

**Board 1** ♠ A K J 5  
 North Deals ♥ A 8 7  
 None Vul ♦ 10 9 6  
 ♣ 7 4 2

♠ 10 6 ♥ 9 6 4 2  
 ♦ J 5 3 2 ♣ 9 8 5

W N E S

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

♠ Q 9 7 2 ♥ 5 3  
 ♦ A K Q ♣ A Q J 3

NS 6N; NS 6♠; NS 6♣; NS 3♥;  
 NS 4♦; Par +990

North-South should reach 3NT or 4♠. In 4♠ played by North, East will lead K♥. North should draw trumps and take a finesse (twice!) in ♣. Should make 12 tricks.

**Board 5** ♠ Q 9 7 4 2  
 North Deals ♥ 8 2  
 N-S Vul ♦ K 9 5  
 ♣ Q 4 2

♠ K 10 8 3 ♥ Q 6 5 3  
 ♦ A J 8 ♣ 9 8

W N E S

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

♠ J 6 ♥ A 7 4  
 ♦ Q 10 6 4 3 ♣ 7 6 3

EW 5♥; W 4N; EW 5♣; E 2N;  
 EW 2♠; EW 2♦; Par -450

East-West should reach a contract of 4♥ played by West, and North should lead a ♦. West should play trumps and play on the ♣ suit. Should make 11 tricks.

**Board 2** ♠ A 9 8  
 East Deals ♥ J 9 7 3 2  
 N-S Vul ♦ Q J 10  
 ♣ Q 8

♠ Q J 4 3 2 ♥ A K Q 10 6  
 ♦ 7 6 ♣ 3

W N E S

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

♠ 7 6 ♥ 8 4  
 ♦ K 8 5 4 ♣ J 9 7 6 2

EW 5♠; EW 4N; EW 4♥; EW 2♦;  
 EW 2♣; Par -450

East-West should reach a contract of 4♠ played by West, and North should lead Q♦. West should discard her losing ♦ on a top ♣ before playing trumps. Should make 11 tricks.

**Board 6** ♠ K J 7 5 4 3  
 East Deals ♥ 7  
 E-W Vul ♦ 9 5 2  
 ♣ K 5 4

♠ 9 ♥ K 5 2  
 ♦ Q J 10 3 ♣ 9 8 7 6 2

W N E S

♠ Q 10 2 ♥ J 9 8 6 4  
 ♦ 8 6 ♣ A J 3

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

NS 5♠; S 4N; N 3N; NS 4♦;  
 NS 2♥; NS 1♣; Par +450

North-South should reach 4♠ played by North, and East should lead a low ♥. North should play two top ♠ and make 11 tricks.

**Board 3** ♠ 10 4  
 South Deals ♥ K 3 2  
 E-W Vul ♦ J 9 6 3 2  
 ♣ A K Q

♠ Q 8 7 3 ♥ 9 6  
 ♦ K 8 5 ♣ J 10 9 2

W N E S

♠ A J 9 6 2 ♥ A 5  
 ♦ 10 7 ♣ 8 6 5 3

♠ K 5 ♥ Q J 10 8 7 4  
 ♦ A Q 4 ♣ 7 4

NS 4♥; NS 4♦; NS 2N; EW 1♠;  
 EW 1♣; Par +420

North-South should reach 4♥ played by South, and West should lead J♣. South should play trumps and then take a finesse in the ♦ suit.

**Board 7** ♠ J 7 2  
 South Deals ♥ Q 8 4  
 Both Vul ♦ Q 6 5 3 2  
 ♣ A 8

♠ K 6 4 ♥ 9  
 ♦ K J 7 ♣ K Q 9 5 4 3

W N E S

♠ A Q 10 8 5 ♥ A J 7 2  
 ♦ A ♣ 7 6 2

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

EW 6♠; EW 6♣; EW 4N; EW 1♥;  
 EW 1♦; Par -1430

East-West should reach 4♠ played by East and South should lead a ♥. After drawing trumps East should play on ♣ and make 12 tricks.

**Board 4** ♠ Q 6 4 2  
 West Deals ♥ Q 9 2  
 Both Vul ♦ A 6 4 2  
 ♣ 6 3

♠ A J 9 3 ♥ 10 6 4  
 ♦ 3 ♣ K 7 5 4 2

W N E S

♠ 8 7 ♥ A K J 8 3  
 ♦ K Q J 10 ♣ A 9

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

EW 5N; EW 5♥; EW 4♠; EW 5♦;  
 EW 3♣; Par -660

East-West should reach 4♥ played by East and South should lead Q♣. East should win this in dummy and take the finesse in ♥. Should make 10 tricks.

**Board 8** ♠ K J 4 3 2  
 West Deals ♥ A K 5  
 None Vul ♦ 7 4 2  
 ♣ Q J

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

W N E S

♠ 9 8 7 6 ♥ 9 6  
 ♦ A Q J 10 ♣ A 5 3

♠ A Q ♥ Q J 10 7 2  
 ♦ 9 8 ♣ K 7 4 2

NS 4♥; NS 3♠; NS 2N; NS 2♣;  
 EW 1♦; Par +420

North-South should reach 4♥ played by South, and West should lead 10♣. South should cash A and Q of ♠ before playing trumps. He then discard losers on dummy's good ♠ and make 10 tricks.