠ Q 9 6 5
North Deals ♥ A Q 9 3
E-W Vul ♦ K Q 8
 ♣ A 6

♠ 7 2
♥ J 8 7 4 2
♦ J 10 5
♣ Q 9 3

17
4 8
11

N
W E
S

♠ A 8 4
♥ 10 6
♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ K J 10 5

♠ K J 10 3
♥ K 5
♦ A 9 3
♣ 8 7 4 2

Deal 26

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 5

♥ J 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K Q J 7 6 3

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

N
W E
S

♠ A 10 6

♥ A K 7 4

♦ A Q 5 3

♣ 10 9

12
3 17
8

♠ 8 3 2

♥ 10 9 3

♦ K J 9

♣ A 8 5 2

Deal 27

South Deals

None Vul

♦ K J 7 3

♥ Q 9 5

♦ K 10 4

♣ Q 9 3

♠ 10 9 5

♥ 10 4

♦ 9 8 5 3

♣ A 10 6 4



♠ 8 4

♥ A 7 6 3 2

♦ Q J 7

♣ J 5 2

♠ A Q 6 2

♥ K J 8

♦ A 6 2

♣ K 8 7

11

4 8

17

Deal 28

West Deals
N-S Vul
♠ KJ7
♥ KJ54
♦ KQ73
♣ A5

6
17 8
9

N
W E
S

♠ 52
♥ A982
♦ J1094
♣ J62

♠ Q10864
♥ Q73
♦ A6
♣ 1084

♠ A93
♥ 106
♦ 852
♣ KQ973

Deal 29 ♠ Q 9 6 5
North Deals ♥ A Q 9 3
Both Vul ♦ K Q 8
 ♣ A 6

♠ 7 2
♥ J 8 7 4 2
♦ J 10 5
♣ Q 9 3

17
4 8
11

N
W E
S

♠ A 8 4
♥ 10 6
♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ K J 10 5

♠ K J 10 3
♥ K 5
♦ A 9 3
♣ 8 7 4 2

Deal 30

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 5

♥ J 5

♦ 4 2

♣ K Q J 7 6 3

♠ J 9 7 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ 4

N
W E
S

♠ A 10 6

♥ A K 7 4

♦ A Q 5 3

♣ 10 9

12
3 17
8

♠ 8 3 2

♥ 10 9 3

♦ K J 9

♣ A 8 5 2

Deal 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 7 3

♥ Q 9 5

♦ K 10 4

♣ Q 9 3

♠ 10 9 5

♥ 10 4

♦ 9 8 5 3

♣ A 10 6 4



♠ 8 4

♥ A 7 6 3 2

♦ Q J 7

♣ J 5 2

♠ A Q 6 2

4 11 8

17

♥ K J 8

♦ A 6 2

♣ K 8 7

Deal 32

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 2
♥ A 9 8 2
♦ J 10 9 4
♣ J 6 2

♠ K J 7
♥ K J 5 4
♦ K Q 7 3
♣ A 5

6
17 8
9

N
W E
S

♠ Q 10 8 6 4
♥ Q 7 3
♦ A 6
♣ 10 8 4

♠ A 9 3
♥ 10 6
♦ 8 5 2
♣ K Q 9 7 3

Deal 33 ♠ Q 9 6 5
North Deals ♥ A Q 9 3
None Vul ♦ K Q 8
 ♣ A 6

♠ 7 2
♥ J 8 7 4 2
♦ J 10 5
♣ Q 9 3

17
4 8
11

N
W E
S

♠ A 8 4
♥ 10 6
♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ K J 10 5

♠ K J 10 3
♥ K 5
♦ A 9 3
♣ 8 7 4 2

Deal 34
East Deals
N-S Vul

♠ J 9 7 4
♥ Q 8 6 2
♦ 10 8 7 6
♣ 4

12
3 **17**
8

♠ K Q 5
♥ J 5
♦ 4 2
♣ K Q J 7 6 3

♠ 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

Deal 35

South Deals ♠ K J 7 3
E-W Vul ♥ Q 9 5
 ♦ K 10 4
 ♣ Q 9 3

♠ 10 9 5
♥ 10 4
♦ 9 8 5 3
♣ A 10 6 4

11
4 8
17



♠ 8 4
♥ A 7 6 3 2
♦ Q J 7
♣ J 5 2

♠ A Q 6 2
♥ K J 8
♦ A 6 2
♣ K 8 7

Deal 36

West Deals
Both Vul
♠ K J 7
♥ K J 5 4
♦ K Q 7 3
♣ A 5

6
17 8
9

N
W E
S

♠ 5 2
♥ A 9 8 2
♦ J 10 9 4
♣ J 6 2

♠ Q 10 8 6 4
♥ Q 7 3
♦ A 6
♣ 10 8 4

♠ A 9 3
♥ 10 6
♦ 8 5 2
♣ K Q 9 7 3