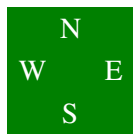


**Board 1**  
 South Deals  
 None Vul

♠ 6 5 4  
 ♥ K 6 4  
 ♦ Q T 9 8  
 ♣ J T 6

♠ Q J 7 2  
 ♥ Q T 7 5  
 ♦ 7 2  
 ♣ 8 5 4



♠ 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

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

4 ♥ by North

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 SOUTH opens 2 and NORTH responds 2

showing fewer than 8 points.

SOUTH bids 2NT with a 23 point balanced hand.

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

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

So SOUTH shows her 4-card

suit and NORTH bids 4

**Board 2**

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J T 8 2  
♥ T 3  
♦ Q 5 2  
♣ T 8 6 5

♠ A K 9

♥ A K 2

♦ A 8 3

♣ A Q 7 4

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♠ Q 6 3

♥ Q 8 5

♦ K 7 6 4

♣ K J 3

♠ 7 5 4

♥ J 9 7 6 4

♦ J T 9

♣ 9 2

West

North

East

South

2♣

Pass

2NT

Pass

3NT

Pass

6NT

All Pass

6NT by South

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

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

SOUTH 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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 4 3

♥ J 6

♦ T 6 3

♣ K J T 7 5

♠ A K Q 8 6

♥ A K T 8 2

♦ A

♣ 8 6

West	North	East	South
			2 ♣
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**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ 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

♠ A Q 2  
 ♥ A K Q 5  
 ♦ K 7 5  
 ♣ K Q T

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

6NT by North

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

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

s she must jump to the 3-level.

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

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

# Board 5

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 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



♠ 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

West	North	East	South
			2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

6♥ by South

6NT. She could also have bid 6

but 6NT scores a little more.

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pass

pass

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

SOUTH bids her

s and NORTH agrees the trump suit with a

4

bid.

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