

**Deal 1**

|             |           |
|-------------|-----------|
| North Deals | ♠ K Q 2   |
| None Vul    | ♥ A 9 3   |
|             | ♦ Q J 9 5 |
|             | ♣ K Q 7   |

|             |              |       |
|-------------|--------------|-------|
| ♠ A 9 6 5 4 | ♦ A 8 3      | ♣ 5 3 |
| ♥ 7 5 4     |              |       |
|             | ♦ 7 6 4 2    |       |
|             | ♣ J 10 9 6 2 |       |

|   |    |   |
|---|----|---|
| 8 | 17 | 6 |
| 9 |    |   |

|            |              |           |
|------------|--------------|-----------|
| N          |              | E         |
| W          |              | S         |
| ♠ 7        | ♥ K Q 2      | ♦ 7 6 4 2 |
| ♦ J 10 8 3 | ♣ J 10 9 6 2 |           |

|            |        |         |
|------------|--------|---------|
| ♦ J 10 8 6 | ♦ K 10 | ♣ A 8 4 |
|------------|--------|---------|

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|------|-------|------|-------|
| West | North | East | South |
|      | 1 NT  | Pass | 2 ♣   |
| Pass | 2 ♦   | Pass | 2 NT  |
| Pass | 3 NT  | Pass | Pass  |

Pass  
3 NT by North

You open 1 NT and partner responds 2 ♣. What do you bid?

With no 4-card Major you reply 2 ♦. What do you bid after partner next says 2 NT?

Partner seems to have about 9 points and is inviting you to say 3 NT. Since you have a maximum 17 point hand you accept the invitation.

**Deal 2**East Deals  
None Vul

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

**10**  
 9 **15**  
 6

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

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

♠ Q 7 6 2  
 ♥ Q 6 3  
 ♦ K Q J  
 ♣ A J 7

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

| West        | North | East | South |
|-------------|-------|------|-------|
|             |       | 1 NT | Pass  |
| 2 ♣         | Pass  | 2 ♠  | Pass  |
| 3 ♠         | Pass  | Pass | Pass  |
| 3 ♠ by East |       |      |       |

You open 1 NT and partner responds 2 ♣.  
 What do you bid?

You bid 2 ♠. Partner next says 3 ♠. What do you say now?

Considering the bidding you have done so far you couldn't have a worse hand. With 4-3-3-3 distribution and a bare 15 points you most certainly don't want to accept any invitation from partner. So you pass. As you see, 9 tricks are not going to come easily.

**Deal 3**

South Deals

None Vul

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



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

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

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

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

4 ♥ by South

You open 1 NT and partner responds 2 ♣.  
What do you bid?

You respond 2 ♥. Partner now says 3 ♥.  
What do you bid?

Partner has told you he has 4 ♥s and approximately 9 points. Add that to your 4 ♥s and 17 points and the total equals a game bid in ♥s. So you say 4 ♥.

**Deal 4**West Deals  
None Vul

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

6  
 17 9  
 8

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

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

♠ A 10 9 6  
 ♥ 6 3  
 ♦ Q 10 8 4  
 ♣ K 8 3

♠ 7 5 2  
 ♥ Q J 4 2  
 ♦ A  
 ♣ J 10 9 5 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 West |              |             |              |

You open 1 NT and partner responds 2 ♣.  
 What do you bid?

When you have 4 cards in both Majors you respond 2 ♥. Partner bids 2 NT. What is your next bid?

Partner would never bid Stayman without a 4-card Major. Since he did not like your ♥ bid it is clear that his 4-card Major must be ♠s. His 2 NT bid was an invitation for you to bid 3 NT, which means he has about 9 points. Knowing that partner has 9 points and 4 ♠s, your call is clear : 4 ♠.

**Deal 5**      ♠ K Q 2

North Deals      ♥ A 9 3

N-S Vul      ♦ Q J 9 5

♣ K Q 7

♠ A 9 6 5 4

♥ 7 5 4

♦ A 8 3

♣ 5 3

N  
W     E  
S

♠ 7

♥ K Q 2

♦ 7 6 4 2

♣ J 10 9 6 2

♠ J 10 8 3

♥ J 10 8 6

♦ K 10

♣ A 8 4

17  
8     6  
9

**Deal 6**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10 8 5

♥ 9 8 5 2

♦ A 9 3

♣ Q 5

**10  
9    15  
6**♠ A 9  
♥ K 10 7 4  
♦ 10 4  
♣ K 6 4 3 2

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

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

**Deal 7**      ♠ Q 10 9 3  
South Deals    ♥ K 8 7 3  
Both Vul        ♦ A 5  
                  ♣ 7 6 4

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

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



**Deal 8**

West Deals

None Vul

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

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

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 10 9 6  
♥ 6 3  
♦ Q 10 8 4  
♣ K 8 3

6  
17 9  
8

♠ 7 5 2  
♥ Q J 4 2  
♦ A  
♣ J 10 9 5 2

**Deal 9**      ♠ K Q 2

North Deals      ♥ A 9 3

E-W Vul      ♦ Q J 9 5

♣ K Q 7

♠ A 9 6 5 4

♥ 7 5 4

♦ A 8 3

♣ 5 3

N  
W     E  
S

♠ 7

♥ K Q 2

♦ 7 6 4 2

♣ J 10 9 6 2

♠ J 10 8 3

♥ J 10 8 6

♦ K 10

♣ A 8 4

17

8     6

9

**Deal 10**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 10 8 5

♥ 9 8 5 2

♦ A 9 3

♣ Q 5

**10**  
9    15  
6

♠ A 9

♥ K 10 7 4

♦ 10 4

♣ K 6 4 3 2



♠ Q 7 6 2

♥ Q 6 3

♦ K Q J

♣ A J 7

♠ J 4 3

♥ A J

♦ 8 7 6 5 2

♣ 10 9 8

**Deal 11**      ♠ Q 10 9 3  
South Deals    ♥ K 8 7 3  
None Vul        ♦ A 5  
                  ♣ 7 6 4

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

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



**Deal 12**

West Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 10 9 6  
♥ 6 3  
♦ Q 10 8 4  
♣ K 8 3

6  
17 9  
8

♠ 7 5 2  
♥ Q J 4 2  
♦ A  
♣ J 10 9 5 2

**Deal 13**

North Deals    ♠ K Q 2  
Both Vul      ♥ A 9 3  
                  ♦ Q J 9 5  
                  ♣ K Q 7

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

8    17  
   6  
   9

N  
W    E  
S

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

♠ J 10 8 3  
♥ J 10 8 6  
♦ K 10  
♣ A 8 4

**Deal 14**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 10 8 5

♥ 9 8 5 2

♦ A 9 3

♣ Q 5

**10  
9    15  
6**

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

N  
W   E  
S

♠ Q 7 6 2  
♥ Q 6 3  
♦ K Q J  
♣ A J 7

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

**Deal 15**      ♠ Q 10 9 3  
South Deals    ♥ K 8 7 3  
N-S Vul        ♦ A 5  
                  ♣ 7 6 4

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

N  
W     E  
S

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

9  
7     17

**Deal 16**

West Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 10 9 6  
♥ 6 3  
♦ Q 10 8 4  
♣ K 8 3

6  
17 9  
8

♠ 7 5 2  
♥ Q J 4 2  
♦ A  
♣ J 10 9 5 2

**Deal 17**      ♠ K Q 2  
North Deals    ♥ A 9 3  
None Vul        ♦ Q J 9 5  
                  ♣ K Q 7

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

17  
8     6  
9

N  
W     E  
S

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

♠ J 10 8 3  
♥ J 10 8 6  
♦ K 10  
♣ A 8 4

**Deal 18**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 10 8 5

♥ 9 8 5 2

♦ A 9 3

♣ Q 5

**10  
9    15  
6**

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

**N  
W    E  
S**

♠ Q 7 6 2  
♥ Q 6 3  
♦ K Q J  
♣ A J 7

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

**Deal 19**      ♠ Q 10 9 3  
South Deals    ♥ K 8 7 3  
E-W Vul        ♦ A 5  
                  ♣ 7 6 4

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

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



**Deal 20**

West Deals

Both Vul

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

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

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 10 9 6  
♥ 6 3  
♦ Q 10 8 4  
♣ K 8 3

6  
17 9  
8

♠ 7 5 2  
♥ Q J 4 2  
♦ A  
♣ J 10 9 5 2

**Deal 21**

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



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8 6  
9  
♦ A 8 4

**Deal 22**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9

♥ K 10 7 4

♦ 10 4

♣ K 6 4 3 2

♠ K 10 8 5

♥ 9 8 5 2

♦ A 9 3

♣ Q 5



♠ Q 7 6 2

♥ Q 6 3

♦ K Q J

♣ A J 7

**10**  
**9 15**  
**6**

♠ J 4 3

♥ A J

♦ 8 7 6 5 2

♣ 10 9 8

**Deal 23**      ♠ Q 10 9 3  
South Deals    ♥ K 8 7 3  
Both Vul        ♦ A 5  
                  ♣ 7 6 4

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

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

N  
W      S  
E

**Deal 24**

West Deals

None Vul

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

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

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 10 9 6  
♥ 6 3  
♦ Q 10 8 4  
♣ K 8 3

6  
17 9  
8

♠ 7 5 2  
♥ Q J 4 2  
♦ A  
♣ J 10 9 5 2

**Deal 25**      ♠ K Q 2

North Deals      ♥ A 9 3

E-W Vul      ♦ Q J 9 5

♣ K Q 7

♠ A 9 6 5 4

♥ 7 5 4

♦ A 8 3

♣ 5 3

N  
W     E  
S

♠ 7

♥ K Q 2

♦ 7 6 4 2

♣ J 10 9 6 2

♠ J 10 8 3

♥ J 10 8 6

♦ K 10

♣ A 8 4

17  
8     6  
9

**Deal 26**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 10 8 5

♥ 9 8 5 2

♦ A 9 3

♣ Q 5

**10  
9    15  
6**

♠ A 9

♥ K 10 7 4

♦ 10 4

♣ K 6 4 3 2



♠ Q 7 6 2

♥ Q 6 3

♦ K Q J

♣ A J 7

♠ J 4 3

♥ A J

♦ 8 7 6 5 2

♣ 10 9 8

**Deal 27**      ♠ Q 10 9 3  
South Deals      ♥ K 8 7 3  
None Vul      ♦ A 5  
                    ♣ 7 6 4

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

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W E  
S

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

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7 7  
17

**Deal 28**

West Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 10 9 6  
♥ 6 3  
♦ Q 10 8 4  
♣ K 8 3

6  
17 9  
8

♠ 7 5 2  
♥ Q J 4 2  
♦ A  
♣ J 10 9 5 2

**Deal 29**      ♠ K Q 2

North Deals      ♥ A 9 3  
Both Vul      ♦ Q J 9 5  
                  ♣ K Q 7

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

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8     6  
9

N  
W     E  
S

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

♠ J 10 8 3  
♥ J 10 8 6  
♦ K 10  
♣ A 8 4

**Deal 30**

East Deals

None Vul

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

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

**10**  
**9 15**  
**6**



♠ Q 7 6 2  
♥ Q 6 3  
♦ K Q J  
♣ A J 7

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

**Deal 31**      ♠ Q 10 9 3  
South Deals      ♥ K 8 7 3  
N-S Vul      ♦ A 5  
                    ♣ 7 6 4

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

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



**Deal 32**

West Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 10 9 6  
♥ 6 3  
♦ Q 10 8 4  
♣ K 8 3

6  
17 9  
8

♠ 7 5 2  
♥ Q J 4 2  
♦ A  
♣ J 10 9 5 2

**Deal 33**      ♠ K Q 2  
North Deals      ♥ A 9 3  
None Vul      ♦ Q J 9 5  
                    ♣ K Q 7

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

17  
8     6  
9

N  
W     E  
S

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

♠ J 10 8 3  
♥ J 10 8 6  
♦ K 10  
♣ A 8 4

**Deal 34**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 10 8 5

♥ 9 8 5 2

♦ A 9 3

♣ Q 5

**10  
9    15  
6**

♠ A 9

♥ K 10 7 4

♦ 10 4

♣ K 6 4 3 2

**N  
W    E  
S**

♠ Q 7 6 2

♥ Q 6 3

♦ K Q J

♣ A J 7

♠ J 4 3

♥ A J

♦ 8 7 6 5 2

♣ 10 9 8

**Deal 35**      ♠ Q 10 9 3  
South Deals      ♥ K 8 7 3  
E-W Vul      ♦ A 5  
                    ♣ 7 6 4

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

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



**Deal 36**

West Deals

Both Vul

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

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

N  
W E  
S

♠ A 10 9 6  
♥ 6 3  
♦ Q 10 8 4  
♣ K 8 3

6  
17 9  
8

♠ 7 5 2  
♥ Q J 4 2  
♦ A  
♣ J 10 9 5 2