The Kaplan and Flannery Souths knows from the outset that North has five spades. The Tucker and Kaplan Souths must rebid a 3-card club suit.
**Board 3**
South Deals
E-W Vul

Non-Tucker

♠ A K 5 3
♥ 9
♦ A 10 7 6 5
♣ K 10 5

♠ Q 10 8 6
♥ Q J 10
♦ Q
♣ Q 9 8 6 2

♠ J
♥ A K 8 6 3 2
♦ K 9 2
♣ A 4 3

NS 6N; NS 6♥; NS 6♦; NS 3♠; NS 4♣

West  North  East  South

Pass  2 ♠  Pass  2 ♥
Pass  2 ♪  Pass  3 ♠
Pass  3 NT  Pass  5 ♠
Pass  6 ♠  All pass

6 ♠ by North

Std: 1♥ - 2♠; 2♥ - 2♣; 2NT - 3NTN =6
Mod: same
Tucker: same
Kaplan: same
Flannery: same
Transfer: Std
Gazzilli: Std

**Board 4**
South Deals
Both Vul

Non-Tucker

♠ K J 10 9 3 2
♥ J 5
♦ J 9 3
♣ Q 5

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

♠ 7 6 4
♥ 8
♦ Q 6
♣ A K 8 5 2

♠ Q 5
♥ A Q 6 3 2
♦ 10 7 4
♣ A J 6

EW 3♣; EW 3♠; EW 1N; NS 1♣; EW 1♥

West  North  East  South

Pass  1 ♠  Pass  1 NT
Pass  2 ♠  All pass

2 ♠ by North

Std: 1♥ - 1♠; 1NT - 2♠N =6
Mod: same
Tucker: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♠ - 2♠N =5
Kaplan: 1♥ - 1NT; 2♠ - 2♠N =5
Flannery: see Std.
Transfer: 1♥ - 1♠; 1NT [♣] - 2♠N =5
Gazzilli: Std
KSU: Std
The Kaplan and Flannery Souths know North has 5 spades.
**Board 7**
South Deals
Both Vul

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

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

NS 4♠; S 3N; N 2N; NS 3♦; NS 1♥; NS 1♣

West  | North  | East  | South
--- | --- | --- | ---
Pass  | 1 ♠ | Pass  | 2 ♠
Pass  | 2 ♦ | Pass  | 3 ♦
Pass  | 3 ♠ | Pass  | 4 ♠
All pass

1. Fourth suit forcing -- 4+ S; 13+ total points; forcing to 3N

4 ♠ by North

- Std: 1♥ - 1♣; 2♦ - 3♠ N =6
- Mod: same
- Tucker: same
- Kaplan: 1♥ - 1NT [♣:5+]; 2♣ - 3♠ N =6
- Flannery: see Std.
- Transfer: 1♥ - 1♣; 1NT [♥] - 3♠ N =6
- KSU: 1♥ - 1♣; 1NT - 4♠ N =7

**Board 8**
South Deals
None Vul

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

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

NS 6N; NS 6♥; NS 3♠; NS 2♣; NS 2♥

West  | North  | East  | South
--- | --- | --- | ---
Pass  | 1 ♠ | Pass  | 4 ♥
Pass  | 5 ♥ | Pass  | 6 ♥
All pass

6 ♥ by South

- Std: 1♥ - 1♣; 3♠ - 3♥; 3♥ - 4NT; 5♠ - 5♥ [Q ask];
- 6♥ - 6NTN [protects ♠K] =8

- Mod: same
- Tucker: 1♥ - 2♣; 3♥ [sets trump] - 3♠ [2 of top 3]; 4NT - 5♣;
- 6NTS =8
- Kaplan: 1♥ - 1NT [♣:5+]; same
- Flannery: same
- Transfer: Tucker
- Gazzilli: Tucker

In response to the Q ask, 6♥ says, "if we have them all, bid a grand slam." [See my Crosswood article.] The Tucker auction is clearly superior, but actually reaching the top spot of 6NT is less certain. Once any non-Tucker North decides on 4NT, it is much easier for him to select 6NT.
**Board 9**

South Deals
E-W Vul

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

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♠ J 8
♥ 8 7 5
♦ 10 8 2
♣ J 6 4 3 2
♠ K 10
♥ A K Q J 10 4 3
♦ K 9
♣ A 5
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NS 6N; NS 6♥; NS 6♦; NS 4♣; NS 1♠

West | North | East | South
--- | --- | --- | ---
1 ♠ | Pass | Pass | 3 ♥
Pass | 3 ♠ | Pass | 6 ♥
All pass

6 ♥ by South

Std: 1♥ - 2♦; 3♥ [sets trump] - 3NT [serious];
4♣ - 4♦ [2/3 top ♦]; 4NT - 5♥; 6NTS =6

Mod: same

Tucker: same
Kaplan: same
Flannery: same
Transfer: Std
Gazzilli: Std  

**Board 10**

South Deals
Both Vul

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

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

NS 7N; NS 7♦; NS 6♥; NS 5♣; NS 3♦

West | North | East | South
--- | --- | --- | ---
1 ♠ | Pass | Pass | 2 ♠
Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♥
Pass | 3 ♥ | Pass | 6 ♥
Pass | 7 ♥ | Pass | 7 NT
All pass

1. Fourth suit forcing -- 4+ S; 13+ total points; forcing to 3N

7 NT by South

Std: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♥ - 2♦ [4SF]; 3♥ - 4♦; 4♦ [Crosswood] - 4♥ [0 or 3]; 5♥ - 5♥; 7♥ S =8

Mod: same

Tucker: 1♥ - 2♥; 3♥ [GF] - 3♥; 3♥ [2 of top 3] - 4♥ [Crosswood]; 5♥ [2 with ♦Q] - 7♥ S =9

Kaplan: see Tucker
Flannery: see Tucker
Transfer: Tucker
Gazzilli: Tucker
### Board 11
**South Deals**
None Vul

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**Non-Tucker**
- ♠ K 10 8 6 4
- ♥ J 8 4
- ♦ J 5
- ♣ A K 8

**West**
Pass

**North**
Pass

**East**
Pass

**South**
1 NT

1. Michaels -- 5+ S; 9+ total points; forcing
2. Show your 2nd suit --

2 ♥ by South

- Std: 1 ♥ - 1 ♠; 1NT - 3 ♥ S = 6
- Mod: same
- Tucker: 1 ♥ - 1 ♠; 2 ♠ - 3 ♥ S = 5
- Kaplan: 1 ♥ - 1NT [♠:5]; 2 ♠ - 3 ♥ S = 5
- Flannery: see Std. = 6
- Transfer: 1 ♥ - 1 ♠; 1NT [♠] - 3 ♥ S = 5
- Gazzilli: Std
- KSU: Std

### Board 12
**South Deals**
N-S Vul

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**Non-Tucker**
- ♠ K Q J 10 9 6
- ♥ A 2
- ♦ J 4
- ♣ Q 6 5

**West**
Pass

**North**
Pass

**East**
Pass

**South**
Dbl

1. Michaels -- 5+ S; 9+ total points; forcing
2. Show your 2nd suit --

3 ♥ x by West

- Std: 1 ♥ - (2 ♥) - X - (2NT); X - (3D) - P - (P); 3NTS = 7
- Mod: same
- Tucker: same
- Kaplan: same
- Flannery: same
- Transfer: Std
- Gazzilli: Std

Without interference:

- Std/Mod/Flannery: 1 ♥ - 1 ♠; 2 ♠ - 2 ♠ [4SF]; 2NT - 3S; 3NTS
- Tucker: 1 ♥ - 2 ♠; 2NT - 3 ♠; 3NTS
- Kaplan: 1 ♥ - 1NT [♠:5+]; same as Std.
**Board 13**

South Deals
Both Vul

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NS 5♥; N 3N; NS 5♠; S 1N; EW 1♣

West North East South
1 ♥
Pass 1 ♠ 2 ♠ 2 ♠
Pass 3 NT Pass 4 ♥
Pass 5 ♦ All pass

5 ♦ by South

Std: 1♥ - (P) - 1♣ - (2♦); 2♦ - (P) - 3NT - (P);
4 ♦ - (P) - 5♣ S =5

Mod: 1♥ - 2♦; 3♣ [GF] - 3NT; 4♥ S =8

Tucker: see Mod.
Kaplan: see Mod.
Flannery: see Mod.
Transfer: Std
Gazzilli: Std

**Board 14**

South Deals
None Vul

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NS 5N; NS 5♥; NS 3♠; NS 2♥; NS 1♦

West North East South
1 ♥
Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥
Pass 3 ♥ Pass 4 ♥
All pass

4 ♥ by South

Std: 1♥ - 1♣; 2♥ - 4♥ S =6
Mod: same
Tucker: same
Kaplan: 1♥ - 1NT [♠:5+]; same
Flannery: see Std.
Transfer: Std
Gazzilli: Std
**Board 15**

South Deals
N-S Vul

North

South

West

East

- **Non-Tucker**
- ♠ A K 4 2
- ♥ 8 7
- ♦ 8 6 4
- ♣ 9 7 6 3

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

NS 2♥; EW 3♦; EW 1N; EW 1♠; EW 1♦

West North East South

1♥

↑ 1 ♠ Pass 3 ♠ All pass

3 ♠ by West

Std: 1♥ - (1♠) - (P) - (2♠); 3♥ S =4

Mod: same

Tucker: same

Kaplan: same

Flannery: same

Transfer: Std

Gazzilli: Std

**Board 16**

South Deals
E-W Vul

North

South

West

East

- **Non-Tucker**
- ♠ Q J 10 7
- ♥ K 5
- ♦ 7 4
- ♣ K 9 8 5 4

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

NS 5N; NS 5♥; NS 5♦; NS 3♠; NS 2♦

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3 NT

All pass

3 NT by South

Std: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♦ - 3♣; 3NTS =6

Mod: same

Tucker: same

Kaplan: same, but 1♠ shows 0-4 =5

Flannery: 1♥ - 1NT [♠:0-4]; 2♦ - 3♣; 3NTN =5

Transfer: 1♥ - 1♣; 1NT [♥] - 2♥; 2NT - 3♣; 3♣ -4♥ S =7

Gazzilli: 1♥ - 1♣; 2♦! - 2♦!; 2NT - 3♣; 3♣ - 4♥ S =7
**Board 17**

**South Deals**
None Vul

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**Non-Tucker**

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

**NS 3N; NS 3♥; EW 3♦; NS 2♣; EW 1♠**

*West* | *North* | *East* | *South*
---|---|---|---
2 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♥ | 3 ♥
Pass | Pass | 3 ♠ | Pass
4 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ | All pass

4 ♠ by East

Std: 1♥ - (2♦) - P - (2♠); ... =6 (all)

Mod: see Std

**Non-Tucker**

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

**Board 18**

**South Deals**
N-S Vul

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**Non-Tucker**

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

**NS 6♠; NS 4♥; NS 3♦; NS 3♥; NS 1♣**

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3 NT by South

Std: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♦ - 3♦; 3NTS =7

Mod: see Std

**Non-Tucker**

- ♠ A Q 5
- ♥ 9 7 5 4
- ♦ J
- ♣ 5 3

**Transfer: Std**

- ♠ 8 7 5 4 2
- ♥ Q 6 3

Gazzilli: Std

The Std and Mod Souths would only bid 2♦ on three cards when holding extra values and hoping to bid again - just the time North wants to be sure to raise. Other 2♦ bids are more likely to be three cards, making North's raise riskier. Gazzilli does not disclose the diamond fit.
**Board 19**
South Deals
E-W Vul

- **Non-Tucker**
  - ♠ K J 8 7
  - ♥ 9 8
  - ♦ K Q J 2
  - ♣ J 6 5

- **South Deals**
  - ♠ 5 3 2
  - ♥ J 7
  - ♦ A J 10 9 8 6
  - ♣ 10 7

- **Both Vul**
  - ♠ A Q 10 9
  - ♥ A Q 6 2
  - ♦ 6 4
  - ♣ 8 4 3 2

- **N 1N; EW 2♣; EW 1♠; NS 1♥; NS 1♠**

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2 NT by North

- **Std**: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♠ - 2♥ S =6
- **Mod**: see Std
- **Tucker**: see Std
- **Kaplan**: 1♥ - 1♠!; 2♠ - 2♥ S =6
- **Flannery**: 1♥ - 1NT; 2♠ - 2♥ S =6
- **Transfer**: 1♥ - 1♠; 1NT [♠] - 2♥ S =6
- **Gazzilli**: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♠! - 2♥!; 2♥ S =6

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**Board 20**
South Deals
Both Vul

- **Non-Tucker**
  - ♠ A Q 8 2
  - ♥ Q
  - ♦ K 3
  - ♣ 10 6 5 4 3 2

- **South Deals**
  - ♠ K J 7 6 5
  - ♥ 7 5 3
  - ♦ J 10 9
  - ♣ K 9

- **NS 6N; NS 6♠; NS 5♥; NS 5♠; NS 3♠**

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4 ♥ by South

- **Std**: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♠ - 2NT; 3NTN =6
- **Mod**: see Std
- **Tucker**: see Std
- **Kaplan**: 1♥ - 1♠!; 2♠ - 2NT; 3NTN =6
- **Flannery**: 1♥ - 1NT; 2♠ - 2NT; 3NTN =6
- **Transfer**: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♠ [♦] - 2NT; 3NTN =6
- **Gazzilli**: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♠ [upgraded] - 2NT; 3NTN =6
The Gazilli pair knows they have the balance of power and would be well placed to double for penalties.
Non-Tucker

Board 23
South Deals
Both Vul

♠ K Q 10 6 3
♥ Q 8 2
♦ Q J 9 4
♣ 10

♠ 7 2
♥ A 6
♦ 5 3 2
♣ A 9 8 6 4 3

♠ 9 4
♥ K J 10 4 3
♦ A 10 7
♣ K Q 7

NS 4♥; NS 2♣; NS 3♦; EW 1♠

West  North  East  South
   1 ♥
Pass   Pass   Pass   1 NT
Pass   2 ♠  Pass   3 ♥
Pass   3 ♠  Pass   3 NT
Pass   4 ♥  All pass

1. New minor forcing -- 5+ S; 13+ total points

4 ♥ by South

Std: 1♥ - 1♠; 1NT - 3♥; 4♥ S =6
Mod: see Std
Tucker: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♠ - 3♥; 4♥ S =6
Kaplan: 1♥ - 1NT!; 2♠ - 3♥; 4♥ S =6
Flannery: see Tucker
Transfer: 1♥ - 1♠; 1NT [♠] - 3♥; 4♥ S =6
Gazzilli: Std
KSU: 1♥ - 1♠; 1NT - 2♥; 4♥ S =7

Mod: Tucker:
Kaplan:
Flannery:
Transfer: Std
Gazzilli: Std

The trump queen is missing.

Non-Tucker

Board 24
South Deals
None Vul

♠ A 10 9 8 3
♥ K 6 4 3
♦ 2
♣ Q J 6

♠ 6 4 2
♥ Q J 2
♦ J 9 8 4
♣ K 9 7

♠ K 5
♥ A 10 9 8 5
♦ A K 10 7
♣ A 2

NS 6♥; S 5N; S 5♣; N 4N; N 4♠; NS 3♦; NS 3♠

West  North  East  South
   1 ♥
Pass   Pass   Pass   2 NT
Pass   3 ♠  Pass   4 ♥
All pass

4 ♥ by North

Std: 1♥ - 2NT!; 4NT - 5♥; 6♥ S =6 (all)
Mod:
Tucker:
Kaplan:
Flannery:
Transfer: Std
Gazzilli: Std

The trump queen is missing.
Board 25
South Deals
E-W Vul

Non-Tucker
♠ A 9 6 5
♥ 5 2
♦ A Q 6 4
♣ 10 6 2

♠ K Q J 8 2
♥ 4
♦ 10 8
♣ A K 9 8 5

♠ 10 7
♥ K J 8 7 6
♦ J 9 7 3
♣ 4 3

♥ A Q 10 9 3
♦ K 5 2
♣ Q J 4

NS 3♥; NS 1N; NS 2♦; EW 1♠; EW 1♣

West North East South
1 1

2♥ 1 Dbl 2 NT² Pass
3♣ Dbl All pass

1. Michaels -- 5+ S; 12+ total points; forcing
2. Show your 2nd suit --

3 ♣ x by West

Std: 1♥ - (1♣) - 1NT - (P); P - (2♠) - 2♥S =6 (all)
Mod: Tucker:
Kaplan:
Flannery:
Transfer: Std
Gazzilli: Std

Board 26
South Deals
Both Vul

Non-Tucker
♠ J 10 6 3
♥ 10
♦ 6 2
♣ K 6 5 4 2

♠ A 7 2
♥ A Q 6
♦ K 10 9 4
♣ 8 7 3

♠ Q 9 8 5
♥ 8 5 2
♦ J 3
♣ A J 10 9

♠ K 4
♥ K J 9 7 4 3
♦ A Q 8 7 5
♣ —

EW 4N; EW 2♣; EW 1♠; NS 1♥; NS 1♦

West North East South
1 1

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦
Pass 2 ♥ All pass

2♥ by South

Std: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♦S =6
Mod: 1♥ - 1NT; 2♦S =5
Tucker: see Std
Kaplan: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♦S =6
Flannery: 1♥ - 1NT; 2♦S =5
Transfer: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♦ [♠] - 2♠; 3♠ S =2
Gazzilli: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♦S [max 15] =6

The Std South's 2♦ bid will usually deliver at least four of them. All of the others may have been forced to bid a three card suit. South's auction denies four spades for Kaplan and Flannery, and denies three for Tucker. Since the Tucker South could have bid 2♣ with 2=5=3=3, he probably has at least four diamonds. On the Mod, Kaplan, and Flannery auctions, North will be more tempted to bid 3♣, a reasonable action for any of the five auctions.
The message of South's 3♥ bid is "hearts are trump - start cue bidding!" North's 4♦ cue bid discloses the club problem.
### Board 30

**South Deals**
None Vul

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**West** | **North** | **East** | **South**
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Pass | 1 ♠ | 2 ♠ | Pass
Pass | 2 ♠ | All pass

2 ♠ by North

Std: 1♥ - (P) - 1♠ - (2♥); P - (P)- 2SN =6 (all)

**Mod:**
- Tucker: 
- Kaplan: 
- Flannery: 
- Transfer: Std
- Gazzilli: Std

### Board 31

**South Deals**
N-S Vul

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**West** | **North** | **East** | **South**
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Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♥
Pass | 3 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠
All pass | 4 ♠ by North

Std: 1♥ - 1♠; 3♥ - 4♥ S =7 (all)

**Mod:**
- Tucker: 
- Kaplan: 
- Flannery: 
- Transfer: 1♥ - 1♠; 2♥ [♥, good] - 3♥; 4♥ S =7
- Gazzilli: Std
The auctions above suppose the opponents are silent. A wheel will likely come off the Std auction. With competition, the result will depend on your other agreements. If 3♦ raises diamonds, 4♣ can be Crosswood. 4♦ shows 0 or 3 key cards, which is just what South needs to know:

1♥ - (2♥) - X - (2♠); 3♥ - 3♠; 4♠! - 4♦; 7♦ S =10
Every North has the same decision, whether or not to upgrade for the three tens. The range for the 2NT bid is more significant than these five systems on this deal.

This is a decent slam. The opponents must find a club lead to have a chance to set it. If the ace is offside, the ♠J means declarer can duck the lead: pay off to the underlead of the ♠A.

A 5♦ Exclusion ask would sink North on a one (5♠) response.
**Board 36**  
South Deals  
Both Vul

Non-Tucker  
♣ A 10 7 4  
♥ —  
♦ J 6 3 2  
♠ K 10 9 7 3  

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

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

NS 4♣; NS 4♣; S 1N; EW 1♠; E 1♥

West North East South

1♥  
1♠ Dbl 2♠ 3♦

All pass

3♦ by South

Std: 1♥ - 1♠ - X - (2♠); 3♦ S = 6 (all)

Mod:  
Tucker:  
Kaplan:  
Flannery:  
Transfer: Std

Gazzilli: Std

**Board 37**  
Opener Max 2♠, Responder GF Max 2♥  

South Deals  
None Vul

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

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

♠ —  
♥ A K J 10 8 2  
♦ A J 10 7 3  
♠ J 2

NS 6N; NS 6♥; NS 6♦; NS 5♣; NS 3♠

West North East South

1♥  
Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦  
Pass 3♣ Pass 3♥  
Pass 3 NT Pass 4 NT

Pass 5♠ Pass 6♦

All pass

1. Fourth suit forcing -- 4+ S; 13+ total points

6♦ by South

1♥ - 2♠; 2NT [♣:0-1] - 3♠; 3♦ - 3NT; 4♦ - 4♠; 5♦ S

1♥ - 2♠; 3♥ [trump] - 3♠ [2 of top 3]; 4♦ - 4♥ S
Opener Max 2♦, Responder GF Max 2♥

**Board 38**
N-S Vul

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All pass

1. Fourth suit forcing -- 4+ S; 13+ total points; 5 ♠ by South

1♥ - 2♠; 2NT [♣:0-1] - 3♣; 3♦ - 3♠; 4♦ - 5♠ S

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Opener Max 2♦, Responder GF Max 2♥

**Board 39**
E-W Vul

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All pass

1. Fourth suit forcing -- 4+ S; 13+ total points; forcing to 3N; 3 NT by South

1♥ - 2♠; 3♠ - 3NT; 4♦ - 4♠; 4♥ - 4NTN
Board 40
South Deals
Both Vul

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West
North
East
South
1 ♥
Pass
Pass
Pass
Pass
Pass
All pass
6 ♥ by South

1♥ - 2♠; 3♣ - 3♦; 3♥ - 4NT; 6NTN

Board 41
South Deals
N-S Vul

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West
North
East
South
1 ♥
Pass
Pass
Pass
Pass
Pass
All pass
1. New minor forcing -- 5+ S; 13+ total points
3 NT by South

1♥ - 2♠; 3♣ [natural, ♠2] - 3NTN
Opener Max 2♦, Responder GF Max 2♥

**Board 42**
South Deals
E-W Vul

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NS 7N; NS 7♦; NS 7♥; NS 5♥; NS 5♣

**West** | **North** | **East** | **South**
---|---|---|---
Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♠
Pass | 2 ♦ | Pass | 2 ♥
Pass | 6 NT | Pass | 7 NT
All pass

1. Fourth suit forcing -- 4+ S; 13+ total points; forcing to 3N
7 NT by North

1♥ - 2♦; 3♦ [natural, ♠:2] - 6NT/4NT; Pass/6NT/Pas

Opener Max 2♣, Responder GF Max 2♥

**Board 43**
South Deals
Both Vul

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NS 5N; NS 5♦; NS 5♥; NS 5♣; NS 5♠; NS 3♣

**West** | **North** | **East** | **South**
---|---|---|---
Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♠
Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♠
Pass | 4 ♠ | All pass
All pass

1. Fourth suit forcing -- 4+ S; 13+ total points
4 ♠ by North

1♥ - 2♠; 2♦ - 2♣; 2NT - 3♠; 3NTS
Board 44
Opener Max 2♣, Responder GF Max 2♥
South Deals
None Vul
NS 4♣; NS 2N; NS 2♥; NS 1♣
West  North  East  South
1♥
2 ♠ Dbl  Pass  2 ♥
Pass  3 ♠  Pass  3 NT
All pass
3 NT by South
1♥ - 2♦; 2♥ - 2♣; 2NT - 3NTS

Board 45
Opener Max 2♣, Responder GF Max 2♥
South Deals
E-W Vul
NS 2N; NS 2♣; NS 2♥; NS 3♦; NS 3♣
West  North  East  South
1♥
Pass  1 ♠  Pass  2 ♠
Pass  2 ♥; Pass  3 ♣
Pass  3 NT  All pass
1. Fourth suit forcing -- 4+ S; 13+ total points; forcing to 3N
3 NT by North
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- **Board 46**
  - South Deals
  - Both Vul
- **Board 47**
  - South Deals
  - None Vul

**West**  
- Pass  
- Pass  
- Pass

**North**  
- 1 ♠  
- 2 ♠  
- 3 ♠  
- All pass

**East**  
- Pass  
- Pass  
- Pass

**South**  
- 1 ♦  
- 3 NT  
- All pass

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4 ♠ by North

1 ♦ - 2 ♠; 3 ♠ [natural, ♠:2] - 3 ♠ [set trump]; 4♠ N

South has but one of the top three honors in each of his suits, and therefore cannot cue bid.
Opener Max 2♠, ResponderGF Max 2♥

**Board 48**

- South Deals
- N-S Vul

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NS 5♥; NS 4N; NS 2♠; NS 2♥; NS 1♠

West North East South

- 1♥
- Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥
- Pass 4 NT Pass 5♠
- Pass 5 NT Pass 6♥

All pass

6♥ by South

1♥ - 2♥; 2♥ - 2♠; 3♥ - 4♥ S

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**Board 49**

- South Deals
- Both Vul

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NS 3♠; NS 1N; NS 1♥; NS 1♠

West North East South

- 1♥
- Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥
- Pass 3♠ Pass 3♥
- Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

All pass

4♠ by North

1♥ - 2♠; 4♥ [fine hearts, ♠:Hx, no minor control] - 4♠ N
Opener Max 2♣, Responder GF Max 2♥

Board 50
South Deals
None Vul

N 5N; N 5♥; S 4N; S 4♥; N 3♠; S 2♣; NS 2♣;
W 1♠

1 ♠ 1 ♠ 3 ♥
Pass 1 ♠ Pass 3 ♥
Pass 4 ♥ All pass

4 ♥ by South

1♥ - 2♠; 3♥ [set trump] - 3♠; 4♦ - 4♥S

Opener Max 2♣, Responder GF Max 2♥

Board 51
South Deals
N-S Vul

NS 5♥; NS 4N; NS 4♥; NS 5♣; NS 3♦
West North East South

1 ♥
Pass 1 ♥ Pass 1 NT
Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♥
Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3 NT
All pass

1. New minor forcing -- 5+ S; 13+ total points
3 NT by South

1♥ - 2♠; 3♠ [natural, ♠:2] - 3♦ [4SF]; 3NTS
Serious 3NT happens to work better than non-serious here, as South gets the crucial club cue bid.
**Board 54**

Opener Max 2♣, Responder GF Max 2♥

South Deals

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

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

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

South Deals

- ♠ K Q 9 7 4 3
- ♥ A J
- ♦ K J
- ♣ K Q 8

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

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

**West** | **North** | **East** | **South**
---|---|---|---
Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♥
Pass | 3 ♠ | Pass | 3 NT
Pass | 4 ♥ | Pass | 4 NT
Pass | 5 ♥ | Pass | 6 ♥
All pass

1. Fourth suit forcing -- 4+ S; 13+ total points

6 ♥ by South

1♥ - 2♠; 2NT [♠:0-1] - 3NTS

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**Board 55**

Opener Max 2♣, Responder GF Max 2♥

South Deals

- ♠ K Q 9 7 4 3
- ♥ A J
- ♦ K J
- ♣ K Q 8

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

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

**West** | **North** | **East** | **South**
---|---|---|---
Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♠
Pass | 3 NT | Pass | 4 NT
Pass | 6 NT | All pass
All pass

1. Soloway jump shift -- rebiddable S; 17+ total points

2. Strong S; semi-balanced hand -- 18-19 HCP; rebiddable S

6 NT by North

1♥ - 2♠; 3♠ [natural, ♠:2] - 3♠ [set trump]; 4♦ - 4NT; 5♥ - 6♠N
Opener Max 2♠, Responder GF Max 2♥

**Board 56**

South Deals
Both Vul

| ♠ | A 4 3 2 |
| ♡ | 10 2 |
| ♣ | K 8 5 |
| ♦ | A J 8 5 |

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

| ♠ | K 10 |
| ♡ | A K 8 7 6 4 |
| ♣ | J 9 |
| ♦ | ♠ Q 10 3 |

NS 3♥; NS 2N; NS 2♣; NS 1♠; N 1♦

West  | North  | East  | South  |
------|--------|-------|--------|
Pass  | 1 ♠   | Pass  | 2 ♥   |
Pass  | 3 ♠   | Pass  | 3 ♠   |
Pass  | 3 NT  | Pass  | 4 ♠   |
Pass  | 4 ♠   | All pass |

4 ♠ by North

1♥ - 1♠; 2♥ - 4♥ S

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Opener Max 2♠, Responder GF Max 2♥

**Board 57**

South Deals
N-S Vul

| ♠ | Q J 8 6 2 |
| ♡ | K |
| ♣ | K 6 3 2 |
| ♦ | A 3 2 |

| ♠ | A 10 9 |
| ♡ | J 9 6 |
| ♣ | Q J 10 8 4 |
| ♦ | 7 4 |

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

NS 3N; NS 3♥; NS 3♦; NS 3♣; NS 1♠; NS 1♣

West  | North  | East  | South  |
------|--------|-------|--------|
Pass  | 1 ♠   | Pass  | 2 ♠   |
Pass  | 2 ♠   | Pass  | 3 ♠   |
Pass  | 3 NT  | All pass |

1. Fourth suit forcing -- 4+ S; 13+ total points; forcing to 3N

3 NT by North

1♥ - 1♠; 2♥ - 3NTN

1♥ - 2♣; 2NT [♣:0-1] - 3NTN
Opener Max 2♣, Responder GF Max 2♥

**Board 58**

South Deals: ♥ K 8  
E-W Vul: ♦ Q 8 2  

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NS 3N; NS 2♣; NS 2♥; NS 1♣; S 1♠

West North East South

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1 NT
Pass 2 NT Pass 3 NT
All pass

3 NT by South

1♥ - 1♠; 2♣ - 2NT - 3NTN

1♥ - 2♣; 3♠ [natural, ♠:2] - 3NTN (less satisfying)