

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

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1 N/--	♠4 ♥H6532 ♦V83 ♣AB92	Zuid 3SA Uitk.♦7
♠1062 ♥AV7 ♦9764 ♣653	N W- -O Z	♠H53 ♥B108 ♦B1052 ♣874
	♠AVB987 ♥94 ♦AH ♣HV10	Result: +2 Par NZ: 460 Dat NZ: 420

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
		p	p
2♣	p	2♦	p
2♠	p	3♥	p
3SA			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
16	990	0	98,8	11	11
6	980	0	96,9	11	11
2	920	0	96,3	11	10
2	520	0	95,9	3	2
7	510	0	95,2	3	2
91	490	0	87,1	2	1
91	480	0	72	2	1
83	460	0	57,5	1	0
122	450	0	40,5	1	0
34	430	0	27,6	0	-1
6	420	0	24,3	0	-1
33	400	0	21,1	-1	-2
11	230	0	17,4	-5	-6
11	200	0	15,6	-6	-6
1	170	0	14,6	-6	-7
2	150	0	14,3	-7	-7
1	130	0	14,1	-7	-8
1	110	0	13,9	-7	-8
56	0	50	9,2	-10	-11
24	0	100	2,6	-11	-11
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2♣ = Semi-forcing.

2♦ = Waiting bid.

3♥ = In this sequence, the suit has at least five cards.

Pass (North) = In misfit situation, a slam cannot be envisaged with only 10 points.

Win the King of ♦ and cross to the Jack of ♣ to take the ♠ finesse, which fails to the King.

A) If West is asleep, a ♦ continuation will give you twelve tricks.

B) No, he is not. When he counts your winners : five ♠, three ♦ and four ♣, he realises that he must cash the Ace of ♥...

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2 O/NZ	♠V74 ♥1063 ♦B2 ♣V10652	Oost 6♠ Uitk.♥H
♠93 ♥9 ♦AHV1054 ♣AB73	N W- -O Z	♠AH10862 ♥A84 ♦87 ♣H8
	♠B5 ♥HVB752 ♦963 ♣94	Result: = Par NZ: -980 Dat NZ: -440

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
			1♠
p	2♦	p	2♠
p	3♣	p	3♥
p	4♦	p	4♠
p	4SA	p	5♣
p	6♠		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
56	50	0	94,1	10	14
9	0	150	88,7	7	13
3	0	170	87,7	7	13
6	0	190	87	6	13
5	0	200	86,1	6	13
2	0	230	85,5	5	13
1	0	300	85,2	4	12
10	0	400	84,3	1	11
48	0	420	79,5	1	11
4	0	430	75,2	0	11
12	0	440	73,9	0	11
180	0	450	58	0	11
53	0	460	38,6	-1	11
88	0	480	26,9	-1	11
25	0	490	17,6	-2	10
6	0	510	15	-2	10
30	0	520	12	-2	10
1	0	800	9,5	-8	5
11	0	920	8,5	-10	2
9	0	940	6,8	-11	1
26	0	980	3,9	-11	0
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Commentaar

3♣ = Game forcing.

3♥ = Seeking extra values in partner's hand to play 3NT.

4♠ = Strong six-card suit.

5♣ = Three keys. 5♦ if you play 41-30 responses..

You have two ♥ and one trump loser, assuming trumps break 3-2.

You could ruff the two losing ♥ with the dummy's trumps but you need two entries to the closed hand and you risk being overruffed.

There is a simpler line but it is less obvious. Win the Ace of ♥ and duck a trump.

A) The defense insist in ♥ : ruff, draw trumps and discard the last ♥ on a ♦..

B) The defense switch to another suit : win, ruff a ♥, cash Ace-King of ♠ and the ♦.

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3 Z/OW	♠ AHB107 ♥ 642 ♦ V43 ♣ 109	Zuid 4♠ Uitk. ♦ 1
♠ 65 ♥ AB1093 ♦ 10987 ♣ B8	N W - J - O Z	♠ 843 ♥ H87 ♦ 652 ♣ HV65
	♠ V92 ♥ V5 ♦ AHB ♣ A7432	Result: = Par NZ: 420 Dat NZ: 240

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
1SA	p	2♥	p
2♠	p	3SA	p
4♠			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
15	450	0	98,8	5	1
22	430	0	95,8	5	0
305	420	0	68,6	5	0
7	400	0	42,7	4	-1
1	200	0	42	-1	-6
12	170	0	40,9	-2	-6
1	150	0	39,9	-3	-7
11	140	0	38,9	-3	-7
3	120	0	37,7	-3	-7
1	90	0	37,4	-4	-8
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Commentaar

2♥ = ♠ transfer.

3NT = Partner, please pick your game

4♠ = I like ♠ better.

You have four losers : one ♥ and a ♣ and you need to ruff a ♥. You must surrender the lead twice and you have only three trumps in the short hand. Therefore you must not draw trumps immediately.

♦ to the Ace and ♥. Win the return (probably ♠) and play another round of ♥. Nothing will prevent you from ruffing your last ♥ in the dummy.

If West started with a trump, you must establish the fifth ♣ by ruffing twice.

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4 W/All	♠ VB3 ♥ V87 ♦ 975 ♣ H432	Zuid 3SA Uitk. ♦ 2
♠ 975 ♥ 10953 ♦ 432 ♣ 1086	N W - J - O Z	♠ H102 ♥ H64 ♦ HB1086 ♣ A9
	♠ A864 ♥ AB2 ♦ AV ♣ VB75	Result: = Par NZ: 600 Dat NZ: 260

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
	p	p	1♦
1SA	p	2SA	p
3SA			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	1100	0	99,8	13	11
2	800	0	99,6	11	5
2	690	0	99,2	10	3
32	660	0	96,4	9	2
1	650	0	93,7	9	2
93	630	0	85,8	9	1
4	620	0	77,7	8	1
80	600	0	70,7	8	0
6	500	0	63,5	6	-3
4	300	0	62,7	1	-7
3	240	0	62,1	-1	-8
8	210	0	61,2	-2	-9
16	200	0	59,2	-2	-9
27	180	0	55,6	-2	-9
11	170	0	52,4	-3	-10
62	150	0	46,3	-3	-10
6	140	0	40,7	-3	-10
9	130	0	39,4	-4	-10
58	120	0	33,8	-4	-10
8	110	0	28,3	-4	-10
7	100	0	27	-4	-11
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1NT = 16-18 HCP in intervention.

2NT = 7-8 HCP, balanced w/o a four-card major.

To enter the dummy, you need to establish the King of ♣, by playing the Queen and the Jack if East ducks.

After crossing to the King of ♣, you will pass the Queen of ♠ and, if East ducks, you will continue with the ♥ finesse for nine tricks.

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5 N/NZ	♠ 10642 ♥ HV7 ♦ A9 ♣ 6432	Zuid 6♠ Uitk. ♣ H
♠ B5 ♥ 962 ♦ 8743 ♣ HV105	N W - - O Z	♠ 98 ♥ 1053 ♦ B1052 ♣ AB87
	♠ AHV73 ♥ AB84 ♦ HV6 ♣ 9	Result: = Par NZ: 1430 Dat NZ: 920

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
		p	p
1♠	p	3♠	p
4SA	p	5♦	p
6♠			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
2	1440	0	99,9	11	0
215	1430	0	82	11	0
1	690	0	64,1	-6	-12
380	680	0	32,5	-6	-13
1	660	0	1	-6	-13
2	650	0	0,7	-7	-13
1	380	0	0,5	-11	-14
2	230	0	0,2	-12	-15
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Commentaar

3♠ = Four-trump raise, 11-12 SP.

5♦ = One key.

Ruff the second ♣ and claim twelve tricks. Easy to bid and easy to play....

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6 O/OW	♠ B1032 ♥ 43 ♦ H108 ♣ 7643	West 5♣ Uitk. ♥ 4
♠ 876 ♥ 87 ♦ V4 ♣ AHB1095	N W - - O Z	♠ AHV9 ♥ 1092 ♦ A932 ♣ V2
	♠ 54 ♥ AHVB65 ♦ B765 ♣ 8	Result: = Par NZ: -600 Dat NZ: 0

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
			1SA
2♥	3♣	p	3♥
p	5♣		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
31	500	0	97	11	15
1	420	0	94,4	9	14
2	400	0	94,1	9	14
3	300	0	93,7	7	14
148	200	0	81,1	5	13
2	170	0	68,7	5	13
1	150	0	68,4	4	13
22	140	0	66,5	4	12
1	110	0	64,6	3	12
109	100	0	55,5	3	12
25	0	50	44,4	-2	11
18	0	100	40,8	-3	11
9	0	110	38,5	-3	10
82	0	130	31	-4	10
5	0	140	23,8	-4	10
31	0	150	20,8	-4	10
16	0	170	16,9	-5	10
1	0	200	15,4	-5	9
1	0	250	15,3	-6	8
12	0	300	14,2	-7	7
6	0	500	12,7	-11	3
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

1NT = 15-17 HCP, balanced hand.

3♣ = Forcing.

3♥ = Asking for a ♥ stopper.

5♣ = No stopper, but solid ♣ in a hand limited to game.

Ruff the third ♥ high and draw trumps.

Before cashing the ♠, cash your last trump, just in case... North is squeezed between the King of ♦ and his ♠ guard.

- If he parts with a ♠, the dummy's fourth ♠ is high.

- If he bares the King of ♦, discard a ♠. Your Queen of ♦ is established.

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7 Z/All	♠ 843 ♥ AHB10 ♦ H1075 ♣ 93	West 2♠ Uitk. ♠ 4
♠ AHB102 ♥ V963 ♦ 84 ♣ A7	N W - - O Z	♠ V7 ♥ 5 ♦ A9632 ♣ 106542
	♠ 965 ♥ 8742 ♦ VB ♣ HVB8	Result: -1 Par NZ: 100 Dat NZ: -70

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
p	1♠	p	1SA
p	2♥	p	2♠

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
5	300	0	99,7	9	5
20	200	0	97,6	7	3
1	140	0	95,9	5	1
25	110	0	93,7	5	0
110	100	0	82,5	5	0
7	0	80	72,8	0	-5
27	0	90	70	-1	-5
64	0	100	62,5	-1	-5
197	0	110	40,9	-1	-5
18	0	120	23,1	-2	-6
73	0	140	15,6	-2	-6
1	0	150	9,4	-2	-6
6	0	170	8,9	-3	-7
30	0	200	5,9	-4	-7
7	0	300	2,8	-6	-9
6	0	400	1,7	-8	-11
5	0	500	0,8	-10	-12
1	0	560	0,3	-10	-12
1	0	600	0,2	-11	-12

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Commentaar

The bidding is straightforward but the card play is a different story. North seems to have an obvious lead : the Ace of ♥ but West's bids should turn him away from that lead.

- East is marked with exactly two ♠ and short ♥ (no more than three cards).
- The trump lead will prevent the declarer to make any ruff with the dummy's trumps and hold him to seven tricks only (five trumps and two aces).

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8 W/--	♠ HB975 ♥ HVB6 ♦ A82 ♣ 5	Zuid 2♥ Uitk. ♥ A
♠ AV84 ♥ A7 ♦ V763 ♣ AB6	N W - - O Z	♠ 102 ♥ 843 ♦ HB104 ♣ V843
	♠ 63 ♥ 10952 ♦ 95 ♣ H10972	Result: = Par NZ: 110 Dat NZ: 0

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
	1SA	2♣	p
2♥			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	670	0	100	12	11
1	570	0	99,8	11	10
1	530	0	99,7	11	9
4	470	0	99,3	10	8
1	420	0	98,8	9	7
1	300	0	98,7	7	5
2	200	0	98,4	5	3
6	170	0	97,8	5	2
8	150	0	96,6	4	1
78	140	0	89,5	4	1
102	110	0	74,6	3	0
23	100	0	64,2	3	0
2	80	0	62,2	2	-1
42	50	0	58,5	2	-2
159	0	50	41,9	-2	-4
8	0	90	28,1	-3	-5
87	0	100	20,2	-3	-5
5	0	110	12,6	-3	-6
30	0	120	9,7	-3	-6
31	0	150	4,6	-4	-6
1	0	180	2	-5	-7

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Commentaar

2♣ = Landy, with nine cards in the majors.

A trump lead is required although West's ♠ seem to be in a bad position. This lead is aimed at preventing the declarer from making too many ruffs. North unblocks a top honour on the Ace of ♥ and West insists with a second round of trumps.

South wins the 10 and leads a small ♠ to the dummy's honours. The Jacks holds and the declarer continues with the Ace of ♦ and another. East wins the King to insist in ♥. The declarer is limited to eight tricks : four trumps, the Jack and the King of ♠, the Ace of ♦ and an eighth trick in either black suit because West is endplayed.

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9 N/OW	♠ AH65 ♥ 865 ♦ B1032 ♣ B5	Oost 1SA Uitk. ♠ B
♠ 72 ♥ 9432 ♦ HV64 ♣ V98	N W - - O Z	♠ V3 ♥ HB7 ♦ A75 ♣ AH743
	♠ B10984 ♥ AV10 ♦ 98 ♣ 1062	Result: -2 Par NZ: 200 Dat NZ: -30

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
		p	1SA

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	570	0	100	12	9
1	530	0	99,8	11	8
1	500	0	99,7	11	7
4	400	0	99,3	10	5
10	300	0	98,1	8	3
64	200	0	91,9	6	0
4	170	0	86,3	5	-1
23	140	0	84,1	5	-2
13	110	0	81,1	4	-3
94	100	0	72,2	4	-3
1	90	0	64,3	3	-3
1	0	0	64,1	1	-5
13	0	50	63	-1	-6
167	0	90	48	-2	-7
2	0	100	34	-2	-7
2	0	110	33,6	-2	-7
52	0	120	29,2	-3	-8
1	0	140	24,8	-3	-8
115	0	150	15,1	-3	-8
19	0	180	4	-4	-9
1	0	210	2,3	-5	-9
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North wins the King of ♣ and cashes the Ace.

From South's point of view, a ♥ return at trick three is necessary to take the eight first tricks. Therefore, on the Ace, South must unblock the 10 of ♣, both to keep the four and signal for ♥. North should switch to ♥. South returns the 4 of ♣ to North's 6 and another ♥ switch sets the contract by two tricks : five ♣ and three ♥.

North-South can make 3♣ but a ♣ contract is impossible to reach after West's opening.

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10 O/All	♠ 1084 ♥ VB8 ♦ A108 ♣ V953	Oost 4♥ Uitk. ♦ H
♠ H7 ♥ H64 ♦ B63 ♣ HB1072	N W - - O Z	♠ AVB63 ♥ A10952 ♦ 74 ♣ 8
	♠ 952 ♥ 73 ♦ HV952 ♣ A64	Result: -1 Par NZ: 100 Dat NZ: -40

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
			1♠
p	2♣	p	2♥
p	2SA	p	3♥
p	4♥		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	1100	0	100	15	14
1	400	0	99,8	10	7
2	300	0	99,6	8	5
36	200	0	96,4	6	3
248	100	0	72,5	4	0
52	0	0	47,2	1	-3
1	0	80	42,8	-1	-5
2	0	90	42,5	-2	-5
3	0	100	42,1	-2	-5
11	0	110	40,9	-2	-5
8	0	120	39,3	-2	-6
84	0	140	31,6	-3	-6
15	0	150	23,2	-3	-6
29	0	170	19,5	-4	-7
5	0	180	16,7	-4	-7
7	0	200	15,7	-4	-7
4	0	210	14,7	-5	-7
2	0	300	14,2	-6	-9
17	0	600	12,6	-11	-12
59	0	620	6,2	-11	-12
5	0	630	0,8	-11	-12
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Commentaar

2♣ = 11 HCP or more.

2NT = 11 HCP.

3♥ = Five cards.

Ruff the third ♦ and lead the 8 of ♣. If South is awake, he grabs the Ace, hoping that his partner has a trump trick. Else, he plays low and you will play the King to win the contract.

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11 Z/--	♠ 2 ♥ VB4 ♦ B974 ♣ B8543	West 3♠ Uitk. ♣ 3
♠ HB74 ♥ 9 ♦ H8652 ♣ HV10	N W - - O Z	♠ V10863 ♥ A10753 ♦ 3 ♣ 96
	♠ A95 ♥ H862 ♦ AV10 ♣ A72	Result: +1 Par NZ: -170 Dat NZ: -20

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
1SA	p	p	2♣
p	3♠		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
3	300	0	99,8	8	10
4	210	0	99,2	6	9
7	200	0	98,3	6	9
13	180	0	96,6	5	8
37	150	0	92,4	5	8
47	120	0	85,2	4	7
6	110	0	80,7	4	7
38	100	0	77	3	7
94	90	0	65,8	3	6
35	50	0	54,8	2	6
57	0	50	47	-1	3
22	0	100	40,3	-2	2
12	0	110	37,4	-3	2
6	0	120	35,9	-3	2
77	0	140	28,9	-3	1
8	0	150	21,6	-4	1
72	0	170	14,9	-4	0
15	0	200	7,5	-5	-1
2	0	300	6	-7	-4
26	0	420	3,7	-9	-6
3	0	450	1,2	-10	-7
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Commentaar

2♣ = With such a weak hand, a Landy is only possible in reopening position. Partner has necessarily a few points favourably placed after the opener. It would be too dangerous in second position.

3♠ = Mandatory, although East may have a weak hand.

To hold the declarer to nine tricks, North should have led a trump, always a difficult decision with a singleton. This way, South could have given three rounds of trumps preventing the declarer from making more than one ruff in the closed hand.

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12 W/NZ	♠ AH ♥ B94 ♦ 8743 ♣ B765	West 4♥ Uitk. ♠ H
♠ 76 ♥ AHV8765 ♦ 65 ♣ AV	N W - - O Z	♠ VB53 ♥ 32 ♦ HV92 ♣ 843
	♠ 109842 ♥ 10 ♦ AB10 ♣ H1092	Result: -1 Par NZ: 50 Dat NZ: -240

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
	1♥	p	1♠
p	4♥		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	150	0	100	9	3
18	100	0	98,4	8	2
160	50	0	83,5	7	0
1	0	0	70,1	6	-2
1	0	100	69,9	4	-4
29	0	140	67,4	3	-5
79	0	170	58,4	2	-6
1	0	180	51,7	2	-6
5	0	200	51,2	1	-6
2	0	400	50,6	-4	-10
290	0	420	26,2	-5	-10
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Commentaar

4♥ = Seven good cards, in a second zone hand (14-17 HCP).

North leads the King of ♠, on which South gives his count with the 2, and continues with the Ace, on which South follows with the 10 to signal for ♦. North shifts to ♦, South winning the Ace to give his partner a ruff in ♠. One down thanks to this accurate carding.

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13 N/AI	♠ HB53 ♥ 84 ♦ VB104 ♣ 1063	West 7 ♣ Uitk. ♦ V
♠ A1084 ♥ A5 ♦ A76 ♣ AV82	N W - J - O Z	♠ V ♥ H10972 ♦ 3 ♣ HB9754
	♠ 9762 ♥ VB63 ♦ H9852 ♣	Result: = Par NZ: -2140 Dat NZ: -640

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
		p	p
p	1 ♣	p	1 ♥
p	2SA	p	3 ♣
p	3 ♠	p	4 ♣
p	4 ♦	p	4SA
p	5 ♦	p	7 ♣

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
2	600	0	99,9	15	21
3	400	0	99,5	14	21
7	300	0	98,7	14	20
18	200	0	96,5	13	20
36	100	0	92	12	19
5	0	150	88,6	10	18
13	0	170	87	10	18
4	0	180	85,6	10	18
2	0	190	85,1	10	18
5	0	200	84,5	10	18
27	0	600	81,8	1	17
74	0	620	73,3	1	17
233	0	630	47,5	0	17
18	0	640	26,3	0	17
15	0	650	23,6	0	16
24	0	660	20,3	-1	16
12	0	690	17,3	-2	16
7	0	720	15,7	-2	16
64	0	1370	9,7	-12	13
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

3 ♣ = Checkback Stayman, East hopes his partner has only two ♥ for a small or grand slam.
 3 ♣ = Four cards, no three cards in ♥.
 4 ♣ = Sets the trump.
 4 ♦ = Control.
 5 ♦ = Four keys.
 The cardplay is not too difficult. The declarer must ruff two ♥ high in the closed hand, communicating in ♣. When South discards on the King of ♣, East just has to finesse the 9 of ♣ to claim his contract.

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14 O/--	♠ 9 ♥ B2 ♦ HV1094 ♣ HVB106	West 4 ♠ Uitk. ♣ H
♠ AB1062 ♥ AH65 ♦ 732 ♣ A	N W - J - O Z	♠ H54 ♥ V93 ♦ A85 ♣ 9742
	♠ V873 ♥ 10874 ♦ B6 ♣ 853	Result: +1 Par NZ: -450 Dat NZ: -300

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
			p
p	1 ♠	2SA	3 ♠
p	4 ♠		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	500	0	100	13	14
2	300	0	99,8	12	13
1	200	0	99,5	11	12
14	100	0	98,3	9	11
132	50	0	86,2	8	11
7	0	50	74,6	6	9
8	0	100	73,4	5	8
17	0	140	71,3	4	7
7	0	150	69,3	4	7
29	0	170	66,3	4	7
1	0	180	63,8	3	7
10	0	200	62,9	3	6
3	0	300	61,9	0	4
220	0	420	43,4	-3	1
3	0	430	24,9	-4	1
56	0	450	20	-4	0
2	0	480	15,2	-5	-1
40	0	500	11,7	-5	-2
2	0	590	8,2	-7	-4
1	0	650	8	-8	-5
1	0	690	7,8	-9	-6
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

2NT = Minor two-suiter at least 5-5.
 3 ♠ = 8-10 SP.
 Win the Ace of ♣ and lead a ♠ to the King. The 9 is probably a singleton, as North would have certainly led his sole ♥, had he had two ♠.
 You continue with the ♠ finesse and cash four rounds of ♥, ruffing the fourth in the dummy. Ruff a ♣ and exit in ♦, waiting to make two more trump trump tricks.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

15 Z/NZ	♠ 10965 ♥ HV ♦ 853 ♣ V975	Zuid 2♠ Uitk. ♥ 6
♠ HV3 ♥ 976 ♦ H94 ♣ AB104	N W - J - O Z	♠ 7 ♥ B10854 ♦ V1076 ♣ H63
	♠ AB842 ♥ A32 ♦ AB2 ♣ 82	Result: = Par NZ: 110 Dat NZ: 30

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
1♠	p	2♠	

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
3	500	0	99,8	10	9
4	300	0	99,2	7	5
3	200	0	98,7	5	3
4	170	0	98,1	4	2
7	150	0	97,1	3	1
51	140	0	92,3	3	1
262	110	0	66	2	0
18	100	0	42,5	2	0
1	90	0	40,9	2	-1
16	50	0	39,5	1	-2
151	0	100	25,5	-4	-5
2	0	140	12,7	-5	-6
68	0	200	6,8	-6	-7
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

2♠ = 6-10 SP, three or four cards.

Win the Queen of ♥, unblock the King and lead a ♠ to the Jack.

West wins and returns a ♦.

Win the Ace, cash the Ace of ♠ and the Ace of ♥ to discard a ♦ and exit in ♦. You will concede only five tricks : two ♠, two ♣ and one ♦.

If you fail to unblock the dummy's ♥, you may be in trouble...

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

16 W/OW	♠ B654 ♥ 72 ♦ A865 ♣ HB4	Oost 4♥ Uitk. ♠ H
♠ 972 ♥ V94 ♦ VB74 ♣ A32	N W - J - O Z	♠ A108 ♥ AH10853 ♦ H109 ♣ 5
	♠ HV3 ♥ B6 ♦ 32 ♣ V109876	Result: = Par NZ: -620 Dat NZ: -510

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
	p	p	1♥
p	2♥	p	2SA
p	3♣	p	3♦
p	4♥		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
2	200	0	99,9	12	13
9	100	0	99	12	12
1	90	0	98,2	12	12
4	0	50	97,8	10	11
7	0	100	96,9	9	11
1	0	140	96,2	9	10
2	0	150	96	8	10
59	0	170	90,9	8	10
109	0	200	77,1	7	9
2	0	230	67,9	7	9
4	0	300	67,4	5	8
3	0	500	66,8	0	3
145	0	620	54,6	-3	0
1	0	630	42,6	-3	0
257	0	650	21,3	-4	-1
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

On the lead of the King of ♠, ten tricks are easy. Do not forget, though, to start with a top honour from the closed hand to capture a possible Jack-fourth in North or South.

Let's have a look back at the bidding.

East's 2NT was a trial bid, to know more about his partner's hand.

West's 3♣ showed a top honour in a non minimum hand.

East decided to procrastinate with 3♦, although he could have jumped to 4♥ at once.

With Queen-Jack in ♦, West concluded.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

17 N/--	♠ 10982 ♥ 865 ♦ 65 ♣ B1098	West 4♥ Uitk. ♣ B
♠ H ♥ VB943 ♦ 10743 ♣ HV4	N W - J - O Z	♠ AVB64 ♥ A102 ♦ H9 ♣ A62
	♠ 753 ♥ H7 ♦ AVB82 ♣ 753	Result: +1 Par NZ: -450 Dat NZ: -370

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
		p	1♠
p	2♥	p	3♥
p	4♥		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	400	0	100	13	13
1	200	0	99,8	11	12
2	150	0	99,6	11	12
12	100	0	98,4	10	11
83	50	0	90,5	9	11
1	0	50	83,6	8	9
1	0	110	83,4	6	8
3	0	120	83,1	6	8
3	0	140	82,6	6	7
1	0	150	82,2	6	7
19	0	170	80,6	5	7
4	0	180	78,7	5	7
6	0	200	77,8	5	6
7	0	230	76,7	4	6
1	0	240	76,1	4	5
6	0	400	75,5	-1	2
178	0	420	60,2	-2	1
57	0	430	40,7	-2	1
68	0	450	30,3	-2	0
18	0	460	23,2	-3	0
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

3♥ = Shows a positive hand, forcing. With a weak hand, East would repeat his ♣ before raising.

4♥ = No slam, thanks, partner.

On lead with the King of ♥, South must count the declarer's points. West must have at least 11 HCP to justify his 2/1. This leaves partner with only the Jack of ♣. Conclusion, South must cash the Ace of ♦. Otherwise, the declarer will claim twelve tricks. A very inspired North would have led the 6 of ♦.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

18 O/NZ	♠ AB86 ♥ AVB10 ♦ 87 ♣ V53	Zuid 4♠ Uitk. ♦ H
♠ 103 ♥ 9876 ♦ HV109 ♣ H109	N W - J - O Z	♠ 7 ♥ H432 ♦ B6432 ♣ A87
	♠ HV9542 ♥ 5 ♦ A5 ♣ B642	Result: = Par NZ: 620 Dat NZ: 480

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
			p
1♠	p	2SA	p
4♠			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	870	0	100	9	6
1	800	0	99,8	8	5
1	680	0	99,7	5	2
209	650	0	82,3	5	1
213	620	0	47,3	4	0
1	600	0	29,5	3	-1
1	500	0	29,4	1	-3
9	200	0	28,5	-7	-9
1	180	0	27,7	-7	-10
15	170	0	26,4	-7	-10
19	140	0	23,5	-8	-10
119	0	100	12,1	-11	-12
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

1♠ = The hand is too strong for a weak-two.

No matter North's-South system, the final contract should be 4♠ by South. You have three ♣ losers if you handle the suit yourself and the contract seems to depend on the ♥ finesse.

- If the King lies in West, a simple finesse will allow you to get rid of the losing ♦.

- But the 100% solution is a ruffing finesse. Cash the Ace and pass the Queen. If East plays low, discard the ♦ and you will concede only three ♣. If the King shows up in West, you will concede only two ♣.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

19 Z/OW	♠ HB874 ♥ 54 ♦ H76 ♣ B94	West 3SA Uitk. ♠ 7
♠ 65 ♥ AV6 ♦ A105 ♣ H8765	N W - J - O Z	♠ A93 ♥ H973 ♦ V43 ♣ A103
	♠ V102 ♥ B1082 ♦ B982 ♣ V2	Result: = Par NZ: -600 Dat NZ: -210

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
p	1 ♣	p	1 ♥
p	1SA	p	3SA

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	400	0	99,8	12	14
9	300	0	99	11	14
80	200	0	91,6	9	13
1	110	0	84,9	8	12
172	100	0	70,5	7	12
6	0	50	55,7	4	11
2	0	90	55,1	3	11
13	0	100	53,8	3	11
2	0	110	52,6	3	10
21	0	120	50,7	3	10
12	0	130	47,9	2	10
10	0	140	46,1	2	10
21	0	150	43,5	2	10
7	0	180	41,2	1	9
1	0	200	40,5	0	9
1	0	210	40,4	0	9
1	0	300	40,2	-3	7
5	0	500	39,7	-7	3
108	0	600	30,3	-9	0
17	0	620	19,9	-9	-1
86	0	630	11,4	-9	-1
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

1NT = 12-14 HCP, balanced hand.

Win the third ♠. To establish the ♣, avoiding North, cross to the closed hand in ♥ and lead a ♣ to the 10. South wins and returns a ♦ but you grab the Ace and claim nine tricks.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

20 W/All	♠ A43 ♥ AV843 ♦ 952 ♣ HB	Zuid 4♠ Uitk. ♦ H
♠ 1086 ♥ H2 ♦ HV1064 ♣ 542	N W - J - O Z	♠ B ♥ 10765 ♦ AB ♣ V98763
	♠ HV9752 ♥ B9 ♦ 873 ♣ A10	Result: -1 Par NZ: -100 Dat NZ: 470

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
	p	1 ♥	p
1 ♠	p	1SA	p
2 ♣	p	2 ♠	p
4 ♠			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	800	0	100	8	14
2	720	0	99,8	6	13
1	710	0	99,5	6	13
2	690	0	99,3	6	13
16	680	0	97,8	5	13
1	660	0	96,4	5	13
66	650	0	90,8	5	13
5	630	0	85	4	12
285	620	0	61,1	4	12
2	600	0	37,4	4	12
2	230	0	37	-6	8
29	200	0	34,5	-7	7
1	180	0	32	-7	7
115	170	0	22,4	-7	7
1	150	0	12,9	-8	6
21	140	0	11,1	-8	6
1	110	0	9,2	-8	5
2	90	0	9	-9	5
1	0	0	8,7	-10	3
50	0	100	4,5	-11	0
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

2♣ = Check-back Stayman ("Roudi").

2♠ = Maximum with three cards.

The defense start with three ♦ tricks, East overtaking the King with the Ace and West the Jack with the Queen. If West chooses a neutral return, the ♥ finesse will give you ten tricks and your contract.

But, if West insists with a fourth ♦, the contract is doomed. East ruffs with the Jack of ♠, promoting West's 10.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

21 N/NZ	♠ A852 ♥ H94 ♦ H1073 ♣ 75	Noord 2♠ Uitk. ♠ V
♠ 6 ♥ V1063 ♦ B64 ♣ HV982	N W - - O Z	♠ VB109 ♥ AB72 ♦ 95 ♣ 1063
	♠ H743 ♥ 85 ♦ AV82 ♣ AB4	Result: = Par NZ: 110 Dat NZ: -30

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
		p	p
1♦	p	1♠	p
2♠			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	630	0	99,8	12	11
5	620	0	99,3	12	11
1	200	0	98,8	6	3
4	170	0	98,4	5	2
1	150	0	98	5	1
119	140	0	88	5	1
4	120	0	77,8	4	0
113	110	0	68,1	4	0
7	100	0	58,1	4	0
2	90	0	57,3	3	-1
1	80	0	57,1	3	-1
8	50	0	56,3	2	-2
2	0	0	55,5	1	-3
2	0	90	55,2	-2	-5
152	0	100	42,3	-2	-5
1	0	110	29,6	-2	-6
1	0	130	29,5	-3	-6
3	0	140	29,1	-3	-6
1	0	170	28,8	-4	-7
108	0	200	19,7	-5	-7
37	0	300	7,7	-7	-9
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

2♠ = 12-15 SP, four trumps.

North's final pass is wise at matchpoints.

The lead of the Queen of ♣ makes a 4-1 trump break highly probable and you should try to ruff a ♣ in the closed hand. Win the Ace of ♠ and lead a ♣ to the Jack. West wins and returns a ♥ to the King and East's Ace. Win the ♠ return, discovering the vile break and ruff a ♣. Cash the ♦ and claim eight tricks.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

22 O/OW	♠ VB107543 ♥ 82 ♦ AV3 ♣ B	Noord 4♠ Uitk. ♣ A
♠ 8 ♥ H10653 ♦ 10962 ♣ 542	N W - - O Z	♠ 96 ♥ B97 ♦ HB4 ♣ AHV76
	♠ AH2 ♥ AV4 ♦ 875 ♣ 10983	Result: -1 Par NZ: -50 Dat NZ: 100

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
			1♣
p	p	1♠	p
2♣	p	3♠	p
4♠			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	800	0	100	12	13
1	690	0	99,8	11	12
2	530	0	99,6	10	11
1	500	0	99,3	9	11
1	460	0	99,2	8	11
9	450	0	98,3	8	11
1	430	0	97,5	8	10
132	420	0	86,4	8	10
3	200	0	75,1	3	6
1	180	0	74,8	2	6
40	170	0	71,4	2	6
116	140	0	58,3	1	5
3	100	0	48,4	0	4
282	0	50	24,6	-4	0
1	0	90	1	-5	-1
3	0	100	0,7	-5	-2
1	0	130	0,3	-6	-2
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

A 2♠ reopening bid would show 12-14 HCP and six cards while 1♠ can go as high as 13 HCP.

2♣ = Cue-bid.

3♠ = Six cards, maximum bid.

West's 2 of ♣ shows an odd number of cards and North's Jack is probably a singleton, although a shrewd Nord could play it with ♣J54. Therefore East must not insist with the King of ♣ which would allow the declarer to establish the 10 to find his tenth trick. He must switch to ♥ instead, killing the contract with one ♣, one ♥ and two ♦ tricks.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

23 Z/All	♠ A98 ♥ AB9 ♦ A ♣ AH10985	Zuid 4 ♥ Uitk. ♦ 8
♠ H1064 ♥ 3 ♦ V1082 ♣ VB62	N W - J - O Z	♠ VB32 ♥ H106 ♦ B764 ♣ 73
	♠ 75 ♥ V87542 ♦ H953 ♣ 4	Result: +2 Par NZ: 680 Dat NZ: 390

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
p	p	1 ♣	p
1 ♥	p	2 ♠	p
3 ♥	p	4 ♦	p
4 ♥			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
22	1430	0	98,2	14	13
1	1100	0	96,3	12	9
2	690	0	96,1	7	0
114	680	0	86,4	7	0
6	660	0	76,4	7	-1
110	650	0	66,8	6	-1
10	630	0	56,8	6	-2
66	620	0	50,4	6	-2
31	600	0	42,3	5	-2
1	230	0	39,7	-4	-10
2	200	0	39,4	-5	-10
2	170	0	39,1	-6	-11
8	150	0	38,2	-6	-11
11	130	0	36,7	-6	-11
4	120	0	35,4	-7	-11
30	110	0	32,6	-7	-11
104	0	100	21,4	-10	-13
54	0	200	8,2	-11	-13
14	0	300	2,6	-12	-14
7	0	400	0,8	-13	-14
1	0	500	0,2	-13	-15
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

2 ♣ = Game forcing. The hand is far too strong for a jump repetition and a 2 ♣ opening would show seven cards.

3 ♥ = Five cards or more.

4 ♦ = ♥ fit, slam ambitions.

4 ♥ = No thanks.

Let's go : Ace of ♦, Ace of ♣, ♣ ruffed and ♥ to the Jack.

East wins and returns a ♠. Win the Ace, ruff another ♣ and continue with the Queen of ♥ and the Ace of ♥. Your three losers can be discarded on the three good ♣ for twelve tricks.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

24 W/--	♠ H982 ♥ 93 ♦ 987 ♣ V1032	Oost 4 ♥ Uitk. ♦ V
♠ V64 ♥ VB72 ♦ A52 ♣ HB4	N W - J - O Z	♠ B73 ♥ AH1084 ♦ H63 ♣ A7
	♠ A105 ♥ 65 ♦ VB104 ♣ 9865	Result: = Par NZ: -420 Dat NZ: -180

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
	1 ♣	p	1 ♥
p	2 ♥	p	4 ♥

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	200	0	100	9	12
4	150	0	99,6	8	11
39	100	0	96	7	11
258	50	0	71,2	6	10
5	0	140	49,2	1	7
5	0	170	48,4	0	6
2	0	200	47,8	-1	6
2	0	400	47,5	-6	1
271	0	420	24,7	-6	0
2	0	430	1,9	-6	0
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

You count four losers after the opening lead : three ♠ and one ♦. The ♣ finesse can allow you to get rid of them or you could find Ace-King of ♠ in the same hand. However there exists a 100% solution as soon as the trumps do not break 4-0 : with long trumps in both trumps, you must think of an elimination and throw-in endplay.

Win the King of ♦, draw trumps in two rounds, ruff the third ♣ and cash the Ace of ♦ before exiting in ♦...

South must return either a minor, ruff and discard or ♠. In both cases, you lose only two ♠ tricks.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

25 N/OW	♠ B52 ♥ AV5 ♦ 1082 ♣ 10854	Oost 3 ♣ Uitk. ♠ H
♠ A83 ♥ B642 ♦ AV64 ♣ H6	N W - - O Z	♠ 97 ♥ 973 ♦ H95 ♣ AV973
	♠ HV1064 ♥ H108 ♦ B73 ♣ B2	Result: = Par NZ: -110 Dat NZ: -70

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
		p	p
1 ♠	x	2 ♠	3 ♣

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
4	400	0	99,7	10	11
3	300	0	99,1	9	9
7	200	0	98,3	7	7
1	140	0	97,6	5	6
1	120	0	97,4	5	6
33	110	0	94,5	5	6
40	100	0	88,3	5	5
1	90	0	84,8	4	5
2	80	0	84,5	4	5
174	0	50	69,4	1	2
10	0	90	53,7	-1	1
40	0	100	49,4	-1	0
92	0	110	38,1	-1	0
111	0	120	20,7	-2	0
9	0	130	10,4	-2	-1
2	0	140	9,5	-2	-1
18	0	150	7,8	-2	-1
28	0	180	3,9	-3	-2
1	0	200	1,4	-4	-3
2	0	210	1,1	-4	-3
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

1 ♠ = A "lite" opening, normal in third position...

Win the Ace of ♣ and cash three rounds of trumps before testing the ♦.
The 3-3 break gives you a tenth trick easily. An easy board to relax a bit.

E1401, 2014.01.22, 1429 paren, 40 spellen.

26 O/All	♠ 832 ♥ V764 ♦ 10932 ♣ 109	Oost 3SA Uitk. ♠ B
♠ AH ♥ B82 ♦ 874 ♣ V8732	N W - - O Z	♠ V6 ♥ A1093 ♦ AHVB ♣ B65
	♠ B109754 ♥ H5 ♦ 65 ♣ AH4	Result: = Par NZ: -600 Dat NZ: -100

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
			1SA
2 ♠	3SA		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	1400	0	100	17	19
1	800	0	99,8	14	16
2	500	0	99,6	12	15
8	400	0	98,7	11	14
40	300	0	94,7	9	14
135	200	0	80	7	13
8	110	0	68	5	12
171	100	0	52,9	5	12
2	0	110	38,4	0	10
3	0	120	38	-1	10
7	0	130	37,1	-1	10
2	0	150	36,4	-2	10
3	0	180	36	-2	9
1	0	200	35,6	-3	9
1	0	210	35,5	-3	9
1	0	300	35,3	-5	7
1	0	500	35,1	-9	3
175	0	600	20,3	-11	0
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

1NT = 15-17 HCP balanced.

2 ♠ = Natural.

The ♣ lead forbids you to establish ♣ and you must fall back on the ♥. Be careful about their handling though. With only two entries to the dummy, start with the 8.

South insists in ♣ and you continue with the Jack of ♥. If North does not cover, you stay in the right hand and you can repeat the finesse.

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27 Z/--	♠ VB10 ♥ A9 ♦ 9742 ♣ B942	Noord 3SA Uitk. ♠ 6
♠ 53 ♥ 1085432 ♦ H6 ♣ A106	N W - - O Z	♠ A9764 ♥ B7 ♦ B85 ♣ 753
	♠ H82 ♥ HV6 ♦ AV103 ♣ HV8	Result: +1 Par NZ: 630 Dat NZ: 400

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
1♦	p	1SA	p
3SA			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	800	0	100	9	5
1	500	0	99,8	3	-4
20	460	0	97,9	2	-5
284	430	0	70,2	1	-5
155	400	0	30,1	0	-6
2	210	0	15,8	-5	-9
2	200	0	15,4	-5	-10
6	180	0	14,7	-6	-10
12	150	0	13	-6	-10
2	130	0	11,8	-7	-11
4	120	0	11,2	-7	-11
3	110	0	10,6	-7	-11
1	100	0	10,2	-7	-11
1	50	0	10	-8	-11
30	0	50	7,2	-10	-12
18	0	100	2,8	-11	-12
6	0	150	0,6	-11	-13

Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten

Commentaar

1NT = 6-10 HCP.

To handle ♣, you must lead twice to South's honours, to cope with a possible Ace second in East. When West lead his second ♠, East must pay attention to his partner's count and take his Ace. Else he loses a trick and South makes eleven tricks thanks to the double ♦ finesse.

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28 W/NZ	♠ VB ♥ 2 ♦ AH98642 ♣ A84	Noord 5♦ Uitk. ♠ 2
♠ A1064 ♥ 9653 ♦ VB ♣ 752	N W - - O Z	♠ H8752 ♥ B107 ♦ ♣ HV1063
	♠ 93 ♥ AHV84 ♦ 10753 ♣ B9	Result: = Par NZ: 600 Dat NZ: 450

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
	p	1♦	1♠
x	3♠	4♦	4♠
5♦			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
8	1370	0	99,2	14	13
1	920	0	98,2	10	8
1	800	0	98	8	5
2	750	0	97,6	7	4
1	720	0	97,3	7	3
4	660	0	96,7	5	2
2	650	0	96	5	2
7	640	0	95	5	1
169	620	0	75,2	5	1
74	600	0	47,7	4	0
3	500	0	39,1	2	-3
13	300	0	37,2	-4	-7
1	190	0	35,7	-6	-9
49	170	0	30	-7	-10
46	150	0	19,3	-7	-10
2	140	0	13,9	-7	-10
3	130	0	13,3	-8	-10
14	100	0	11,4	-8	-11
15	50	0	8,1	-9	-11
14	0	100	4,9	-11	-12
7	0	140	2,5	-11	-12

Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten

Commentaar

X = Spoutnik, the hand is not strong enough for 2♥.

3♠ = Preemptive, weak, four cards.

4♠ = The two-suiter and the void make this bid mandatory.

5♦ = More lucrative than a double because of the vulnerabilities.

In 5♦ :

- Eleven tricks on a ♠ lead.

- Twelve tricks on the lead of the King of ♣.

In 5♠ : nine tricks.

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29 N/AI	♠ AHV10876 ♥ AV5 ♦ 2 ♣ AV	Noord 6♠ Uitk. ♦ 1
♠ 9 ♥ 1043 ♦ H98643 ♣ B94	N W - - O Z	♠ 52 ♥ HB82 ♦ 10 ♣ 1087652
	♠ B43 ♥ 976 ♦ AVB75 ♣ H3	Result: = Par NZ: 1430 Dat NZ: 910

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
		2♦	p
3♣	p	3♠	p
4♠	p	6♠	

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	2210	0	100	16	13
6	1460	0	98,9	11	1
19	1440	0	95,2	11	0
161	1430	0	68,2	11	0
1	710	0	43,8	-5	-12
21	680	0	40,5	-6	-13
24	650	0	33,8	-6	-13
1	620	0	30	-7	-13
94	0	100	15,8	-14	-17
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

2♦ = Game forcing.

3♣ = One ace and one king.

Once the fit is established, the final decision is brutal.

The ♦ could well be singleton. For that matter, should you put up the Ace?

After all, East could hold ♦R109?

Even if West wins the King, nothing nasty can happen. You just have to ruff high, draw trumps and discard two ♥ on two ♦.

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30 O/--	♠ 62 ♥ A93 ♦ H104 ♣ 87542	Noord 3SA Uitk. ♥ H
♠ 875 ♥ 8742 ♦ 865 ♣ VB10	N W - - O Z	♠ H93 ♥ HVB105 ♦ 93 ♣ A63
	♠ AVB104 ♥ 6 ♦ AVB72 ♣ H9	Result: +2 Par NZ: 660 Dat NZ: 290

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
			1♥
2♥	p	2SA	p
3♥	p	3SA	

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	800	0	99,7	11	4
1	790	0	99,4	11	4
1	730	0	99,1	10	2
1	690	0	98,8	9	1
1	550	0	98,5	6	-3
53	480	0	90,4	5	-5
7	460	0	81,5	5	-5
15	450	0	78,2	4	-5
6	430	0	75,1	4	-6
24	420	0	70,6	4	-6
20	400	0	64	3	-6
2	300	0	60,7	0	-8
69	230	0	50,1	-2	-10
33	200	0	34,9	-3	-10
37	170	0	24,5	-3	-10
24	150	0	15,4	-4	-11
2	140	0	11,5	-4	-11
9	130	0	9,9	-4	-11
7	110	0	7,5	-5	-11
5	100	0	5,7	-5	-11
1	90	0	4,8	-5	-11
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

2♥ = ♠ and an unknown minor.

2NT = Which minor?

3♥ = This cue-bid shows a strong hand.

A successful ♠ finesse is required for this contract to make.

Win the Ace of ♥, as ducking would serve no purpose and take a first ♠ finesse. Cross to the King of ♦ and repeat the ♠ finesse. When the King drops on the third round of ♠, you have eleven tricks. The 5♦ contract would have been safer but less lucrative.

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31 Z/NZ	♠ VB6 ♥ 1074 ♦ AB10 ♣ 10652	Noord 1SA Uitk. ♦ 2
♠ 84 ♥ H952 ♦ H9754 ♣ AH	N W - - O Z	♠ 10732 ♥ 83 ♦ V62 ♣ VB93
	♠ AH95 ♥ AVB6 ♦ 83 ♣ 874	Result: = Par NZ: 90 Dat NZ: 100

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
1 ♣	1 ♦	1SA	

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	750	0	100	12	12
9	600	0	97,5	11	11
1	500	0	95,1	9	9
3	300	0	94,1	5	5
90	150	0	71,3	2	2
2	140	0	48,8	1	2
12	120	0	45,3	1	1
12	100	0	39,5	0	0
14	90	0	33,1	0	0
1	70	0	29,4	-1	-1
18	50	0	24,8	-2	-1
18	0	90	15,9	-5	-5
9	0	100	9,3	-5	-5
5	0	110	5,9	-5	-5
1	0	130	4,4	-6	-6
1	0	180	3,9	-7	-7
7	0	200	2	-7	-7
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

After the King of ♦, North shifts to the 10 of ♥ and another, if West ducked.
On lead with the King of ♥, West must count the declarer's tricks : three ♥, certainly two ♦ and at least two ♣, more if North has the Queen.
Partner is marked with four ♣, two ♥, three ♦ and therefore four ♠ (he can have five ♣ but this case is hopeless).
West must unblock the ♣ and shift to a ♦ to hold the declarer to seven tricks.

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32 W/OW	♠ 984 ♥ AV3 ♦ HV83 ♣ 852	Oost 4 ♠ Uitk. ♠ 3
♠ AB52 ♥ HB105 ♦ B ♣ AB104	N W - - O Z	♠ HV107 ♥ 764 ♦ A972 ♣ 93
	♠ 63 ♥ 982 ♦ 10654 ♣ HV76	Result: = Par NZ: -620 Dat NZ: -260

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
	1 ♣	p	1 ♠
p	3 ♠	p	4 ♠

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
2	300	0	99,8	11	14
11	200	0	96,6	10	13
38	100	0	84,6	8	12
1	0	90	75	5	11
3	0	110	74	4	11
1	0	120	73	4	11
35	0	140	64,2	3	10
2	0	150	55,1	3	10
33	0	170	46,6	3	10
1	0	180	38,2	2	10
3	0	200	37,3	2	9
1	0	600	36,3	-8	1
67	0	620	19,6	-8	0
1	0	630	2,9	-9	0
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar

3 ♠ = 16-18 SP, four trumps.
The ♣ lead is the worst for you but you must try to make ten tricks all the same.
Win in the closed hand and lead a ♥ to the 10 and North's Queen. Win the trump return and insist in ♥. North's third trump goes to the King in the closed hand. Tackle the ♣ now by passing the 9. When South splits the Queen, you win the Ace and establish the Jack for your tenth trick (five trumps, two ♥, one ♦ and two ♣).

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33 N/--	♠ V75 ♥ 1053 ♦ HV532 ♣ B9	Oost 3SA Uitk. ♦ 7
♠ H632 ♥ H972 ♦ A8 ♣ V53	N W - - O Z	♠ A109 ♥ AB6 ♦ B109 ♣ H1062
	♠ B84 ♥ V84 ♦ 764 ♣ A874	Result: -1 Par NZ: 50 Dat NZ: -170

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
		p	1 ♣
p	1 ♥	p	1 SA
p	3 SA		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	500	0	100	12	10
9	150	0	96,5	8	3
27	100	0	84	7	2
24	50	0	66,3	6	0
1	0	90	57,6	2	-4
1	0	110	56,9	2	-4
2	0	120	55,9	2	-5
3	0	140	54,2	1	-5
4	0	150	51,7	1	-5
2	0	170	49,7	0	-6
4	0	180	47,6	0	-6
3	0	210	45,1	-1	-6
36	0	400	31,6	-6	-10
2	0	420	18,4	-6	-10
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

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34 O/NZ	♠ H962 ♥ B10 ♦ 109876 ♣ 102	Zuid 1SA Uitk. ♥ 5
♠ VB74 ♥ HV753 ♦ V ♣ 853	N W - - O Z	♠ 103 ♥ A92 ♦ B432 ♣ A976
	♠ A85 ♥ 864 ♦ AH5 ♣ HVB4	Result: = Par NZ: 90 Dat NZ: 30

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
			p
1 SA			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
4	150	0	97,9	3	2
4	120	0	92,3	3	1
1	110	0	88,7	2	1
5	100	0	84,5	2	0
26	90	0	62,7	2	0
8	50	0	38,7	1	-1
7	0	100	28,2	-4	-5
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

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35 Z/OW	♠ 84 ♥ AB62 ♦ 943 ♣ A1093	Noord 3SA Uitk. ♣ 2
♠ VB52 ♥ H108 ♦ 1065 ♣ HB6	N W - - O Z	♠ 76 ♥ 754 ♦ VB82 ♣ V742
	♠ AH1093 ♥ V93 ♦ AH7 ♣ 85	Result: = Par NZ: 400 Dat NZ: 140

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
1♠	p	1SA	p
2♦	p	2♠	p
2SA	p	3SA	

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
3	430	0	98,3	7	1
13	400	0	84,7	6	0
1	200	0	72,9	2	-5
1	180	0	71,2	1	-6
2	170	0	68,6	1	-6
5	150	0	62,7	0	-6
4	140	0	55,1	0	-6
6	120	0	46,6	-1	-7
1	110	0	40,7	-1	-7
5	90	0	35,6	-2	-7
1	80	0	30,5	-2	-8
13	0	50	18,6	-5	-10

Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten

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36 W/All	♠ 952 ♥ B872 ♦ V64 ♣ V72	West 2♣ Uitk. ♦ 4
♠ AB76 ♥ A ♦ 87 ♣ HB10954	N W - - O Z	♠ HV ♥ V9654 ♦ B532 ♣ 63
	♠ 10843 ♥ H103 ♦ AH109 ♣ A8	Result: +1 Par NZ: -110 Dat NZ: -10

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
	1♣	p	1♥
x	1♠	p	1SA
p	2♣		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
1	1100	0	100	15	15
1	400	0	98,3	9	11
8	300	0	90,5	7	9
6	200	0	78,4	5	7
5	100	0	69	3	5
1	0	80	63,8	-2	1
3	0	90	60,3	-2	1
26	0	110	35,3	-3	0
1	0	120	12,1	-3	0
3	0	130	8,6	-3	-1
2	0	150	4,3	-4	-1
1	0	180	1,7	-5	-2

Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten

Commentaar

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37 N/NZ	♠ V763 ♥ 72 ♦ V52 ♣ AH97	Noord 3♠ Uitk. ♦ 7
♠ HB ♥ 863 ♦ AH643 ♣ V82	N W - - O Z	♠ 982 ♥ H1094 ♦ 1087 ♣ B63
	♠ A1054 ♥ AVB5 ♦ B9 ♣ 1054	Result: +1 Par NZ: 170 Dat NZ: 0

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
		p	p
1 ♣	1 ♦	1 ♠	p
2 ♠	p	2SA	p
3 ♠			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

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38 O/OW	♠ H82 ♥ B76 ♦ H98 ♣ 10763	Oost 3♥ Uitk. ♠ B
♠ 753 ♥ V1082 ♦ 1064 ♣ AB9	N W - - O Z	♠ AV ♥ H9543 ♦ VB2 ♣ H54
	♠ B10964 ♥ A ♦ A753 ♣ V82	Result: +1 Par NZ: -170 Dat NZ: 0

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
			1♥
1♠	2♥	2♠	2SA
p	3♥		

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

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39 Z/All	♠ AVB973 ♥ 83 ♦ A865 ♣ 9	Noord 4 ♠ Uitk. ♥ 4
♠ 105 ♥ AHB1076 ♦ V3 ♣ B108	N W - - O Z	♠ 82 ♥ V94 ♦ B1072 ♣ A752
	♠ H64 ♥ 52 ♦ H94 ♣ HV643	Result: = Par NZ: 620 Dat NZ: 0

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
p	1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♥
x	3 ♥	3 ♠	p
4 ♠			

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

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40 W/--	♠ 2 ♥ HVB1064 ♦ AB3 ♣ 742	West 4 ♠ Uitk. ♥ H
♠ AHV1063 ♥ 2 ♦ 952 ♣ 863	N W - - O Z	♠ B84 ♥ A73 ♦ HV1064 ♣ HB
	♠ 975 ♥ 985 ♦ 87 ♣ AV1095	Result: = Par NZ: -420 Dat NZ: 0

Biedverloop			
Zuid	West	Noord	Oost
	2 ♠	3 ♥	4 ♠

Veldresultaten					
Sc.	Score NZ	Score OW	Perc NZ	D-imp NZ	P-imp NZ
Soms zijn extreme scores weggelaten					

Commentaar