

**Deal 1**

♠ A 8 7 4	Dlr: North
♥ J 10 2	Vul: None
♦ A K 5 3	
♣ Q J	

  

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

  

♠ 3 2	
♥ A K 8 7 6 4	
♦ J 8	
♣ 8 7 5	

Answer: 3♥

Partner opened a strong 1NT. We've got a single-suited hand with at least 6 hearts, so we know we have a major-suit fit. We transferred to our suit, and now can raise to the 3 level to show our invitational strength. Partner will pass with a minimum, and bid 4♥ with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.ssinv StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 16294208416658607535  
16294208416658607535

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

**Deal 2**

♠ A J 6 5	Dlr: East
♥ K 8	Vul: None
♦ K J 10 5	
♣ K 10 3	

  

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

  

♠ K 9 8 2	
♥ Q J 9 7 6	
♦ 8	
♣ A 4 2	

Answer: 4♠

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. With no slam interest, sign off in game.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitGF StdGen unSt-  
dGen = SMGen 15368131576909662422  
16294208416658607535

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

## Deal 3

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

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

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: North  
 Vul: N/S

♠ K 6 3 2  
 ♥ J 10 9  
 ♦ 10 5 4 2  
 ♣ J 5

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3♥

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. With invitational strength, invite to game. Partner will pass with a minimum and bid 4 with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitInv StdGen unStdGen = SM-  
 Gen 2452917634603997936 16294208416658607535

## Deal 4

♠ A Q 9 8  
 ♥ 9 7  
 ♦ A 9 7 6  
 ♣ J 7 4

♠ 6 5  
 ♥ K J 10 6 5  
 ♦ K Q 10 5  
 ♣ 10 2

N
W E
S

♠ K J 7 4  
 ♥ A Q 3  
 ♦ 8 3  
 ♣ K Q 8 3

Dlr: East  
 Vul: E/W

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

West	North	East	South
		Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Answer: 2♥

We have opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer. Complete the transfer by bidding the next higher suit. Partner promises at least 5 cards in that major, and will describe their hand further (possibly by passing with a weak hand) afterward.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.Complete StdGen  
 unStdGen = SMGen 5831912108956940985  
 16294208416658607535

**Deal 5**

♠ 9 7 4 2	♠ Q 10	Dlr: West
♥ 5 2	♥ Q 7 4	Vul: N/S
♦ 10 6 4	♦ A K Q J 9	
♣ 10 9 6 4	♣ K 5 2	

  

	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	
♠ 8 6 5		♠ A K J 3
♥ A 10 9 3		♥ K J 8 6
♦ 7 5		♦ 8 3 2
♣ A J 8 7		♣ Q 3

Answer: 2NT

We bid Stayman, hoping for a fit with partner, but they don't have a 4-card major. With no major-suit fit, bid 2NT to show our balanced invite. Partner will pass with a minimum, and raise to game with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.invNoF StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 11363442240360828115 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

**Deal 6**

♠ 10 7 6 5	♠ K Q 4	Dlr: West
♥ 10 9 6	♥ Q 8	Vul: N/S
♦ J 4 2	♦ A K 10 6 3	
♣ A 9 6	♣ K 8 3	

  

	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	
♠ A J 9 8 3 2		♠ –
♥ A 5 4		♥ K J 7 3 2
♦ 9		♦ Q 8 7 5
♣ 10 7 4		♣ Q J 5 2

Answer: 3♠

Partner opened a strong 1NT. We've got a single-suited hand with at least 6 spades, so we know we have a major-suit fit. We transferred to our suit, and now can raise to the 3 level to show our invitational strength. Partner will pass with a minimum, and bid 4♠ with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.ssinv StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 600763955106107710 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

## Deal 7

♠ Q 9 5 4 3  
 ♥ —  
 ♦ A 10 8 3  
 ♣ J 9 5 3

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

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: South  
 Vul: N/S

♠ 10 2  
 ♥ A 9 8 6 4  
 ♦ K 7 4 2  
 ♣ 7 6

Answer: 4♥

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp StdGen unStdGen = SM-Gen 6132294086509994840 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	4♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
			??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

## Deal 8

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

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

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: South  
 Vul: Both

♠ 10 7 3  
 ♥ Q J 8 4  
 ♦ 10 6 3  
 ♣ K 8 7

Answer: 2♠

We have opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer, indicating they have at least 5 spades. Even though we only have 2-card support, complete the transfer by bidding the next higher suit. We have at least a 7-card fit. If partner is very weak, 2♠ rates to play better than notrump, and we want to be declarer so that our strong hand stays hidden. If partner has at least invitational strength, they will make another bid to give us options of where to play.

West	North	East	South
Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
			??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.Short StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 11663824217913881970 16294208416658607535

**Deal 9**

♠ A 3  
 ♥ J 7 6  
 ♦ A K 8 6 4  
 ♣ K Q 7

♠ 9 6  
 ♥ Q 10 4 3  
 ♦ J 5 3 2  
 ♣ J 9 2

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: North  
Vul: None

Answer: 4♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStd-  
Gen = SMGen 17195354349317769100  
16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

**Deal 10**

♠ Q 10 8  
 ♥ A 10  
 ♦ K 10 6  
 ♣ A K 9 8 2

♠ A 9 6 4  
 ♥ K J 7  
 ♦ 9 8 4  
 ♣ 10 7 4

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: South  
Vul: None

Answer: 2♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have such a weak hand that we have no interest in game, but we do have a 5-card major. Playing in it, even if it's a 5-2 fit, is more likely to succeed than playing in notrump. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then pass and leave partner at the 2 level.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitWeak StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 4280140407012104614  
16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

Deal 11

♠ J 10 9 7 5 4	♠ 2	Dlr: East
♥ 2	♥ A K Q 9 6 3	Vul: E/W
♦ 9 6	♦ 7 4 3	
♣ 10 7 6 4	♣ K Q J	
	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">           N W E S         </div>	
	♠ A Q 8 6	♠ K 3
	♥ 10 5 4	♥ J 8 7
	♦ K Q 10	♦ A J 8 5 2
	♣ A 5 2	♣ 9 8 3

Answer: 4♥

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp StdGen unStdGen = SM-Gen 9811670538415991744 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
		Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	4♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Deal 12

♠ K Q	♠ 10 9 6 5 4	Dlr: West
♥ K J 7 5 3	♥ A 10 2	Vul: Both
♦ 10 8 3	♦ A 5	
♣ Q 9 3	♣ K 10 4	
	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">           N W E S         </div>	
	♠ A 8 3 2	♠ J 7
	♥ Q 9 4	♥ 8 6
	♦ K Q J 2	♦ 9 7 6 4
	♣ A J	♣ 8 7 6 5 2

Answer: 3♠

We've opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer. We've got at least 4-card support in that suit and a maximum, so superaccept by completing the transfer one level higher than usual. This sets the trump suit. If partner was a minimum, they'll pass, and our 9-card fit gives the contract decent chances despite not having much strength. If instead partner was at least invitational, they'll raise to game, knowing this is the right suit. If partner has slam interest, they'll start control bidding. They know we can't confuse a control bid for a second suit because we've already found our trump fit.

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.supac StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 13190665012768934793 16294208416658607535

## Deal 13

	♠ A K J 4	Dlr: West
	♥ A 5	Vul: None
	♦ K 10 9 3	
	♣ 8 6 4	
♠ 10 3	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 9 7 2
♥ J 9 7 4 3		♥ 8 6
♦ A J 8 2		♦ 6 5 4
♣ J 2		♣ A K 10 5 3
	♠ Q 8 6 5	
	♥ K Q 10 2	
	♦ Q 7	
	♣ Q 9 7	

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♠

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. With no slam interest, sign off in game.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitGF StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 16569659487121877842 16294208416658607535

## Deal 14

	♠ A 9 6 5	Dlr: West
	♥ Q J 9	Vul: E/W
	♦ A 10 6	
	♣ A 8 4	
♠ J 8 3	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 10 7 4 2
♥ 5 4 2		♥ K 7 6
♦ 9 4 2		♦ K 8 7
♣ K Q 10 2		♣ 9 7 3
	♠ K Q	
	♥ A 10 8 3	
	♦ Q J 5 3	
	♣ J 6 5	

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3NT

Partner opened a strong 1NT, and we bid Stayman. Partner has 4+ spades, but does not have 4 hearts, so we definitely don't have a fit. We're game forcing with a balanced hand, though, so sign off in 3NT.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.Wr3NS StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 3654445544816213356 16294208416658607535

**Deal 15**

♠ 10 6 2	♠ K Q 7	Dlr: West
♥ 8 6 5 3	♥ Q J 2	Vul: N/S
♦ A 10 7 3	♦ 8 5 2	
♣ 9 4	♣ A K 5 2	

  

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

Answer: 4NT

We bid Stayman, hoping for a major-suit fit, but partner doesn't have a 4-card major. With slam-invitational strength, invite with a quantitative 4NT. Partner will pass with a minimum and bid 6 with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.SIINoF StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 9185975676220100486 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

**Deal 16**

♠ 10 6 5	♠ A K J 8 2	Dlr: West
♥ K 5 2	♥ J 8 7	Vul: N/S
♦ K Q 8 7	♦ J 10 3	
♣ K 7 3	♣ A Q	

  

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

Answer: 2♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have such a weak hand that we have no interest in game, but we do have a 5-card major. Playing in it, even if it's a 5-2 fit, is more likely to succeed than playing in notrump. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then pass and leave partner at the 2 level.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitWeak StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 16870041464674931697 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP



## Deal 17

♠ A Q 10 2  
 ♥ A Q J 10 9 6 5  
 ♦ 8 2  
 ♣ –

♠ 7 3  
 ♥ K 3  
 ♦ J 10 9 7 6  
 ♣ J 10 9 5

N
W E
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♠ K 4  
 ♥ 7 4 2  
 ♦ A K Q 3  
 ♣ K Q 6 4

Dlr: East  
 Vul: E/W

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

Answer: 4NT

We opened 1NT, partner made a Jacoby transfer, and after we completed it, partner raised to game without even checking if we like the suit. That's a slam invite: with a maximum hand and extra trump length, accept the invite by investigating slam (if your partnership uses something other than 4NT to investigate slam, your preferred bid might differ).

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SInvAcc StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 1802291865318323130  
 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
		Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

## Deal 18

♠ 9 7 3  
 ♥ 10 9 8 7 3  
 ♦ 8 6 3  
 ♣ 7 4

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

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: North  
 Vul: N/S

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

Answer: 3♥

We've opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer. We've got at least 4-card support in that suit and a maximum, so superaccept by completing the transfer one level higher than usual. This sets the trump suit. If partner was a minimum, they'll pass, and our 9-card fit gives the contract decent chances despite not having much strength. If instead partner was at least invitational, they'll raise to game, knowing this is the right suit. If partner has slam interest, they'll start control bidding. They know we can't confuse a control bid for a second suit because we've already found our trump fit.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.supac StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 3028750682620322098  
 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

**Deal 19**

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

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

N
W E
S

♠ A 6  
 ♥ J 7 4 3  
 ♦ K 8 7 6  
 ♣ 10 7 6

♠ J 10 8 7  
 ♥ 8  
 ♦ Q J 4  
 ♣ A Q 9 5 4

Dlr: East  
Vul: N/S

Answer: 3♣

Partner opened a strong 1NT. With a game-forcing hand and a 4-card major, we bid Stayman, hoping to find a fit with partner, but they have the other major. We've got an unbalanced hand, so let's bid our second suit. If partner has the fourth suit covered, they'll bid 3NT, and if they don't, they'll continue to describe their hand. Our bid is game-forcing, so we don't need to worry about partner passing us out too low.

West	North	East	South
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

Debug Ref.: Stmn.nfubgf StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 4255209499922321066  
 16294208416658607535

**Deal 20**

♠ A J 9 8 4  
 ♥ K 10 7 6  
 ♦ J 7 4  
 ♣ 6

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

N
W E
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♠ 10 7 5 3  
 ♥ Q 8 4  
 ♦ 10 9 3  
 ♣ K 10 4

♠ Q 6  
 ♥ A J 9  
 ♦ A K 5  
 ♣ Q J 7 5 3

Dlr: North  
Vul: E/W

Answer: 2♦

We opened a strong 1NT, and partner has bid Stayman. We don't have a 4-card major, so bid 2♦ to convey that. Partner is captain of the auction; they'll know what to do next.

West	North	East	South
	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♣	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

Debug Ref.: Stmn.noMaj StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 7634203974275264115  
 16294208416658607535

**Deal 21**

♠ K J 9 4	Dlr: North
♥ K 8 7	Vul: E/W
♦ K Q	
♣ A 9 5 2	

  

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

  

♠ A 6 3	
♥ A J 9 6 5 4	
♦ 8 6	
♣ Q J	

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 15318269762730095326 16294208416658607535

**Deal 22**

♠ K 10 9 8 6 4 2	Dlr: South
♥ Q J	Vul: E/W
♦ J 8	
♣ K 5	

  

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

  

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

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
			1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	4♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Answer: 4♠

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 2403055820424430840 16294208416658607535

**Deal 23**

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

♠ K 10 3 2  
 ♥ J 6 4  
 ♦ K J 3  
 ♣ 9 5 4

N
W E
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♠ A 8 5 4  
 ♥ K 9 7  
 ♦ Q 10 8  
 ♣ 10 3 2

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

Dlr: North  
Vul: N/S

Answer: 2♦

We opened a strong 1NT, and partner has bid Stayman. We don't have a 4-card major, so bid 2♦ to convey that. Partner is captain of the auction; they'll know what to do next.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.noMaj StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 5782050294777373889  
16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♣	Pass	??

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**Deal 24**

♠ K 9 6  
 ♥ A J 10 9 8  
 ♦ A K  
 ♣ 10 6 3

♠ J 8 5  
 ♥ K Q 7  
 ♦ J 8 5 4 2  
 ♣ 9 4

N
W E
S

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

♠ 10  
 ♥ 5 4 3  
 ♦ Q 10 7 3  
 ♣ A J 7 5 2

Dlr: North  
Vul: Both

Answer: 4♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStdGen = SM-  
Gen 9161044769130316938 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

**Deal 25**

♠ 6 2	♠ A Q 10 7	Dlr: West
♥ A 10 5 2	♥ K 8 6	Vul: Both
♦ 8 7 5	♦ K 6 2	
♣ J 10 9 2	♣ K 8 4	

  

	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	
	♠ K 8 4 3	♠ J 9 5
	♥ Q J 7 4	♥ 9 3
	♦ A 10 3	♦ Q J 9 4
	♣ A Q	♣ 7 6 5 3

Answer: 3♥ (slam interest in partner's major)

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. Show at least mild slam interest by bidding the other major at the 3 level! Partner will start control bidding. If you play Serious or Frivolous 3NT, partner might also bid that.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitSl StdGen unStdGen  
 = SMGen 14692574900534204068  
 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

**Deal 26**

♠ 8	♠ Q J 3	Dlr: West
♥ Q 10 7 2	♥ A K J 9 8	Vul: None
♦ Q 8 5	♦ K 7 6	
♣ 9 8 6 4 3	♣ Q J	

  

	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	
	♠ A 10 5	♠ K 9 7 6 4 2
	♥ 6 5 4 3	♥ –
	♦ A J 9 4	♦ 10 3 2
	♣ 7 5	♣ A K 10 2

Answer: 3♥

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. With invitational strength, invite to game. Partner will pass with a minimum and bid 4 with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitInv StdGen unStdGen = SM-  
 Gen 1777360958228539582 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

**Deal 27**

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

♠ 7 4 3  
 ♥ Q 5 2  
 ♦ 10 9 8  
 ♣ Q 9 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ A K Q 10 9 2  
 ♥ A  
 ♦ K Q 2  
 ♣ 10 8 7

Dlr: North  
Vul: N/S

Answer: 4♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and definite slam interest. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can investigate slam with whatever conventions you and partner have agreed on. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SI StdGen unStdGen = SMGen  
7308891089632426712 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

**Deal 28**

♠ A K 5  
 ♥ 10 7 5 3  
 ♦ A J 7 6  
 ♣ K 4

♠ 9  
 ♥ Q J 9 8 6  
 ♦ Q 5 3 2  
 ♣ 10 6 2

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: West  
Vul: E/W

Answer: 4♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and definite slam interest. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can investigate slam with whatever conventions you and partner have agreed on. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SI StdGen unStdGen = SMGen  
12840421221036313842 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

**Deal 29**

♠ Q 9 8 5  
 ♥ Q 8 7  
 ♦ A J  
 ♣ A K 7 4

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

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: North  
Vul: N/S

Answer: 3♠

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. With invitational strength, invite to game. Partner will pass with a minimum and bid 4 with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitInv StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 18371951352440200972 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

**Deal 30**

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

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

N
W E
S

♠ J 5  
 ♥ K 8 6  
 ♦ K Q J 3  
 ♣ A K 10 5

Dlr: East  
Vul: Both

Answer: 4♥

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp StdGen unStdGen = SM-Gen 3304201753083592405 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
		Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	4♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

## Deal 31

	♠ J 10 6 5	Dlr: West
	♥ A 5	Vul: N/S
	♦ K Q J 8	
	♣ 9 6 3	
♠ K 8 3	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 9 7 4
♥ K J 10 8 2		♥ Q 7 6
♦ 9 7 4		♦ 5 3
♣ K 4		♣ J 8 7 5 2
	♠ A Q 2	
	♥ 9 4 3	
	♦ A 10 6 2	
	♣ A Q 10	

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♣	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♦

We opened a strong 1NT, and partner has bid Stayman. We don't have a 4-card major, so bid 2♦ to convey that. Partner is captain of the auction; they'll know what to do next.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.noMaj StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 8835731884487479535  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 32

	♠ K 6 3	Dlr: West
	♥ K 9 7 4	Vul: None
	♦ K 10 9 4	
	♣ 5 3	
♠ A J 10 7 5	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 9 8 4
♥ 10 5		♥ Q 8 6 3
♦ 6 2		♦ 8 5
♣ Q 10 7 6		♣ A J 9 8
	♠ Q 2	
	♥ A J 2	
	♦ A Q J 7 3	
	♣ K 4 2	

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♣	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♦

We opened a strong 1NT, and partner has bid Stayman. We don't have a 4-card major, so bid 2♦ to convey that. Partner is captain of the auction; they'll know what to do next.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.noMaj StdGen unSt-  
dGen = SMGen 16519797672942310746  
16294208416658607535



## Deal 33

♠ Q 8 7  
 ♥ 10 9 8 4 2  
 ♦ J 7  
 ♣ Q 5 4

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

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: North  
 Vul: N/S

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

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3NT

Partner opened a strong 1NT, and we bid Stayman. Our only major is spades, though, and partner's major is hearts, so we don't seem to have a fit. We're game forcing with a balanced hand, so try signing off in 3NT. It's possible partner actually has both majors, and will correct to 4♠.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.Wr3NH StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 1452048073585702179  
 16294208416658607535

## Deal 34

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

♠ A 5 4 2  
 ♥ K 9  
 ♦ A Q 8 4  
 ♣ A 9 2

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: South  
 Vul: E/W

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

West	North	East	South
			Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3NT

Partner opened a strong 1NT, and we bid Stayman. Partner has 4+ spades, but does not have 4 hearts, so we definitely don't have a fit. We're game forcing with a balanced hand, though, so sign off in 3NT.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.Wr3NS StdGen unSt-  
 dGen = SMGen 4831042547938645228  
 16294208416658607535

## Deal 35

	♠ J 8 7	Dlr: West
	♥ A J 6 3	Vul: None
	♦ A 8 7 6	
	♣ K Q	
♠ 10 6 2		♠ 4
♥ 9 4 2		♥ K Q 10 8 5
♦ 9 2		♦ J 10 4
♣ 8 7 4 3 2		♣ A 10 9 5
	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">           N W E S         </div>	
	♠ A K Q 9 5 3	
	♥ 7	
	♦ K Q 5 3	
	♣ J 6	

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and definite slam interest. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can investigate slam with whatever conventions you and partner have agreed on. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SI StdGen unStdGen = SMGen  
3904965708189700115 16294208416658607535

## Deal 36

	♠ Q J 9 4 2	Dlr: West
	♥ K 10 4	Vul: Both
	♦ 9 7 4 2	
	♣ 4	
♠ K 6 5		♠ 7 3
♥ J 9 3 2		♥ Q 8 6 5
♦ Q 10		♦ A 3
♣ K Q 7 6		♣ 9 8 5 3 2
	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">           N W E S         </div>	
	♠ A 10 8	
	♥ A 7	
	♦ K J 8 6 5	
	♣ A J 10	

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Answer: 2♠

We have opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer. Complete the transfer by bidding the next higher suit. Partner promises at least 5 cards in that major, and will describe their hand further (possibly by passing with a weak hand) afterward.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.Complete StdGen  
unStdGen = SMGen 9436495839593587245  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 37

	♠ J 6	Dlr: East
	♥ A 10 5	Vul: N/S
	♦ Q J 6	
	♣ A K 8 7 2	
♠ 9 4 3		♠ Q 8 7
♥ 7 6		♥ K J 9
♦ A K 10 8 5		♦ 9 7 3 2
♣ Q 6 3		♣ J 5 4
	♠ A K 10 5 2	
	♥ Q 8 4 3 2	
	♦ 4	
	♣ 10 9	

West	North	East	South
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Answer: 2♠

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. With 5-5 in the majors and game-forcing strength, we first made a Jacoby transfer into spades, and now bid 2♠ afterwards. We definitely have a major-suit fit somewhere: partner has the options of passing with a spade fit and a minimum, correcting back to 3♥ with a heart fit and a minimum, or bidding either major-suit game with that fit and a maximum.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.55inv2 StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 14968025970997474375  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 38

	♠ A J 6	Dlr: South
	♥ K 8 6 5 3 2	Vul: None
	♦ A 8 6 3	
	♣ -	
♠ Q 10		♠ K 9 7 5 4
♥ 10 9 7 4		♥ J
♦ 4 2		♦ J 10 5
♣ K 9 7 4 2		♣ J 6 5 3
	♠ 8 3 2	
	♥ A Q	
	♦ K Q 9 7	
	♣ A Q 10 8	

West	North	East	South
			1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	4♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Answer: 4♥

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp StdGen unStdGen = SM-  
Gen 2052812028691809889 16294208416658607535

**Deal 39**

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

  

	♠ J 6 2
	♥ A 6 3 2
	♦ K 9 6
	♣ 7 5 3

  

	♠ 9 3
	♥ Q J 10 9 8 7
	♦ Q J 3
	♣ A 8

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStdGen = SM-Gen 5431806503044752938 16294208416658607535

**Deal 40**

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

  

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

  

	♠ A 8 7 6
	♥ 9 2
	♦ A K 5
	♣ K Q J 9

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Answer: 3♠

We've opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer. We've got at least 4-card support in that suit and a maximum, so superaccept by completing the transfer one level higher than usual. This sets the trump suit. If partner was a minimum, they'll pass, and our 9-card fit gives the contract decent chances despite not having much strength. If instead partner was at least invitational, they'll raise to game, knowing this is the right suit. If partner has slam interest, they'll start control bidding. They know we can't confuse a control bid for a second suit because we've already found our trump fit.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.supac StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 8810800977397695987 16294208416658607535

## Deal 41

	♠ Q 8	Dlr: North
	♥ A K 8 2	Vul: E/W
	♦ Q 10 8 6	
	♣ A 8 6	
♠ K 9 6 5 3		♠ 10 7
♥ 10 9 7		♥ J 5
♦ 9 4 2		♦ A 7 5 3
♣ 10 9		♣ Q J 7 4 3
	♠ A J 4 2	
	♥ Q 6 4 3	
	♦ K J	
	♣ K 5 2	

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3♠ (slam interest in partner's major)

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. Show at least mild slam interest by bidding the other major at the 3 level! Partner will start control bidding. If you play Serious or Frivolous 3NT, partner might also bid that.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitSl StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 12189795451750639036 16294208416658607535

## Deal 42

	♠ A K Q 7 6	Dlr: South
	♥ A 8	Vul: E/W
	♦ K Q 10 8 6	
	♣ 8	
♠ 2		♠ J 10 9 8
♥ 2		♥ J 10 6 5 4
♦ J 9 7 5		♦ 3 2
♣ 10 9 6 5 4 3 2		♣ K 7
	♠ 5 4 3	
	♥ K Q 9 7 3	
	♦ A 4	
	♣ A Q J	

West	North	East	South
			1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Answer: 2♠

We have opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer. Complete the transfer by bidding the next higher suit. Partner promises at least 5 cards in that major, and will describe their hand further (possibly by passing with a weak hand) afterward.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.Complete StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 17721325583154526166 16294208416658607535

## Deal 43

	♠ A K 5	Dlr: West
	♥ 8 5	Vul: None
	♦ K Q J 7 6	
	♣ A 9 2	
♠ 8 7 3 2		♠ Q J 10 9
♥ A Q		♥ K J 10 7
♦ 3 2		♦ 5 4
♣ Q 10 8 6 5		♣ K J 4
	♠ 6 4	
	♥ 9 6 4 3 2	
	♦ A 10 9 8	
	♣ 7 3	

N
W E
S

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have such a weak hand that we have no interest in game, but we do have a 5-card major. Playing in it, even if it's a 5-2 fit, is more likely to succeed than playing in notrump. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then pass and leave partner at the 2 level.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitWeak StdGen  
unStdGen = SMGen 501040326746973518  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 44

	♠ Q J 10 8 7 5 2	Dlr: South
	♥ K 6	Vul: Both
	♦ 6 3	
	♣ J 10	
♠ 9		♠ 6 4 3
♥ A 10 9 8 5		♥ Q 7
♦ 9 8 7 2		♦ A K Q 5
♣ 9 5 2		♣ Q 8 4 3
	♠ A K	
	♥ J 4 3 2	
	♦ J 10 4	
	♣ A K 7 6	

N
W E
S

West	North	East	South
Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup> ??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Answer: 2♠

We have opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer, indicating they have at least 5 spades. Even though we only have 2-card support, complete the transfer by bidding the next higher suit. We have at least a 7-card fit. If partner is very weak, 2♠ rates to play better than notrump, and we want to be declarer so that our strong hand stays hidden. If partner has at least invitational strength, they will make another bid to give us options of where to play.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.Short StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 1727499144048972486  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 45

	♠ J 7 6	Dlr: East
	♥ K 4	Vul: Both
	♦ A 9 8 5	
	♣ A K Q 6	
♠ A 10 4 3 2	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ K Q 9
♥ 3 2		♥ J 10 7 5
♦ Q 10 6		♦ 4 3
♣ 9 8 2		♣ J 7 5 3
	♠ 8 5	
	♥ A Q 9 8 6	
	♦ K J 7 2	
	♣ 10 4	

West	North	East	South
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Answer: 3♦

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We've got a game-forcing, two-suited hand including a 5-card major. We started with a Jacoby transfer into our major, and now it's time to rebid our minor. Partner can now find the right game: if they've got a fit in our major suit, they'll rebid that (likely at the 3 level, so we can get in a round of cue bidding if we've got slam interest). If we don't have a fit in either suit, they'll likely bid 3NT. If we've got a minor-suit fit, partner might raise our second suit, but might still bid 3NT, if that's likely to be an easier game to make.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.ubgf StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 7259029275452859616  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 46

	♠ J 8 5 3	Dlr: West
	♥ A J	Vul: N/S
	♦ A K Q 3	
	♣ 9 7 2	
♠ Q 7 6 2	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ K 9 4
♥ K 5 4 3		♥ Q 8
♦ 9 7 2		♦ 8 6 4
♣ Q 10		♣ A J 8 4 3
	♠ A 10	
	♥ 10 9 7 6 2	
	♦ J 10 5	
	♣ K 6 5	

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

Answer: 2♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have a balanced hand with invitational strength, and a 5-card major. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then bid 2NT. This gives partner the options of playing in notrump with 2-card heart support or in hearts with a fit, and the option of playing in partscore with a minimum hand and game with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitBInv StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 10638023749805802665  
16294208416658607535

Deal 47      ♠ K J 4      Dlr: East  
                  ♥ A 6 2      Vul: N/S  
                  ♦ K 5 3  
                  ♣ A 9 6 4

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

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

West	North	East	South
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♠

Partner opened a strong 1NT. With an invitational hand and 5-4 in the majors, we bid Stayman, hoping to find a fit with partner, but they don't have a 4-card major. Bid our 5-card major to show our hand. If partner has a minimum, they can pass with 3 spades or bid 2NT if we still don't have a fit, and if they have a maximum they can either raise us to game with a fit or 3NT without one.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.inv54 StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 11864482567107801633 16294208416658607535

Deal 48      ♠ K 10      Dlr: South  
                  ♥ K 9 8 7 6 2      Vul: None  
                  ♦ A 2  
                  ♣ 5 4 3

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

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

West	North	East	South
			1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	4♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Answer: 4♥

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 17396012698511688763 16294208416658607535



**Deal 49**

♠ K 2	♠ A Q 9	Dlr: South
♥ K J 4	♥ 9 8 6 3	Vul: Both
♦ J 5 4 3 2	♦ K 10 7	
♣ Q 8 3	♣ A K 6	

  

	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	
♠ 10 6 5 4		♠ J 8 7 3
♥ A 10		♥ Q 7 5 2
♦ A Q 9 8 6		♦ –
♣ 9 5		♣ J 10 7 4 2

Answer: 3♦

Partner opened a strong 1NT. With a game-forcing hand and a 4-card major, we bid Stayman, hoping to find a fit with partner, but they have the other major. We've got an unbalanced hand, so let's bid our second suit. If partner has the fourth suit covered, they'll bid 3NT, and if they don't, they'll continue to describe their hand. Our bid is game-forcing, so we don't need to worry about partner passing us out too low.

West	North	East	South
			Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

Debug Ref.: Stmn.nfubgf StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 4480798756206024277  
16294208416658607535

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

**Deal 50**

♠ A 10 6 4	♠ K J	Dlr: West
♥ 10 6 4	♥ Q J 5 2	Vul: None
♦ 9 6 5 2	♦ K 10 7	
♣ J 8	♣ K Q 7 4	

  

	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	
♠ Q 9 8 5		♠ 7 3 2
♥ A K 9 7 3		♥ 8
♦ J 8		♦ A Q 4 3
♣ A 9		♣ 10 6 5 3 2

Answer: 3♠ (slam interest in partner's major)

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. Show at least mild slam interest by bidding the other major at the 3 level! Partner will start control bidding. If you play Serious or Frivolous 3NT, partner might also bid that.

West	North	East	South
			2♣
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitSl StdGen unSt-  
dGen = SMGen 10012328887609911407  
16294208416658607535

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

**Deal 51**

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

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

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♠ 8 3  
 ♥ 8 6 3  
 ♦ K Q J 3  
 ♣ K 7 6 5

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

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Answer: 2♠

We have opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer, indicating they have at least 5 spades. Even though we only have 2-card support, complete the transfer by bidding the next higher suit. We have at least a 7-card fit. If partner is very weak, 2♠ rates to play better than notrump, and we want to be declarer so that our strong hand stays hidden. If partner has at least invitational strength, they will make another bid to give us options of where to play.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.Short StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 13391323361962854456  
 16294208416658607535

**Deal 52**

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

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

N
W E
S

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

♠ 8 6 3  
 ♥ J 10 2  
 ♦ 10 8 5  
 ♣ K Q 5 3

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. With 5-5 in the majors and game-forcing strength, first make a Jacoby transfer into spades, and then bid 3♥ afterwards. Partner will then have the options of which game to bid. This wrong-sides the contract if we end up playing in hearts.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.55GF StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 14617782179264853424  
 16294208416658607535

**Deal 53**

♠ A J 10 9 8	Dlr: North
♥ A 6 2	Vul: N/S
♦ A K 2	
♣ 6 4	

  

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

  

♠ 7 2
♥ Q J 4 3
♦ Q 7
♣ A K Q 7 3

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3♣

Partner opened a strong 1NT. With a game-forcing hand and a 4-card major, we bid Stayman, hoping to find a fit with partner, but they have the other major. We've got an unbalanced hand, so let's bid our second suit. If partner has the fourth suit covered, they'll bid 3NT, and if they don't, they'll continue to describe their hand. Our bid is game-forcing, so we don't need to worry about partner passing us out too low.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.nfubgf StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 17996776653617796473 16294208416658607535

**Deal 54**

♠ K 3	Dlr: North
♥ J 7 5	Vul: E/W
♦ A Q J 5	
♣ A 10 6 2	

  

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

  

♠ A J 10 9 8 7 6 2
♥ A 8
♦ K 10
♣ 9

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 5081562711312131987 16294208416658607535

## Deal 55

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

♠ J 9 7 4  
 ♥ Q 9  
 ♦ K Q J 8  
 ♣ A Q 9

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♠ K 10  
 ♥ J 10 8 6 5 3  
 ♦ A 6 3  
 ♣ 8 7

Dlr: North  
 Vul: N/S

♠ Q 6 5 3 2  
 ♥ 4 2  
 ♦ 5  
 ♣ 10 6 5 4 2

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Answer: 3♥

Partner opened a strong 1NT. We've got a single-suited hand with at least 6 hearts, so we know we have a major-suit fit. We transferred to our suit, and now can raise to the 3 level to show our invitational strength. Partner will pass with a minimum, and bid 4♥ with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.ssinv StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 10613092842716019117  
 16294208416658607535

## Deal 56

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

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

N
W E
S

♠ K 5  
 ♥ A K 10  
 ♦ J 10 8  
 ♣ A Q 8 5 2

Dlr: East  
 Vul: N/S

♠ 8 6 4 2  
 ♥ J 8 4  
 ♦ K 5 2  
 ♣ J 10 3

West	North	East	South
		Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	4♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Answer: 4♠

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp StdGen unSt-  
 dGen = SMGen 11839551660018018085  
 16294208416658607535

**Deal 57**

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

  

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

Dlr: West  
Vul: N/S

Answer: 3NT

Partner opened a strong 1NT, and we bid Stayman. Partner has 4+ spades, but does not have 4 hearts, so we definitely don't have a fit. We're game forcing with a balanced hand, though, so sign off in 3NT.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.Wr3NS StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 17371081791421905215 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

**Deal 58**

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

  

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

Dlr: South  
Vul: N/S

Answer: 4♥

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next. Even if we know we have an 11-card fit, partner might only have 10 HCP. Leave it up to them whether to investigate slam.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp5 StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 4455867849116240729 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	4♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
			??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

**Deal 59**

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

  

	♠ Q 8 4
	♥ K 9 2
	♦ 7 3
	♣ J 7 6 5 4

  

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

West	North	East	South
			Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have a balanced hand with game-going but not slam-going strength, and a 5-card major. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then bid 3NT. This gives partner the options of passing and playing in notrump with 2-card spade support or correcting to 4♠ with a fit, knowing that we belong in game but not slam.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitBGF StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 5682326666418239697  
16294208416658607535

**Deal 60**

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

  

	♠ 6 4 3 2
	♥ J 7 3
	♦ 10 2
	♣ Q 7 6 3

  

	♠ A 7
	♥ 10 9 6 5 2
	♦ A Q 8 6
	♣ 10 8

West	North	East	South
			Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Answer: 3♦

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We've got a game-forcing, two-suited hand including a 5-card major. We started with a Jacoby transfer into our major, and now it's time to rebid our minor. Partner can now find the right game: if they've got a fit in our major suit, they'll rebid that (likely at the 3 level, so we can get in a round of cue bidding if we've got slam interest). If we don't have a fit in either suit, they'll likely bid 3NT. If we've got a minor-suit fit, partner might raise our second suit, but might still bid 3NT, if that's likely to be an easier game to make.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.ubgf StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 2603714169618350503  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 61

	♠ 532	Dlr: East
	♥ A J 8	Vul: E/W
	♦ J 10 2	
	♣ A K Q 4	
♠ K 9 6	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ J 4
♥ K 10 6 3		♥ Q 9 4
♦ K 7 4		♦ A Q 6 5 3
♣ 8 5 2		♣ J 9 7
	♠ A Q 10 8 7	
	♥ 7 5 2	
	♦ 9 8	
	♣ 10 6 3	

West	North	East	South
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have such a weak hand that we have no interest in game, but we do have a 5-card major. Playing in it, even if it's a 5-2 fit, is more likely to succeed than playing in notrump. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then pass and leave partner at the 2 level.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitWeak StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 3830172986920349471  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 62

	♠ 7 4 3	Dlr: East
	♥ K 6	Vul: E/W
	♦ A 8 5	
	♣ A K Q J 10	
♠ A 10 5	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ J 6
♥ Q J 5 3 2		♥ A 10 9
♦ Q 7 6		♦ J 10 4 3 2
♣ 8 3		♣ 9 6 5
	♠ K Q 9 8 2	
	♥ 8 7 4	
	♦ K 9	
	♣ 7 4 2	

West	North	East	South
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have a balanced hand with invitational strength, and a 5-card major. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then bid 2NT. This gives partner the options of playing in notrump with 2-card spade support or in spades with a fit, and the option of playing in partscore with a minimum hand and game with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitBInv StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 5056631804222348439  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 63

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

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStdGen = SM-Gen 1978019307422459245 16294208416658607535

## Deal 64

	♠ A 6 5 4 3 2	Dlr: East
	♥ 2	Vul: N/S
	♦ 7 6 2	
	♣ A K 8	
♠ Q 9 8 7		♠ 10
♥ Q 6 5		♥ K 10 9 4 3
♦ J 9 3		♦ Q 8 5
♣ Q 9 6		♣ J 7 5 4
	♠ K J	
	♥ A J 8 7	
	♦ A K 10 4	
	♣ 10 3 2	

West	North	East	South
Pass	4♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
		Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Answer: 4♠

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp StdGen unStdGen = SM-Gen 7509549438826346375 16294208416658607535



## Deal 65

	♠ 7	Dlr: South
	♥ K J 10 7 4	Vul: E/W
	♦ 8 7 2	
	♣ Q 5 3 2	
♠ K Q J		♠ 10 8 5 4 3 2
♥ 9 8 2		♥ 5 3
♦ A K J 9 5		♦ 10 3
♣ 9 8		♣ A 6 4
	♠ A 9 6	
	♥ A Q 6	
	♦ Q 6 4	
	♣ K J 10 7	

West	North	East	South
			1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Answer: 2♥

We have opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer. Complete the transfer by bidding the next higher suit. Partner promises at least 5 cards in that major, and will describe their hand further (possibly by passing with a weak hand) afterward.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.Complete StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 13041079570230233505  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 66

	♠ A K 7 6	Dlr: South
	♥ J 8	Vul: N/S
	♦ A K 5	
	♣ J 6 5 3	
♠ J 10 8		♠ 9 5 4 3
♥ K 7 5		♥ 10 6 4 2
♦ Q J 4 3		♦ 10 9 6
♣ K 7 2		♣ A 4
	♠ Q 2	
	♥ A Q 9 3	
	♦ 8 7 2	
	♣ Q 10 9 8	

West	North	East	South
			Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3NT

Partner opened a strong 1NT, and we bid Stayman. Partner has 4+ spades, but does not have 4 hearts, so we definitely don't have a fit. We're game forcing with a balanced hand, though, so sign off in 3NT.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.Wr3NS StdGen unSt-  
dGen = SMGen 12115002730481288392  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 67

	♠ K 9	Dlr: East
	♥ A 8 7 5 4 3	Vul: Both
	♦ A J	
	♣ K 7 5	
♠ Q 10 8 5 3	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ J 7 4 2
♥ J 6		♥ 9 2
♦ 10 9 8		♦ K 7 5
♣ J 8 4		♣ Q 9 3 2
	♠ A 6	
	♥ K Q 10	
	♦ Q 6 4 3 2	
	♣ A 10 6	

Answer: 4♥

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 15493997204834231441 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
		Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	4♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

## Deal 68

	♠ A K 10 7 5 2	Dlr: South
	♥ 5 2	Vul: E/W
	♦ K 6	
	♣ 10 6 2	
♠ J 3	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 9 8 6
♥ 8 7 6 4		♥ J 10 9
♦ 10 9 7 4		♦ A 8 3
♣ A 8 4		♣ K J 9 5
	♠ Q 4	
	♥ A K Q 3	
	♦ Q J 5 2	
	♣ Q 7 3	

Answer: 4♠

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next. Even if we only have a doubleton, partner is promising a 6-card suit, so we've got a fit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp2 StdGen unStdGen = SMGen 2578783262528566955 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
			1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	4♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

## Deal 69

	♠ A K Q 8 7	Dlr: West
	♥ J 8 5	Vul: Both
	♦ A 9 7	
	♣ Q 10	
♠ 5 2		♠ –
♥ K 9 2		♥ A Q 6 4 3
♦ K 8 5		♦ Q 10 3 2
♣ A J 8 6 5		♣ 9 7 4 3
	♠ J 10 9 6 4 3	
	♥ 10 7	
	♦ J 6 4	
	♣ K 2	

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have such a weak hand that we have no interest in game, but we do have a 5-card major. Playing in it, even if it's a 5-2 fit, is more likely to succeed than playing in notrump. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then pass and leave partner at the 2 level.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitWeak StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 5957777736881510004  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 70

	♠ Q 8 6	Dlr: West
	♥ K Q 3	Vul: N/S
	♦ 6 5 2	
	♣ A K Q 10	
♠ 7 4		♠ 10 2
♥ J 9 7		♥ 10 8 6 5 4 2
♦ A 10 9 7 4		♦ K Q 3
♣ 6 5 4		♣ J 7
	♠ A K J 9 5 3	
	♥ A	
	♦ J 8	
	♣ 9 8 3 2	

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a slam invite. Make a Jacoby transfer, then raise to game. If partner is a maximum, they'll investigate slam, and with a minimum, they'll pass.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SInv StdGen unStdGen = SM-  
Gen 7184236554183508972 16294208416658607535

**Deal 71**

♠ 9 8 2	♠ Q J 6 4	Dlr: North
♥ K 4	♥ 10 8 5 2	Vul: Both
♦ 5 2	♦ A J 3	
♣ A Q 9 6 5 3	♣ J 10	

  

	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	
♠ A 7		♠ K 10 5 3
♥ A Q J 3		♥ 9 7 6
♦ K Q 7 4		♦ 10 9 8 6
♣ 8 4 2		♣ K 7

Answer: 2♥

We opened a strong 1NT, and partner has bid Stayman, asking whether we have any major suits. We've got one, so bid it. Partner is captain of the auction; they'll know what to do next.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.1Maj StdGen unStdGen = SM-Gen 8410695371485507940 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♣	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

**Deal 72**

♠ 9 6	♠ K 8 2	Dlr: South
♥ K Q 8 6	♥ A J 4 2	Vul: None
♦ 9 6	♦ A K 7 4	
♣ K 8 7 6 2	♣ 10 9	

  

	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	
♠ A 10 5 4 3		♠ Q J 7
♥ 10 7		♥ 9 5 3
♦ Q J 8 3		♦ 10 5 2
♣ Q J		♣ A 5 4 3

Answer: 3♦

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We've got a game-forcing, two-suited hand including a 5-card major. We started with a Jacoby transfer into our major, and now it's time to rebid our minor. Partner can now find the right game: if they've got a fit in our major suit, they'll rebid that (likely at the 3 level, so we can get in a round of cue bidding if we've got slam interest). If we don't have a fit in either suit, they'll likely bid 3NT. If we've got a minor-suit fit, partner might raise our second suit, but might still bid 3NT, if that's likely to be an easier game to make.

West	North	East	South
			Pass
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.ubgf StdGen un-StdGen = SMGen 13942225502889395070 16294208416658607535

## Deal 73

♠ Q 9 3  
 ♥ 10 2  
 ♦ 10 9 6 5 3  
 ♣ 10 9 5

♠ A K J 8 6  
 ♥ J 5 3  
 ♦ A 7  
 ♣ A 7 3

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: West  
 Vul: E/W

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

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStd-  
 Gen = SMGen 13016148663140449957  
 16294208416658607535

## Deal 74

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

♠ K 8 6 5 4  
 ♥ J 5 3  
 ♦ A K 6  
 ♣ A 6

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: West  
 Vul: Both

♠ Q 2  
 ♥ 10 2  
 ♦ Q 10 5 4 2  
 ♣ K Q 5 4

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a slam invite. Make a Jacoby transfer, then raise to game. If partner is a maximum, they'll investigate slam, and with a minimum, they'll pass.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SInv StdGen unStdGen = SM-  
 Gen 100934720834785471 16294208416658607535

## Deal 75

	♠ A 6 4 3	Dlr: North
	♥ A K 10 6	Vul: None
	♦ K J 2	
	♣ Q 4	
♠ Q 8 5 2	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ K J 7
♥ Q 8 4		♥ 9 3
♦ Q 10 9 7		♦ 6 4 3
♣ 10 9		♣ K J 7 6 5
	♠ 10 9	
	♥ J 7 5 2	
	♦ A 8 5	
	♣ A 8 3 2	

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3♥

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. With invitational strength, invite to game. Partner will pass with a minimum and bid 4 with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitInv StdGen unStdGen = SM-Gen 3479929195187728520 16294208416658607535

## Deal 76

	♠ J 8	Dlr: North
	♥ Q 7 4	Vul: None
	♦ A Q J 7 6	
	♣ K Q 3	
♠ 7 6 5 2	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	♠ K Q 10 3
♥ A 8		♥ J 5
♦ 9 5 4 3		♦ K 10 8 2
♣ 9 5 2		♣ J 7 4
	♠ A 9 4	
	♥ K 10 9 6 3 2	
	♦ –	
	♣ A 10 8 6	

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStdGen = SM-Gen 9011459326591615650 16294208416658607535

Deal 77      ♠ A K 8 2      Dlr: West  
                  ♥ 5      Vul: E/W  
                  ♦ 10 5 4 3 2  
                  ♣ K 6 5

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

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

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♠

We opened a strong 1NT, and partner bid Stayman. We've got both majors and showed our lower suit, but didn't find a fit there. Instead, partner showed an unbalanced, game-forcing hand. They must have 4 spades! Furthermore, partner is a passed hand, so they can't be interested in slam. On the Principle of Fast Arrival, sign off in our major-suit game.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.bmubup StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 14542989457995502780  
 16294208416658607535

Deal 78      ♠ A K Q 9 3      Dlr: North  
                  ♥ A 9 8      Vul: E/W  
                  ♦ A 7  
                  ♣ 9 8 6

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

                 ♠ 10  
                  ♥ K Q 7 6 5 3  
                  ♦ K 6  
                  ♣ K Q 5 3

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Answer: 3♣

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We've got a game-forcing, two-suited hand including a 5-card major. We started with a Jacoby transfer into our major, and now it's time to rebid our minor. Partner can now find the right game: if they've got a fit in our major suit, they'll rebid that (likely at the 3 level, so we can get in a round of cue bidding if we've got slam interest). If we don't have a fit in either suit, they'll likely bid 3NT. If we've got a minor-suit fit, partner might raise our second suit, but might still bid 3NT, if that's likely to be an easier game to make.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.ubgf StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 15769448275297501748  
 16294208416658607535

**Deal 79**

♠ A	♠ Q 10 9 7	Dlr: North
♥ Q 10 5	♥ A 8 3	Vul: None
♦ J 10 9 8	♦ K Q 6 3	
♣ J 6 5 4 2	♣ A 9	

  

	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	
	♠ K 8 6 5 4	♠ J 3 2
	♥ J 9 6	♥ K 7 4 2
	♦ A 4 2	♦ 7 5
	♣ 10 7	♣ K Q 8 3

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have a balanced hand with invitational strength, and a 5-card major. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then bid 2NT. This gives partner the options of playing in notrump with 2-card spade support or in spades with a fit, and the option of playing in partscore with a minimum hand and game with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitBInv StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 701698675940893181  
16294208416658607535

**Deal 80**

♠ 4 2	♠ K 10 9	Dlr: North
♥ 10 7 6	♥ Q 4	Vul: E/W
♦ 7 5 3 2	♦ K Q 10 8	
♣ K J 7 6	♣ A Q 8 3	

  

	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W E S </div>	
	♠ A Q 3	♠ J 8 7 6 5
	♥ A K J 8 5 3	♥ 9 2
	♦ A 9	♦ J 6 4
	♣ 10 5	♣ 9 4 2

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and definite slam interest. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can investigate slam with whatever conventions you and partner have agreed on. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SI StdGen unStdGen = SMGen  
4080693150293836230 16294208416658607535



**Deal 81**

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

  

	N W E S	
♠ 9 3		
♥ K Q 9		
♦ A K 9 7		
♣ K 10 9 2		

Dlr: East  
Vul: Both

Answer: Pass

We opened 1NT, partner made a Jacoby transfer, and after we completed it, partner raised to game without even checking if we like the suit. That's a slam invite: with a minimum hand and no extra trump length, pass.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SInvDec StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 9612223281697723360  
16294208416658607535

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
		Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

**Deal 82**

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

  

	N W E S	
♠ 10 5		
♥ A J 6 4		
♦ K Q 10		
♣ 7 6 5 3		

Dlr: West  
Vul: None

Answer: 3NT

We bid Stayman, hoping for a major-suit fit, but partner doesn't have a 4-card major. With game-forcing strength but no slam interest, sign off in 3NT.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.GfNoF StdGen unSt-  
dGen = SMGen 12991217756050666409  
16294208416658607535

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

**Deal 83**

♠ A Q 10 7	Dlr: South
♥ K 10 8	Vul: None
♦ K 8 4 3	
♣ A 5	

  

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

  

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

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

Answer: 2♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have a balanced hand with game-going but not slam-going strength, and a 5-card major. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then bid 3NT. This gives partner the options of passing and playing in notrump with 2-card heart support or correcting to 4♥ with a fit, knowing that we belong in game but not slam.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitBGF StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 2228539470795946004  
16294208416658607535

**Deal 84**

♠ K 4 2	Dlr: West
♥ A K J 3	Vul: Both
♦ Q 8 6 2	
♣ Q 3	

  

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

  

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

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP

Answer: 3♥

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. With invitational strength, invite to game. Partner will pass with a minimum and bid 4 with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitInv StdGen unStdGen = SM-  
Gen 7760069602199833134 16294208416658607535

## Deal 85

	♠ 10 6 5 3 2	Dlr: East
	♥ 8 4	Vul: Both
	♦ 8 2	
	♣ 10 4 3 2	
♠ Q		♠ K 8 4
♥ J 10 9 3		♥ A Q 7 5 2
♦ A K J 10 7 5		♦ 6 4
♣ K 6		♣ 8 7 5
	♠ A J 9 7	
	♥ K 6	
	♦ Q 9 3	
	♣ A Q J 9	

West	North	East	South
		Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Answer: 3♠

We've opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer. We've got at least 4-card support in that suit and a maximum, so superaccept by completing the transfer one level higher than usual. This sets the trump suit. If partner was a minimum, they'll pass, and our 9-card fit gives the contract decent chances despite not having much strength. If instead partner was at least invitational, they'll raise to game, knowing this is the right suit. If partner has slam interest, they'll start control bidding. They know we can't confuse a control bid for a second suit because we've already found our trump fit.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.supac StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 13291599733603720264  
16294208416658607535

## Deal 86

	♠ A 7	Dlr: West
	♥ A 10 6	Vul: E/W
	♦ Q 10 9 5 2	
	♣ A K 9	
♠ J 10 5		♠ 6 3
♥ Q J 7 3 2		♥ K 4
♦ A 8 7		♦ J 6 4 3
♣ 8 4		♣ J 10 7 6 2
	♠ K Q 9 8 4 2	
	♥ 9 8 5	
	♦ K	
	♣ Q 5 3	

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStd-  
Gen = SMGen 16670594207956663313  
16294208416658607535

**Deal 87**

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

  

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

West	North	East	South
Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
			??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

Answer: 3♠

We've opened a strong 1NT, and partner has made a Jacoby transfer. We've got at least 4-card support in that suit and a maximum, so superaccept by completing the transfer one level higher than usual. This sets the trump suit. If partner was a minimum, they'll pass, and our 9-card fit gives the contract decent chances despite not having much strength. If instead partner was at least invitational, they'll raise to game, knowing this is the right suit. If partner has slam interest, they'll start control bidding. They know we can't confuse a control bid for a second suit because we've already found our trump fit.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.supac StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 17897053025258662281  
16294208416658607535

**Deal 88**

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

  

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

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3♣

Partner opened a strong 1NT. With a game-forcing hand and a 4-card major, we bid Stayman, hoping to find a fit with partner, but they have the other major. We've got an unbalanced hand, so let's bid our second suit. If partner has the fourth suit covered, they'll bid 3NT, and if they don't, they'll continue to describe their hand. Our bid is game-forcing, so we don't need to worry about partner passing us out too low.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.nfubgf StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 676767768851109633  
16294208416658607535

Deal 89

♠ 10 7 2  
 ♥ J 3  
 ♦ 10 9 7 5  
 ♣ Q 8 5 3

♠ K Q J 3  
 ♥ K 5  
 ♦ K 4 3 2  
 ♣ K 9 4

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: North  
 Vul: E/W

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

Answer: 3♥

Partner opened a strong 1NT. We've got a single-suited hand with at least 6 hearts, so we know we have a major-suit fit. We transferred to our suit, and now can raise to the 3 level to show our invitational strength. Partner will pass with a minimum, and bid 4♥ with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.ssinv StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 4055762243204052682  
 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Deal 90

♠ 9 8  
 ♥ K 8 7  
 ♦ A 9 5  
 ♣ Q 10 8 7 2

♠ A 4 2  
 ♥ Q 3  
 ♦ K Q J 7  
 ♣ A 6 4 3

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: East  
 Vul: N/S

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

Answer: 2♠

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. With 5-5 in the majors and game-forcing strength, we first made a Jacoby transfer into spades, and now bid 2♠ afterwards. We definitely have a major-suit fit somewhere: partner has the options of passing with a spade fit and a minimum, correcting back to 3♥ with a heart fit and a minimum, or bidding either major-suit game with that fit and a maximum.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.55inv2 StdGen un-  
 StdGen = SMGen 9587292374607939812  
 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♦ <sup>b</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15-17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

Deal 91

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

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

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: North  
 Vul: Both

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

Answer: 2♥

We opened a strong 1NT, and partner has bid Stayman, asking whether we have any major suits. We've got both, so bid the cheaper one, hearts. If partner doesn't like our suit, they must have spades, and we'll be able to bid those later.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.2Maj StdGen unStdGen  
 = SMGen 15118822506011826942  
 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	Pass	Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	2♣	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Deal 92

♠ J 10 9  
 ♥ Q 8 7 3  
 ♦ Q 8 5  
 ♣ Q 9 6

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

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: East  
 Vul: N/S

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

Answer: 4♥

We have opened 1NT, and partner has made a Texas Transfer. Complete the transfer, and see what they do next.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.comp StdGen unStdGen = SM-  
 Gen 4356144220757106537 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
		Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>
Pass	4♦ <sup>b</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP<sup>b</sup>Transfer to hearts

## Deal 93

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

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

N
W E
S

♠ A K Q J 10 7 2  
 ♥ 7 3 2  
 ♦ 3  
 ♣ 10 4

Dlr: North  
 Vul: E/W

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

Answer: 4♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStdGen = SM-  
 Gen 9887674352160993667 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

## Deal 94

♠ Q J 10 5  
 ♥ J 9  
 ♦ J 10 4  
 ♣ 5 4 3 2

♠ 4 3  
 ♥ Q 10 6 2  
 ♦ A K 3 2  
 ♣ A K J

N
W E
S

♠ K 8 7 2  
 ♥ A 7 5 3  
 ♦ Q 8 7  
 ♣ Q 7

Dlr: West  
 Vul: E/W

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

Answer: 4♥

Partner opened a strong 1NT, we bid Stayman, and found a major-suit fit. With no slam interest, sign off in game.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.fitGF StdGen unSt-  
 dGen = SMGen 15419204483564880797  
 16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

**Deal 95**

♠ 8	♠ A K Q	Dlr: East
♥ Q 10 9 4	♥ J 8 3	Vul: N/S
♦ A 9 7 4	♦ K 6 2	
♣ 6 5 4 3	♣ Q J 9 2	

  

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

  

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

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass		Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 2♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have a balanced hand with invitational strength, and a 5-card major. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then bid 2NT. This gives partner the options of playing in notrump with 2-card spade support or in spades with a fit, and the option of playing in partscore with a minimum hand and game with a maximum.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitBInv StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 2503990541259216311  
16294208416658607535

**Deal 96**

♠ Q 10 5 2	♠ A K 6 4	Dlr: West
♥ 9 8 5 2	♥ K Q 4	Vul: None
♦ 8	♦ A 10 6 2	
♣ A J 10 3	♣ 9 8	

  

	♠ J 8 3
	♥ J 10
	♦ Q J 9 4 3
	♣ 7 6 4

  

	♠ 9 7
	♥ A 7 6 3
	♦ K 7 5
	♣ K Q 5 2

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3NT

Partner opened a strong 1NT, and we bid Stayman. Partner has 4+ spades, but does not have 4 hearts, so we definitely don't have a fit. We're game forcing with a balanced hand, though, so sign off in 3NT.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.Wr3NS StdGen unSt-  
dGen = SMGen 15719586461117934652  
16294208416658607535



**Deal 97**

♠ A Q 9  
 ♥ A 9 8 6 2  
 ♦ A K 4  
 ♣ 9 6

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

N
W E
S

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

Dlr: South  
Vul: N/S

Answer: 2♥ (Transfer to spades)

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We have a balanced hand with game-going but not slam-going strength, and a 5-card major. Make a Jacoby transfer into the suit, then bid 3NT. This gives partner the options of passing and playing in notrump with 2-card spade support or correcting to 4♠ with a fit, knowing that we belong in game but not slam.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.InitBGF StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 2804372518812270166  
16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	Pass
			??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

**Deal 98**

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

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

N
W E
S

♠ J 10 9 8 2  
 ♥ 10 4  
 ♦ A K 9 8  
 ♣ Q 2

Dlr: East  
Vul: E/W

Answer: 3♦

Partner has opened a strong 1NT. We've got a game-forcing, two-suited hand including a 5-card major. We started with a Jacoby transfer into our major, and now it's time to rebid our minor. Partner can now find the right game: if they've got a fit in our major suit, they'll rebid that (likely at the 3 level, so we can get in a round of cue bidding if we've got slam interest). If we don't have a fit in either suit, they'll likely bid 3NT. If we've got a minor-suit fit, partner might raise our second suit, but might still bid 3NT, if that's likely to be an easier game to make.

Debug Ref.: JacTrans.ubgf StdGen un-  
StdGen = SMGen 6183366993165213215  
16294208416658607535

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass	2♠	Pass	2♥ <sup>b</sup>
			??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

<sup>b</sup>Transfer to spades

## Deal 99

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

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

Dlr: North  
 Vul: None

N
W E
S

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

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

West	North	East	South
	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 3NT

Partner opened a strong 1NT, and we bid Stayman. Partner has 4+ spades, but does not have 4 hearts, so we definitely don't have a fit. We're game forcing with a balanced hand, though, so sign off in 3NT.

Debug Ref.: Stmn.Wr3NS StdGen unStd-  
 dGen = SMGen 11714897124569100345  
 16294208416658607535

## Deal 100

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

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

Dlr: West  
 Vul: N/S

N
W E
S

♠ J 10 9 7  
 ♥ J 4 3  
 ♦ 9 7 5 2  
 ♣ K 10

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

West	North	East	South
Pass	1NT <sup>a</sup>	Pass	??

<sup>a</sup>15–17 HCP

Answer: 4♦ (Transfer to hearts)

Partner has opened 1NT, and we've got a 6-card major and a game-forcing hand with no interest in slam. Make a Texas Transfer by bidding 1 below our suit. Partner will complete the transfer by bidding our suit, and then we can pass. We're guaranteed a trump fit because partner should have at least a doubleton in every suit.

Debug Ref.: TexTr.SO StdGen unStd-  
 Gen = SMGen 17246427255972987475  
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