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BUSINESS AS USUAL: MOSS, BY A LANDSLIDE!













ROUND 4 PROVED TO BE VERY LIVELY. CHECK THE CHAT!

jerry72 >Table: Ah

zia >Table: He's trying for over trick arobson >Table: well played zia?Table: Sorry still no internet allfrey > Table: have we lost Jerry?

jerry72 >Table: no

jerry72 > Table: im here, just 1 sec zia >Table: Not sure what u mean

by lost

allfrey > Table: sure, no worries allfrey >Table: i was led by no internet, but guess that's you

jerry72 > Table: ;) Zia means that Im

lost for bridge

zia >Table: Well ..u said it I wd

never!

jerry72 > Table: nobody thought the

poor bulgarians how to signal

jerry72 > Table: taght

jerry72 >Table: this time you had

your bid pard

arobson >Table: sorry

arobson >Table: hopeless lead zia >Table: Nobody asked Bulgarians to read notes on

carding

zia > Table: That position is exactly

in notes

arobson > Table: sorry forgot arobson > Table: very sorry

Alexander

allfrey >Table: no prob

jerry72 > Table: at least I gave the

right signal this time..Z..

zia >Table: May be too late as we r

down 50!

arobson >Table: typ

zia >Table: Thx guys ..we cd write

a book on this set! arobson >Table: ty Z arobson >Table: and J

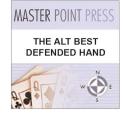
zia >Table: Any resemblance to bridge was purely accidental!

arobson >Table: yep

Left to right: Sylvia Moss (c), Kevin Bathurst, John Hurd, Jacek Kalita, Roger Lee and Michal Nowosadzki.

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WINNING ALTERNATIVES

Mark Horton



The fifth new ALT competition was full of fascinating deals. Here are four that contained points of interest:

Round 2

Board 2. Dealer East. NS Vul.

- **♠** Q J
- **♥** K 4
- ♦ KQJ76
- ♣ A Q 10 4
- **▲** A 9 7 2
- **Y**AJ65
- ↑ A

♣8652



- **★** K 10 8 4
- 💙 Q 9 7 3 2
- ◆ 3◆ K 9 7
- **♠** 653
- **7** 10 8
- 1098542
- **♣** J 3

With a double fit there is an excellent chance that EW will reach game - but will they make it?

Red Devils v Edmonds

Open Room

West	North	East	South
Klukowski	S de Roos	Zatorski	Arts
-	-	Pass	Pass
1♣*	1NT	2♣*	Pass
4♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

- 1♣ Polish Club
- 2♣ Majors

North led the ◆K and declarer won with the ace and played two rounds of hearts, North winning with the king and switching to the ♣Q. When dummy's king held declarer came to hand with a heart and ducked a

club, South winning with the jack and switching to the ♠6 for the two, queen and king. Declarer exited with the ♣9 and North, who had already played the ♣10, exited with the four. Declarer won with the eight, crossed to the ♥Q and ran the ♠10, going one down when it lost.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
De Donder	O Rimstedt	D de Roos	M Rimstedt
_	-	2♥*	Pass
4♥	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

2♥ Both majors, weak

The Editor penned a chapter on using 2♥ to show both majors in *The Mysterious Multi*. South led the ♣J and North won with the ace and continued with the queen, declarer winning with the king and playing a heart for the jack and king. North cashed the ♣10 and continued with the four and declarer ruffed with the ♥Q and played a heart to the ace. He then cashed the ♣A and played a second spade, +590 and 12 IMPs.

Gupta v Salvo

Open Ro	om		
West	North	East	South
Uçar	De Wijs	Koksoy	Muller
-	-	Pass	Pass
1♣	Dbl	Pass	1♦
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

West led the ♠7 and East won with the king and switched to the ♦3, West winning with the ace,

cashing the major suit aces and exiting with a club, East's king securing the setting trick, -100.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Zia	Kubaç	Stamatov	Aluf
-	-	Pass	Pass
1♣	Dbl	1♥	Pass
3♥	Pass	4♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

South led the \$\Delta\$3 for the two, jack and king and declarer cashed dummy's red aces and played a second heart, North winning and exiting with two rounds of clubs. In due course declarer had to tackle the spade suit and he ran the ten, which meant a loss of 4 IMPs.

Harris v Tilly

Open Room

West	North	East	South
Castner	Root	King	lgoe
-	-	Pass	Pass
1♣*	1♦	Dbl*	Pass
2♥	Pass	3♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1♣ 3+♣, diamonds not longer Dbl Both majors

North led the ◆K and declarer eventually applied the theory of restricted choice, so +140.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Gold	Thoma	Tiholov	Tommasini
-	-	2◆*	Pass
2NT*	Dbl	3♠	Pass
4♥	Dbl	Pass	5♦
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

2♦ Both majors, weak2NT Asking

3♠ 4♠, longer ♥, non-minimum

As we have already seen there are five losers in diamonds so that was -800 and a 12 IMP loss. 4♥ was the contract fourteen times, declarer getting home on ten occasions.

Round 2 Board 6. Dealer East. All Vul. ♠ Q 10 5 **V**Q32 **♦** 10 3 2 ♣QJ54 **♦**86 ♥ A K 10 9 4 **9** 8 ♦ KQ9754 ♦ A 8 6 **♣** K 9 3 2 ♣ A 10 7 ♠ A K 9 4 3 2 ♥J765 **♦** J **\$**86

Donner v Nickell

Open Room

West	North	East	South
Hampson	S Rimstedt	Greco	Donner
-	-	1NT	2◆*
2NT*	Pass	3◆*	Pass
3♥*	Pass	4♣	Pass
5♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

2 'Single unspecified major'

2NT 'Diamonds, any strength or weak with both minors'

3♦ 'Likes diamonds'

3♥ 'Real Diamonds, short hearts'

South started with the king and ace of spades and switched to the ♥6. Declarer took North's queen with the ace, ruffed a heart, drew trumps ending in hand and played two rounds of hearts, claiming, +600.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Cullin	Martel	Michielsen	Fleisher
-	-	1NT*	2◆*
3♣*	Pass	3♥	Pass
3♠*	Pass	4♥	Pass
5♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1NT 15-16

2 One major

3♣ 5+♦, invitational

3♠ 'Ask stopper first'

North led the ♠5 and South took the king and ace and switched to the ♣8. Declarer won with the king, played a heart to the ace, ruffed a heart, drew trumps ending in dummy and claimed, no swing.

Moss v Black

Open Room West North East South Black Gold Moss Lee 1NT 2***** 3♣* 3 **Pass** Pass 3♠ Pass 4 Pass Pass **Pass**

2♦ 'Major' 3♣ Diamonds

South started with three rounds of spades, the ruff and discard meaning declarer did not need to establish hearts, +150.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Bathurst	Hult	Hurd	Hallberg
-	-	1NT*	2•*
3♣*	3♥*	Dbl	3♠
Pass	Pass	4♥	Pass
5 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1NT 15-17 2♦ One major

3♣ 'Diamonds, invitational+'

3♥ Pass or correct

North led the ♠Q followed by the ten, South winning and switching to the ♠J. Declarer won with the king and played a diamond to the ace, South discarding the ♠4 which meant declarer was now an entry short to establish the hearts. He drew the outstanding trump and played the ♥8. When North covered with the queen, declarer was back in the game. He won, cashed the ♥K and played the ten. When South followed with the seven declarer was at the crossroads. He decided to ruff and that meant he had to lose a club at the end, -100 and a 6 IMP swing.

Round 4 Roard 12 Dealer West NS Vu



Round 4, Board 12

ZIA: ANY RESEMBLANCE TO BRIDGE WAS PURELY ACCIDENTAL!

Gupta v Orca

North	East	South
Gupta	Cooke	Korbel
Pass	Pass	Pass
	North Gupta	North East Gupta Cooke

North led the ◆A and declarer ruffed and played a heart to the ace and a heart, drew the remaining trump and then cashed the top clubs. A spade to the king lost but there were eleven tricks, +450.

Sixteen pairs played in 4♥, and opening 4♥ was selected six times.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Zia	Robson	Stamatov	Allfrey
2♥*	3♦	3♥	3♠
4♣	Pass	Pass	4♠
Dbl	Pass	5♣	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

2♥ 'Good weak two'

With a robust second suit and a void West's description of his opening bid was right on the money! North led the ◆K and declarer ruffed, cashed the top clubs and then played hearts, claiming all the tricks, +750 and 7 IMPs. Note that if EW can find their diamond ruffs (not easy) they can collect 1100 against 4♠.

Nickell v Edmonds

Open Room	ı		
West	North	East	South
M Rimstedt	Greco	O Rimstedt	Hampson
1♥	2♦	Dbl	2♥
3♣	3♥	5♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

North led the ♠J and when declarer played dummy's king South won, cashed the ♠Q and continued with the ten, promoting a trump trick, -50. If declarer withholds dummy's king, South must overtake with the queen, but must then continue spades.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Martel	Wooldridge	Fleisher	Grainger
1♥	3♦	Dbl*	3♠
4♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

North led the ♦A so like Zia, Chip Martel took all the tricks and 6 IMPs.

Round 6

Board 3. Dealer South. EW Vul.

♣ 8 4

♠ 8 4 **∀** A Q J 7

▼ A Q J 7 ♦ 10 3 ♣ A J 10 9 7 N W E S **★**9763 ▼109862 **→**2 **♣**Q63

♠ AKQ **∀** 4

♦ KQJ865

♣ K 5 2

Black v Edmonds

Open Roo West	North	East	South
Klukowski	McIntosh	Zatorski	Paske
_	-	-	1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦*	Pass	3♠
Pass	4	Pass	4NT*
Pass	5♣*	Pass	5♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	
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3♦ Game forcing4NT RKCB

5♣ One key card

West led the ♣A and continued with the jack, declarer winning with the king and claiming the rest, +420.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Black	Wooldridge	Gold	Edmonds
-	-	-	1♦
1♥	Dbl*	4♥	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

West's overcall à la Lawrence saw East make a nod to Larry Cohen with his 'law-abiding' leap to 4♥. North led the ♠J and South won with the queen, cashed the king and then played the ace, declarer ruffing with the ♥J and exiting with the ◆10. North took the ace and returned the ♠8 for the queen, king and ace and declarer ruffed a diamond and played a heart for the queen and king, claiming nine tricks,-200 and a gain of 6 IMPs.

It was a fine example of that rare occurrence, a paying vulnerable save.

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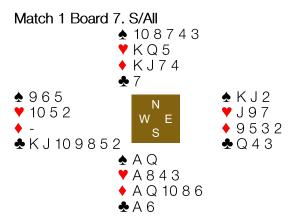
FIT MATTERS

Martin Cantor

Let's start with a bidding question. As dealer with all vulnerable, what do you open holding:

★AQ **∀**A843 **♦**AQ1086 **♣**A6?

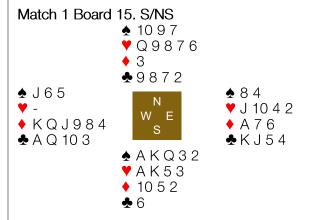
Twenty very good Miltons in a generally balanced hand. 'Very good' because you have all the aces and a nice five-card suit. Of course if you play some sort of strong club your opening bid is easy, but the question then applies to how you intend to bid the hand on the next round. I have to confess that in my regular partnerships I would plan to show this as balanced 21-22 or thereabouts, and so did many of the players who held the hand. But a fair number chose to open 1♦, perhaps reflecting the modern trend to ever-lighter responses. The advantage of opening 2NT is that it inhibited a big club preempt from your LHO. The disadvantage is that it often led to not discovering the diamond fit and so playing 3NT instead of any of the small or even grand slams available. Enough preamble, here's the hand:



Single dummy you'd want to be in 6, making when the spade finesse works, or hearts are 3-3, or diamonds are 2-2, or some other lesser chances. With the first two of those conditions in force you make an overtrick in 6 despite the 4-0 trump break, and you can also make a nervous 6NT - not to mention an unlikely-ever-to-be-bid grand slam in hearts, as long as South plays it. Six pairs got to 6♦, three of them opening 2NT and three opening 1. Chechelashvilli-Gu got to 6♥ and Fredin-Apteker to 7♦, both on auctions which to an outside observer look unconvincing, but gaining 13 and 16 IMPs respectively. Huber-Van der Starre of team Herresi got to 6♠ by South, but when West Lightnered this they removed to 6NT which East in turn doubled, meaning 1680 and 14 IMPs. The rest played in game, mostly 3NT, a few in 5♦ or 4♥.



Milton Work

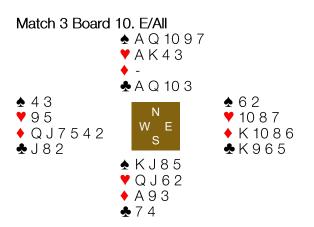


"Spades is the boss suit". "Majors outrank minors". Well yes, but not quite always. Unless playing a Strong Club, South opened 1♠ and West overcalled 2♠. I said about the previous hand that responses are ever lighter, so I was surprised that a majority of Norths passed that. I agree you don't have enough for a negative double (though some did), but don't you want to raise to 2♠ with that nice ruffing value?

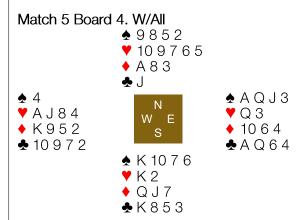
Whatever North chose to do, a lively auction ensued just about everywhere, especially where both sides discovered their double fits. At exactly half of the 28 tables NS played hearts, mostly at the five level and often doubled. Twelve EWs played diamonds, once at the three level, twice the six level, else the game level. And two played 5♣, which is the par contract. Before we see how all the contracts fared, let's just examine how they fare on best play and (more importantly) best defense. Nobody played it, but 4♠ is off on heart ruffs plus two top minor suit tricks. What about 4♥? There are five spades, and four hearts after the 4-0 break, so

one ruff in South brings you to 10 tricks - only it doesn't, because once you take that ruff East can cut you off from the long spades. Ten tricks were made a number of times when EW persisted in diamonds, and that included two happy declarers in 4♥, one of them even happier as he had been doubled.

What about EW minor suit contracts? Ten top tricks in the minors, so you just need a ruff to make game. If you play in diamonds the ruff has to be of a spade, and the defense can prevail by repeated trump leads. Which is a tough defense to find, and indeed nobody did, so three declarers in 5♦ and five in 5♦X were also happy. As were the two in 54 where you simply need to ruff a heart, the club spots being high enough to cope with the 4-1 break. So this board may challenge the received wisdoms about the suits' relative dominance, but it does reinforce another received wisdom: there are often more tricks in the 4-4 fit than the 5-4 (or, as here, 6-4). As we shall see again in this next deal.



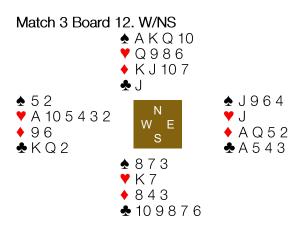
Do you want to be in a grand slam on this hand? In spades you don't, since it needs the club finesse to be working. But what about in hearts? That's rather better. If you can ruff two diamonds the losing club goes on the long spade, and if you can only get one diamond ruff you still have the club finesse in reserve, the long spade taking care of the other little diamond. But getting to ruff two diamonds might not be so easy unless they lead one, since your communications are somewhat tenuous. On a classic trump lead you want to win in South to take the first ruff, but now you will end up ruffing with a high heart, so if trumps are 4-1 you are in trouble. Your only other route back to the South hand is in spades, and relying on a 2-2 break there isn't going to calm your nerves. The heart grand slam was never put to the test, since most of the pairs got locked into spades early on, and played the small slam there (apart from one bold pair who pushed all the way to 7. Just three pairs managed to play in the superior strain, but all at the six level.



When East opens a 15-17 notrump, what will you do with the West cards? A decent 8 count with an ace and a king and some useful looking intermediates, but a discouraging shape. Sure, if you have a 4-4 heart fit, and no wasted soft values in spades, then game beckons, especially vulnerable. In commentary I said that I thought the odds were against both of those, and I added that, as the late great and much lamented Roland Wald was fond of reminding us all, 15 HCP is about twice as likely as 17. So I concluded that I thought I would pass. None of the Wests who actually held the cards agreed with me, and almost everyone played notrump. Nineteen of them in 2NT when an invitation was declined, but seven in game, sometimes when West simply bid game after checking for majors, others where East accepted an invitation. So much for the bidding, what about the play? West has only eight tricks in notrump, but East has nine as any opening lead from South is helpful. That is to say, East can always make nine, but it isn't easy, and only three of the seven succeeded. Let's see how Steve Weinstein managed it.

West	No	orth	Ea	st	Sou	ith
Levin		ırd	Weins		Bathu	
Pass 3 ♠ *		ass ass	1N 3N	• •	Pas Pas	
Pass		ass	SIN	N I	Pas	55
3♠	1444					

Bathurst led the ♠6 taken by the queen. Nine tricks look a long way out, but maybe you can get three clubs and two in each of the other suits. It's also one of those classic notrump hands where any lead from the defense (especially from South) might help. So declarer's next move was the ♦6 to the jack, king and ace, making two tricks in this suit a distinct possibility. The ♠9 came back and Weinstein took his ace to prevent South playing that suit further. He continued diamonds and Bathurst took his gueen and played his other diamond, to avoid being thrown in with it on the next round to lead away from a black suit. With two tricks now in the bag in each pointed suit it was time to develop the second heart trick, and to get to dummy to get the clubs going. Declarer needs the ♥K onside, else a spade from North gives the defense five tricks, so he was pleased to see the ♥Q covered. Now the ♣10 to the jack queen and king and South exited his heart to dummy's jack. Next the thirteenth diamond was cashed, everyone discarding small spades, and when North discarded on the second round of clubs declarer could claim with dummy's ♣97 sat over South's ♣85. Very nicely played.



This hand gave every EW pair bar one a plus score. That is perhaps no surprise when NS cannot make book in any denomination, but it is a surprise that NS can't make book anywhere when they have 19 hcp. But then no one has an eight-card fit. Where West opened 2♥ or a Multi 2♠, as happened at most tables, North had no ideal call, but 2NT was the popular and

in my opinion sensible choice. Four Wests passed (!) but backed in with their suit later and played 2♥. Three Wests opened 1♥, one of which led to the only NS plus when this took EW to 3NT. Here too Levin-Weinstein were on vugraph for my commentary, this time facing Hallberg-Hult.

West	North	East	South
Levin	Hallberg	Weinstein	Hult
2♥	2NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

▼J-K-A-8, and Levin found the best continuation of a spade. Hallberg took two rounds of the suit and played a heart to set up two more tricks there, Weinstein discarding the ♣5. In with the ▼10 Levin played the ♣Q, then the ◆6 to the jack and queen, followed by a low club to the king, putting Hallberg to a discard from ♠Q10 ▼Q6 ◆K107, effectively squeezing him. He threw the ♠10 and now another club went to Weinstein's ace who could set up a long spade. Declarer made three spades and two hearts for three light; leading to this exchange in chat:

Rerack (Hallberg) >Table: well defended levin >Table: thx stevo (Weinstein) >Table: nice play bobby levin >Table: generally when stevo says dont play a suit i just play it stevo >Table: :-)

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INTRA-FINESSE

Toine van Hoof

Emile Schols (Macavity) made a fine play on board 10 of round 10.

Dealer East. Both Vul. **♦** J 10 9 8 6 3 **Y** K 9 4 10 2 **♣** 10 7 ♠ Q 7 4 ♥ A Q 5 J 10 3 2 K974 ♦ AQ53 ♣ A 8 6 5 4 ♣ Q 9 2 **A** K 5 2 **♥**876 ♣ K J 3

West	North	East	South
vBijsterveldt	McIntosh	E Schols	Paske
_	-	Pass	1♣
Pass	2♠*	Pass	3♠*
Dbl	Pass	4♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

2♠ weak 3♠ not inv

Put under pressure EW arrived in the ambitious contract of 4♥. South led the ace of spades and continued with the king, ruffed in dummy. Schols led a club from the board and when North followed with the 7 he played the 9, a genuine intra-finesse. South won with the jack and shifted to a trump. North took the queen with the king and played another trump to the ace. Schols came to hand with the ◆A and drew the outstanding trumps with the jack. He also cashed the ▼10 and two rounds of diamonds to get the full count. He now knew for sure that South had started with three clubs and advanced the &Q. South covered with the king and when the 10 appeared in North he could cash the ♣8 and, as a bonus, made the last trick with the ◆7. Well played. Team Macavity won 9 IMPs on this deal, as at the other table EW did not enter the bidding and collected 200 against 4♠.



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On camera Bob nominates his partner Hemant Lall for the ALT BeBridge Best Played Hand.



THE WORST BID IN BRIDGE

After a 2♦ Multi opening bid it is common practice to respond 2♠ with a decent hand and a heart fit. Already some 25 years ago Jan Jansma qualified this 2♠ as the worst bid in bridge. It denies a spade fit so if the opener retreats to hearts you have told your opponents that they have at least eight spades in the combined hands. It also denies a hand good enough for a strong relay, so basically you have invited them to bid 4♠. This is exactly what happened on board 8 of round 4:

Round 4. Board 8. Dealer West. None Vul.

- AQ
- ♣J109765
- **Y** K 10 9 8 7 2 Q42
- **4** 4 2
- Ε
- A 8 7
- J6543
- AK95 **♣** K
- KQ3
- J 108763
- ♣ A Q 8 3

- West North East South Mahmood Robson Stamatov Allfrev 2***** Pass 2♠* Pass 3♦* 4♠ **5Y** 6 Pass Pass Pass
- 2 worse weak two
- 2 pass or correct
- undiscussed

As soon as he heard that EW had a heart fit Andrew Robson jumped to 4. This sounded like music to the ears of Alexander Allfrey who raised him to 6♠. Jerry Stamatov did well not to double because the slam was cold. Robson ruffed the opening lead of the ◆A, ruffed the ♥Q with the ♠Q and played the ♠K. East ducked, won the next spade and returned a diamond. Declarer ruffed, drew the last trump and advanced the \$J. When the king appeared, he claimed twelve tricks: a splendid 980.

Team Orca lost 3 IMPs on the board as this happened at the other table:

>

West	North	East	South
Crouch	Gupta	Cooke	Korbel
2♥*	3♣	4♥	6♣
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

2♥ weak

Play was even quicker here: ♦A ruffed, club jack-king-ace, ♣Q and claim: 1090.

"Lucky", Naren Gupta wrote in the chat.
Peter Crouch complimented him: "Overcalling 3& worked great."

Gupta: "Yes, I was going to bid 3/4♠ next."

In none of the fourteen matches this was a push board. In total 134 IMPs changed hands. The NS scores varied from plus 1210 ($6 \pm X =$) to minus 800 ($5 \pm X - 4$).

WITH A LITTLE HELP

Toine van Hoof

Enver Koksoy (team Salvo) was the only declarer who, with a little help from his friends, brought in a 4♠ contract on board 13 of round 1.

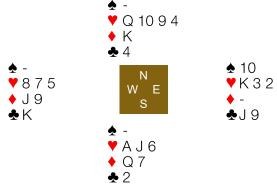
Round 1. Board 13. Dealer North. Both Vul.

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

West North East South Zorlu Fredin Koksov Anteker Pass Pass 1 1NT Pass 2♣ Pass Pass Pass Pass 4♠

Alon Apteker led his fifth best diamond against West's 4♠ contract. Declarer won the ♦10 with the ace, crossed to the ♣A and ran the ♠Q. Then he played the ♣J, which also held. Now Koksoy made the fine play of ruffing a diamond before drawing the last trump, South discarding a diamond. He then took the club finesse, losing to the queen. At the tables where declarer still had two trumps left, North now returned a heart for a dull down one. Here a heart return would have resulted in down two. However, Peter Fredin realized that if declarer had king-jack of hearts, a diamond return was necessary to give the defense a chance. It would force declarer to make the right guess in the heart suit later in the play. So he continued with ◆K, depriving declarer from his last trump in this ending:





If East after ruffing crosses to the ♣K and plays a heart to the king he is still two off. But Koksoy had other plans. He knew from the bidding that South had the ♥A as North would have opened a twelve count. So after crossing to the ♣K he endplayed South with the ♠Q. Apteker had to lead from his ♥A and declarer made the ♥K and ♣J: plus 620 and a gain of 12 IMPs for Salvo.

It cannot be a coincidence that Fredin is an anagram of 'friend', but Koksoy's best friend here was Apteker. In the given ending he should have jettisoned the •Q. Declarer gets a free trick with the •J but has to lose the last three tricks for down one.

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MOSS HIGHLIGHTS

Toine van Hoof

The neutral spectators were looking forward to an exciting final of the Alt NewCo 5, with the initially leading Moss team having dropped to second with three rounds to go. Sylvia Moss and her team, the winners of four earlier Alt events, trailed the Nickell team by 11.33 VPs. They would meet in the last round. It turned out a formality. Moss crushed the Red Devils (19.77-0.23) and Donner (19.52-0.48), while Nickell got beatings from Black (2.97-17.03) and Edmonds (2.03-17.97).

So with a margin of over 20 VPs the Moss team could loosen up and start celebrating. It behooved them that they didn't. In a well-played match they beat Nickell by 23 IMPs (15.56-4.44).

Moss-Red Devils





West	North	East	South
S Moss	De Roos	Lee	Arts
-	1♦*	2♣	2 ♠ *
Dbl	3♦	4♣	Pass
5♣	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

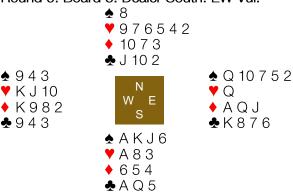
Overly optimistic bidding brought Roger Lee and Sylvia Moss in 5♣ doubled. Geert Arts led the ♦5 to his partner's ace. Not expecting South to have a six-card suit, Steve De Roos tried to cash the ♠Q. Curtains. Lee ruffed, carefully preserving the ♣4, drew two rounds of trumps, unblocked the spades, crossed to the ♣5 and claimed an overtrick: 950 to EW.

West	North	East	South
Van den Hove	Bathurst	Vandervorst	Hurd
-	1♦	2♣	3♣
3♠	4	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Another 130 to Moss and 14 IMPs.

Moss-Donner

Round 9. Board 3. Dealer South. EW Vul.



West	North	East	South
Donner	Lee	S Rimstedt	S Moss
_	-	-	1♣
Pass	2◆*	2♠	4♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

2 weak in either major

Expecting a spade lead Moss jumped to the heart game. Right she was. Gary Donner was not to blame for leading his partner's suit and Moss quickly chalked up ten tricks. Two diamond losers went away on the spades and with the •K onside she only lost two trumps and a diamond: 420 to NS.

West	North	East	South
Hurd	Grue	Bathurst	B Moss
-	-	-	1♣*
Pass	1♦*	1♠	Pass
2♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
1♣ strone	a: 1 • 0-7		

The contract went one off: still 8 IMPs to Moss.



Round 9. Board 15. Dealer South. NS Vul. **♠** A 7

> **7**97532 A 8 5 **♣** A K 2 Ν W E

♦ J986

1073

♣ 9 6

♥J1086

10 K Q 4 J 9 2 **♣**J87543

- ★ K Q 5 4 3 2
- KQ64 ♣ Q 10

The Donner team was rather unlucky in this match. Joe Grue and Brad Moss bid a grand slam that only needed the trumps to break three-two. They didn't, so Donner lost 13 IMPs against the modest 680 at the other table.

Moss-Nickell

Round 10. Board 12. Dealer West, NS Vul.

♠ A J 10 3 ♥AQJ954 ♦ K **♣**86

♠ Q975 **7** 3 2 A 7 6 5 4 3

♦ 4 2 **∀** K 7 6 **♦** J 8 ♣AJ9743

★ K86 **7** 10 8

Q 10 9 2 ♣ K Q 10 2

West Bathurst Pass Pass

♣ 5

North Fleisher 2**

East Hurd Pass South Martel Pass

2 4**★**+5/6**∀**, (10)11-15(16)

The Flannery opening bid did not particularly work well for Marty Fleisher. Hurd and Bathurst found the way to keep him to nine tricks: ♦J to the ace, ♣5 to the ace, club ruff and the ♥K still to come: 140 to NS.

West North East South Hampson Nowosadzki Greco Kalita Pass 1 💙 2♣* 3NT Pass **Pass Pass**

2 'can be light'

Eric Greco's 2♣ overcall wasn't timed very well either, though if left to their own devices, Michal Nowosadzki and Jacek Kalita may also have reached the right spot. Geoff Hampson led the ♣5 to declarer's 10. The ♥10 lost to the king and then the defense cashed their minor suit aces: 630 and 10 IMPs to Moss.

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SLEEPY IN SPADES

Toine van Hoof

How would you play this 4♠ contract?

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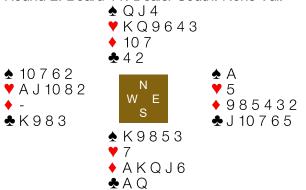
- **♠** QJ4
- ♥KQ9643
- **♦** 10 7
- **4** 4 2
- **★** K 9 8 5 3
- **Y** 7
- ♦ AKQJ6
- ♣ A Q

There was no adverse bidding (1 - 2 - 4). The lead is the 2. East wins the ace and shifts to the J. The finesse loses to the king. West returns a club to your ace. Take it from there.

What's the problem? You draw two rounds of trumps with the queen and the jack, East showing out and discarding two diamonds. You come to hand with a diamond, draw the last trump and claim. Would you do anything different if you were doubled? Or if this hand was presented to you in a bulletin?

This was the lay-out:

Round 2. Board 11. Dealer South. None Vul.



No less than five declarers, of which three from Group A, went down when they sleepily tried to return to hand in diamonds and saw West ruff. If anything, the diamond discards should have woken them up (only Piotr Zatorski pitched a heart and a diamond as East).

Mike Graham earned 10 IMPs for team Cantor by, after cashing ★J and ★Q, carefully exiting with the ♥Q. West won the ♥A but could do no harm. And how about East having the ♥A and seven clubs? Impossible in the light of the bidding.

Two other players made 4♠ after the same defense but they were doubled:



West	North	East	South
De Donder	O Rimstedt	De Roos	M Rimstedt
-	-	-	1♠
Pass	2 ♠ *	2NT*	Dbl
3♣	3♥	Pass	3NT
4♣	Pass	Pass	4♠
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Rdbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

2♠ 8-11 2NT minors

Mikael Rimstedt rose with the ♣A at trick 2, drew two rounds of trumps and played the ♥K. West won with the ace, cashed the ♣K but that was it: NS plus 880 and 14 IMPs to team Edmonds.

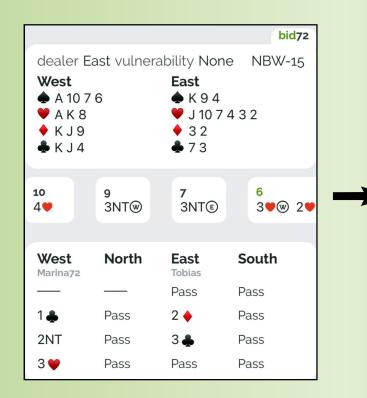
West	North	East	South
Dewit	Jones	VandeWiele	Smith
-	_	-	1♠
Pass	2♠	3♣	Dbl
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♠
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

Marc Smith followed the same path and when West, on lead with the ♥A, did not cash his ♣K, he had an overtrick: plus 690 and 7 IMPs to Jedi Knights.



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2 = Multi (0-6 HCP)

2NT = game invitational or better

3♣ = minimum or medium weak two in hearts

3♥ = sign-off

Lesson to learn (after 3♣):

3♦ = 'Last Train'

4♥ = good medium

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4 300					6	75	6	150	15	29	
5 200					7	60	7	125	16+	28	
6 100					8.	50	8	100			
					9.	40	9	75			
					10+	30					

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27	Thomas Paske (thomas1000)	1645	68	Sjoert Brink (sjoertbr)	1300	109	Jon Cooke (mugsmate)	930
28	David Bakhshi (bakhshi)	1635	69	David Burn (dburn)	1281	110	Stephen Peterkin (spil)	925
29	Peter Crouch (pitiful)	1625	70	Fredrik Jarlvik (freddy6)	1281	111	Finn Kolesnik (fkolesnik)	915
30	Geert Arts (stratreeg1)	1600	71	Mike Graham (mdgraham)	1281	112	Sam Punch (puncher)	900
31	Mike van der Vorst (ratabar)	1600	72	Tatyana Trendafilova (tuti)	1281	113	Kjeld Hansen (dkkello)	881
32	Naren Gupta (nareng)	1600	73	Ali Uçar (no weak)	1275	114	Gert-Jan Ros (rosgjw)	855
33	Philippe Caputo (caputo)	1600	74	Nezih Kubaç (nezihk)	1275	115	John Lesmeister (jlesme)	855
34	Sam Bahbout (sambah)	1600	75	Ömer Umur (ttlfb)	1275	116	Kees Bakker (keesbak)	855
35	Steve de Roos (stevedr)	1600	76	Marcel Verhaegen (marcel_ve)	1265	117	Alexander Allfrey (allfrey)	825
36	Steven de Donder (pikarek)	1600	77	Henrik Petersen (longrow)	1253	118	Erke Suiçmez (grundar)	825
37	Zia Mahmood (zia)	1600	78	Peter Lund (pelu)	1206	119	Frederic Volcker (fred92130)	750
38	David Chechelashvilli (dato)	1513	79	Alon Apteker (alonap)	1200	120	Esteban Vallet (rasko179)	703
39	Bauke Muller (beukertje)	1500	80	Gabriele Zanasi (zanna9)	1200	121	Pierre Bedouet (pi420)	703
40	Simon De Wijs (sm1)	1500	81	Johan Sylvan (joppesyl)	1200	122	Emil Jepsen (emilos)	700
41	Ai-Tai Lo (aitail)	1485	82	Richard Plackett (hoofie)	1175	123	Pim Coppens (PimCop)	675

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124 Brian Platnick (bplatnick)	650	186 Guy Mendes de Leon (Guymdl) 405 248 Flemming Poulsen (flemming98) 250
125 Daniel Korbel (dank)	650	187 Thibo Sprinkhuizen (Thibos) 405 249 Gergely Dombi (toki42) 250
126 Frank Bakkeren (fbak1)	650	188 Chip Martel (chip) 400 250 Hongji Wei (weihongji) 250
127 Jiang Gu (jiang_gu)	650	189 Eric Greco (greco) 400 251 Konrad Araszkiewicz (konrad80) 250
128 John Diamond (dimebags)	650	190 Gunther Dauwe (guntherd) 400 252 Krsysztof Kotorowicz (przedpelk) 250
129 Sedat Aluf (monk99)	650	191 Janice Seamon-Molson (janicem) 400 253 Peter Gal (galim) 250
130 Ton Bakkeren (tbak)	650	192 Jill Meyers (jillm) 400 254 Richie Coren (wambibird1) 250
131 David Jones (uncle mort)	645	193 Keith Balcombe (kbalcombe) 400 255 Sigurd Lauge Pedersen (sigurdlp) 250
132 Marc Smith (marcsmith)	645	194 Marty Fleisher (mfleisher) 400 256 Stig Werdelin (stigw) 250
133 Patrick Shields (patr1cks)	645	195 Sylvia Shi (sylviash) 400 257 Wei Zhang (zhangwei) 250
134 Bob Drijver (bobdrijver)	615	196 Tine Dobbels (teedeeke) 400 258 Wenyi Wang (failer) 250
135 Alan Mayo (alanmayo)	575	
136 David Muller (toukie)	575	198 Giovanni Donati (giova007) 380 260 Michael Barel (mich-b) 230
137 Rob Cliffe (simbiari)	575	199 Aris Bremer (arisbreem) 375 261 Bartosz Chmurski (chmurka) 228
138 Ming Sheng (kainsheng)	570	200 Jan van den Hoek (janonline) 375 262 Piotr Tuczynski (miszczu) 228
139 Cathy Baldysz (cathmark)	560	201 Kevin Castner (jafra) 353 263 Les Amoils (amoils) 203
140 Jacob Freeman (jacob04)	560	202 Phil King (philking) 353 264 Marcos Thoma (hawai) 203
141 Sophie Baldysz (zofiumb)	560	203 Andrea Manno (maqeda) 350 265 Tom Hanlon (kinder1) 203
142 Boye Brogeland (boye)	550	204 Ariel Braunstein (rel49) 350 266 Aran Warszawski (aran) 200
143 Espen Lindqvist (stevieg)	550	205 Dana Tal (danat85) 350 267 Ashwini Gupta (axpt11) 200
144 Martin Seligman (mseligman)	550	206 Eldad Ginossar (eldad) 350 268 Dan Israeli (dan_ehh) 200
145 Alex Kolesnik (Kolesnik)	535	207 Erik Saelensminde (skaal1) 350 269 Danny de Roos (daderoos) 200
146 Louk Verhees (Loukie)	530	208 Marcin Lesniewski (lesniak) 350 270 Georgi Gergov (gogogergov) 200
147 Ricco van Prooijen (Riccovp)	530	209 Mass. Di Franco (m_difranco) 350 271 Wouter van den Hove (woutte) 200
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148 Winston Huang (wshuang)	530	210 Noga Tal (nogatal) 350 272 Yordan Valkanov (dancho68) 200
149 Yaniv Zack (yanivz)	530	211 Ophir Reshef (oreshef) 350 273 Greg Hinze (ghinze) 190
150 Geir Helgemo (micelle45)	525	212 Shahar Zack (shaharz) 350 274 Jacob Morgan (jpmnbr) 190
151 Lasse Aaseng (lasseaa)	525	213 Simon Gillis (rayas78) 350 275 Karin Kelsey (KarinKelse) 190
152 Martin Andresen (mime477)	525	214 Kees Bouwen (kebosporto) 334 276 Kay Enfield (cx107) 190
153 Tom Johansen (brulle)	525	215 Antonio Sementa (Ilaria75) 330 277 Leo van der Brom (Lbrom) 180
154 Ed Hoogenkamp (altocampo)	510	216 Giorgia Botta (gio 89) 329 278 Kåre Bogø (osvaill83) 175
155 Andreas Plejdrup (andreasw)	505	217 Castor Mann (castor01) 328 279 Assaf Lengy (lengy) 150
156 Chen Zhao (zhaochen)	500	218 Jerry Stamatov (jerry72) 328 280 Cédric Lorenzini (pierced) 150
157 Hilda Setton (Idase)	500	219 Bas van Roosmalen (basvanr) 326 281 Ilan Bareket (bareket) 150
158 Jing Liu (liujing)	500	220 Hester Gast (hester02) 326 282 Jonathan Davis (davisbiz) 150
159 Paul Thurston (thurston)	500	221 A H M Kamruzzaman (zaman77) 325 283 Michel Schols (futuralis) 150
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160 Pierre Franceschetti (gewd)	500	222 Huub van der Wouden (kinkofklab)325 284 Marco Zomer (mczo) 147
161 Quentin Robert (ptit)	500	223 Krasnoselski Mikhail (coreman) 325 285 Allan Graves (algraves) 145
162 Eddie Malhasyan (master dj)	478	224 Martin Cantor (cantorm) 325 286 John Carruthers (jgc) 145
163 Jonathan Harris (jdache)	478	225 Matushko Georgi (matushko) 325 287 Martin Kirr (kirp) 145
164 Marusa Gold (marusab)	478	226 MD Moshiur Rahman (sumon80) 325 288 Mitch Dunitz (dunitz) 145
165 Todor Tiholov (polborta)	478	227 Pav. Sitthicharoensawat (popor) 325 289 Ross Grabel (rossg) 145
166 Dan McIntosh (danmac)	475	228 Rubina Agha (tagha) 325 290 Aristidis Sapounakis (asapou) 140
167 Graham Orsmond (grammmy)	475	229 Wen Hu (buqqy) 325 291 Dinos Doxiadis (rigas_karo) 140
168 Patryk Patreuha (patrys2)	475	230 Arjan Roelofs (arjannl) 305 292 Manolis Protonotarios (emprot) 140
169 Ge Sprinkhuizen (sprinksoet)	465	231 Jan de Winter (winjan) 305 293 Nikos Delimpaltadakis (nickd) 140
170 Onno Eskes (onno)	465	232 Victor Oranje (victornl) 305 294 Petros Roussos (peter1961) 140
171 Bart Nab (bnab)	450	233 Nathalie Saada (natsa) 300 295 Yan. Papakyriakopoulos (yankos) 140
172 Niall Igoe (ibraves)	450	234 Ewan McNay (ewan) 299 296 Barnet Shenkin (barnets) 130
173 Rumen Trendafilov (rumen)	450	235 Emile Schols (mkgnao) 298 297 Derek Diamond (derekd) 130
174 Steve Root (asnuttyas)	450	236 Dennis Dewit (hyperon) 293 298 Geir Brekka (kaninen) 130
175 Vladi Isporski (smileyv)	450	237 Emiel Vandewiele (blink128) 293 299 H Stornes (helsto) 130
176 Walter Schuster (schustmozz)	448	238 Baron NG Chi-Cheung (baron_ng)290 300 Nils Kvangraven (nils123) 130
177 Andrei Arlovich (goblin2000)	425	239 Mak Kwok Fai (kfmak) 290 301 Ollie Saur (saurdino) 130
178 Boguslaw Gierulski (bogier)	425	240 Alex Hong (fhong) 280 302 Steve Levinson (sc0tsteve) 130
179 Erikas Vainikonis (bookie_lt)	425	241 Edward Xu (edward3048) 280 303 Victor Silverstone (odysseus69) 130
180 Jakub Patreuha (patrys1)	425	242 Jiangfeng Luo (mossby3) 280 304 Charlie Bucknell (shisai) 128
181 Jerzy Skrzypczak (txt)	425	243 Yan Wang (wy7199) 280 305 Christopher Kemp (otemplar) 128
182 Vytautas Vainikonis (vainikonis)	425	244 Simon Cope (copeyj) 275 306 Erwin Witteveen (erwinw) 128
183 Wojciech Olanski (olanski)	425	245 Jason Pitt (scoobyroo) 270 307 Karen Arens (karenar) 128
184 Federico Primavera (fulldiRe)	408	246 Niels van Bijsterveldt (nielsvbij) 270 308 Marijn Huber (marijnhu) 128
185 Gabriella Olivieri (ollina)	408	247 Rob Helle (rhelle) 260 309 Martin van der Starre (martin001) 128
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310 Oliver Powell (kenzo13)	128	368	Patrick Lawrence (raggino)	75	426	Matthias Goll (mg65)	35
311 Stephen Kennedy (gamertabby)	128	369	Rene Stienen (baaxpee)	75		Sebastian Reim (reimer)	35
312 Frank van Gorp (toeval)	125	370	Vince Demuy (okvince)	75	428	Thomas Schmitt (tom s)	35
313 Gary Gottlieb (garybrook)	125	371	Adrian Thomas (sadnorth)	70	429	Ankush Khandelwal (fide51)	30
314 GQ Meng (menggq)	125	372	Richard Chamberlain (rmchamb)	70	430	Bernie Greenspan (BernieG)	30
315 Irena Chodorowska (ich1)	125		Thomas Albertz (oli64)	70		Cameron Small (cameron_1	30
316 Jan Chodorowski (jancho)	125		Tony Disley (ryegc)	70		Casey Vandeputte (caseyvdpt)	30
317 Jan van Cleeff (imp_jan)	125		Gökhan Yilmaz (yilmAaz_g)	65		Cees Slot (caselock)	30
318 Leonardo Cima (100dog)	125		Lynne Koeppel (Igkoeppel)	65		Daniel Lavee (thekid1)	30
319 Marina Witvliet (donkeym)	125		Okay Gur (okay gur)	65		Elizabeth Gahan (lizgahan)	30
320 MD Ashifur Chowdhury (rajib bo			Raluca Dobrescu (ralooka)	65		Ellen Hessel (chongo)	30
321 Norman Mandell (splinternm)	125	379	Ted Greenberg (ted greenb)	65	437	Ewa Wieczorek (ew19)	30
322 Oliver Segal (oseg63)	125	380	Geeske Joel (yoshka)	63	438	Fred Schenker (JBCoyle)	30
323 Waseem Naqvi (waseem)	125	381	Anastasia Makarova (nastyamak)	60	439	Han Begas (hanb)	30
324 Zia Ul Haque Shah (march26)	125	382	Egor Stolyarov (stolyarov)	60	440	llan Cohen (llan13)	30
325 Mustafa cem Tokay (tokay1975)	115	383	Elizaveta Vakhraneva (lizaveta 2)	60	441	llan Herbst (ilanh)	30
326 Alison Wilson (Flyfalcon)	105		Irina Yun (irina yun)	60		Ira Hessel (lesinge)	30
327 Luc Tijssen (Luctijs)	105		Ish Delmonte (ishd)	60		James Holzauer (Oskillz)	30
328 Veri Kiljian (Vkill)	105		Ivan Tatarkin (ivankrut)	60		John Bishel (rxguy2)	30
329 Kees Rentes (7slaper)	103		Vsevolod Zubov (sevkaz)	60		Lance Kerr (lkerr)	30
330 Nick Smith (rogerhunt)	103		Linda Robinson (saba)	57		Lawrence Wang (lawrence94)	30
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331 Adalsteinn Jorgensen (jorgi)	100		Nils Verhoeve (slin55)	57		Marcus Been (bendezz)	30
332 Alain Levy (evil)	100		Dusan Stevák (dustek)	50		Marcus Been (dendezz)	30
333 Anam Tebha (anamtebha)	100		Eduard Velecky (edowell)	50		Nico Klaver (tttiger)	30
334 Bjarni Einarsson (einarsson)	100		Hans Vergoed (mrverygood)	50		Olivier de Haas (olliebol)	30
335 Cezary Serek (cezar1966)	100	393	Jakub Jakabsic (oldo)	50	451	Pim Dupont (pimdup)	30
336 Chris Parker (cmp56)	100	394	Jakub Rumancik (the_dagda)	50	452	Rene Hermans (galileo60)	30
337 Csaba Czimer (csabi)	100	395	Jan Timmer (janhamer1)	50	453	Ronnie Barr (ronniebarr)	30
338 Einar Gudjohnsen (einarusa)	100	396	Juraj Kvocek (big baran)	50	454	Tom Bishel (tobias31)	30
339 Gabor Macskasy (macsek)	100	397	Krzysztof Cichy (megafoncub)	50	455	Tom Reynolds (tomreynold)	30
340 George Mittelman (mittmouse)	100		Marián Henc (hewex)	50		Yining Yang (candyhaws)	30
341 Gyorgy Kemeny (kemeny)	100		Martin Vodicka (vodka47)	50		Youp Caris (youpmaster)	30
342 Ivan Nanev (inanev)	100		Miro Ploscica (mirop)	50		Aaron Silverstein (aarons)	29
343 Jan Lagerman (jan_l)	100		Oscar Nijssen (oscar2000)	50		Andrew Rosenthal (andrewr)	29
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344 Jón Baldursson (icebaldi)	100		Peter Belcák (blog)	50		, ,	29
345 Kerri Sanborn (kerri)	100		Ruth Fleischmann (ruthiesrun)	50		Marten La Haye (martenha)	29
346 Mårten Gustawsson (lagom)	100		Stanislaw Golebiowski (stasgol)	50		Migry Zur Campanile (migry)	29
347 Matthias Thorvaldsson (icecat)	100		Tim van de Paverd (tim_p)	50		Nancy Katz (heart27)	29
348 Odin Svendsen (pirrum)	100		Tomasz Kielbasa (domestos70)	50		Alan Wilson (spyderw)	28
349 Peter Talyigas (taliga)	100		Yael Topiol (top_33)	50		Ali Ahmed (sheikohear)	28
350 Peter Trenka (trp42)	100	408	Neil Chambers (neilc)	45	466	Claire Robinson (geordiec)	28
351 Rosen Gunev (8888)	100	409	Willem Alink (willemfbf)	45	467	Eric Schwartz (waldorf1)	28
352 Stewart Rubenstein (stewr)	100	410	Barbara Shinier (popdog)	40	468	Eugene Hung (eyhung)	28
353 Sverrir Armannsson (gauksi)	100	411	Barry Senensky (barrysen)	40	469	Howard Liu (hackenbush)	28
354 Tamas Szalka (szalkat)	100		Filippos Karamanlis (firfos7)	40	470	Ira Chorush (chorush)	28
355 Trevor Matthews (skelcot)	100		Filippos Kritsalis (stalac)	40		Jason Feldman (jfeld)	28
356 Wojciech Strzemecki (ojtan)	100		Kevin Gotink (kefman23)	40		Luuk Hoogeveen (luukh)	28
357 René van Dijk (rvandijk)	98		Kostantinos Kontomiros (zlatan)	40		Max Schireson (mschireson)	28
358 Thijis Hoebe (hoethi)	88		Maria Mylläri (lucky 7)	40		Olivia Schireson (oschireson)	28
			Nickolas Karapanos (kara1223)				
359 Steve Green (bashgrove)	85 79			40		Paul Barden (aardv)	28
360 Ulrike Schuster (chrispe1)	78 75		Richard Chan (honestgolf)	40		Timo Erkoc (mrace)	28
361 David Barker (cueballs)	75 75		Tasos Koukouselis (lelos)	40		Tracy Capal (tra6y)	28
362 Elly Schippers (eltje)	75		Vasilis Vroustis (bill123)	40		Vincent Gaillard (vincentg)	28
363 Ida Gronkvist (halko)	75		Anne Gladiator (anneca)	35		Warner Solomon (warnie)	28
364 John Kranyak (jkrans)	75		Christian Bakke (chrien)	35	480	Will Watson (willwats)	28
365 John Wilson (jfrw)	75		Daniela von Arnim (darnim)	35			
366 Mikael Gronkvist (mike_g)	75		David Hoffner (liondh)	35			
367 Oliver Lawrence (lawrenzo)	75	425	Guido Hopfenheit (fuss)	35			

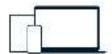


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Round 1. 16 boards. Monday, 24 May 2021, 10:00 EDT / 16:00 CET

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IUI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
1	+ BLACK	DONNER	16	<u>19</u>	<u>55</u>			2.41	17.59
2	EDMONDS	MOSS MOSS	16	28	63			2.55	17.45
3	NICKELL	RED DEVILS	16	26	19			12.03	7.97

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
4	VINITA	GUPTA	16	33	21			13.28	6.72
5	NEW AMATEURS	+ ORCA	16	41	45			8.80	11.20
6	C SALVO	FREDIN	16	32	24			12.29	7.71

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	Home ream		Bra	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
7	CANTOR	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	16	<u>15</u>	21			8.24	11.76
8	RIPPEY	LEBOWITZ	16	64	42			15.38	4.62
9	MACAVITY	НОК	16	38	51			6.48	13.52

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting learn	Bra	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
<u>10</u>	BRILLIANT ORANGE	BUQQY	16	44	30			13.75	6.25
11	+ HARRIS	+ PC PLUS	16	44	28			14.18	5.82
12	MIXED NUTS	QUARANTEAM	16	44	30			13.75	6.25
<u>13</u>	+ TILLY	PARSLEY	16	43	24			14.80	5.20
14	№ NETBRIDGE	HERRES!	16	34	56			4.62	15.38

Round 3. 16 boards. Tuesday, 25 May 2021, 10:00 EDT / 16:00 CET

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting learn	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
1	+ BLACK	NICKELL	16	8	<u>85</u>			0.00	20.00
2	MOSS	RED DEVILS	16	37	3			17.31	2.69
3	EDMONDS	DONNER	16	35	44			7.45	12.55

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VP	s
TDI	nome ream	Visiting realii	Biu	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
4	<u>VINITA</u>	C- SALVO	16	<u>35</u>	14			15.19	4.81
<u>5</u>	+ ORCA	FREDIN	16	33	14			14.80	5.20
<u>6</u>	NEW AMATEURS	GUPTA	16	24	18			11.76	8.24

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome learn	visiting ream	Bra	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
7	CANTOR	MACAVITY	16	9	27			5.40	14.60
8	LEBOWITZ	— нок	16	36	23			13.52	6.48
9	RIPPEY	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	16	15	31			5.82	14.18

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
<u>10</u>	BRILLIANT ORANGE	QUARANTEAM	16	30	33			9.09	10.91
11	+ PC PLUS	+ TILLY	16	39	<u>25</u>			13.75	6.25
<u>12</u>	BUQQY	HERRES!	16	41	10			16.88	3.12
<u>13</u>	NETBRIDGE	+ HARRIS	16	28	10			14.60	5.40
14	MIXED NUTS	PARSLEY	16	26	18			12.29	7.71

Round 2. 16 boards. Monday, 24 May 2021, 12:30 EDT / 18:30 CET

ты	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
1	MOSS	BLACK	16	20	26			8.24	11.7
2	DONNER	NICKELL	16	19	14			11.48	8.5
3	RED DEVILS	EDMONDS	16	49	33			14.18	5.8

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VP	s
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
4	+ ORCA	VINITA	16	41	16			15.92	4.08
5	GUPTA	SALVO	16	29	19			12.80	7.20
6	FREDIN	NEW AMATEURS	16	42	14			16.42	3.58

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	Home leam	visiting ream	bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
Z	LEBOWITZ	CANTOR	16	<u>70</u>	23			18.87	1.13
8	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	MACAVITY	16	47	29			14.60	5.40
9	<u>нок</u>	RIPPEY	16	23	46			4.44	15.56

ТЫ	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
10	BRILLIANT ORANGE	+ PC PLUS	16	41	38			10.91	9.09
11	BUQQY	QUARANTEAM	16	38	18			15.00	5.00
12	+ HARRIS	+ TILLY	16	38	21			14.39	5.61
13	HERRES!	MIXED NUTS	16	32	<u>56</u>			4.26	15.74
14	PARSLEY	NETBRIDGE	16	44	2			18.33	1.67

Round 4. 16 boards. Tuesday, 25 May 2021, 12:30 EDT / 18:30 CET

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	Home ream	visiting ream	Biu	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
1	RED DEVILS	H BLACK	16	<u>36</u>	61			4.08	15.92
2	NICKELL	EDMONDS	16	75	6			20.00	0.00
3	DONNER	MOSS	16	27	54			3.74	16.26

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMI	Ps	Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
4	FREDIN	VINITA	16	52	25			16.26	3.74
<u>5</u>	C SALVO	NEW AMATEURS	16	<u>57</u>	41			14.18	5.82
6	GUPTA	+ ORCA	16	56	40			14.18	5.82

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	Home leam	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
Z	<u>нок</u>	CANTOR	16	31	46			6.03	13.97
8	MACAVITY	RIPPEY	16	38	37			10.31	9.69
9	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	LEBOWITZ	16	13	47			2.69	17.31

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Toom	Brd	IM	Ps	Adj		VPs	
IDI	Home Team	Visiting Team	Bra	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
<u>10</u>	BRILLIANT ORANGE	+ TILLY	16	21	84			0.00	20.00
11	QUARANTEAM	HERRES!	16	34	46			6.72	13.28
12	+ PC PLUS	NETBRIDGE	16	24	14			12.80	7.20
13	PARSLEY	BUQQY	16	45	61			5.82	14.18
14	+ HARRIS	MIXED NUTS	16	35	31			11.20	8.80

RESULTS (continued)

Round 5. 16 boards. Wednesday, 26 May 2021, 10:00 EDT / 16:00 CET

ТЫ	Home Team	Visiting Team	Ded	Brd IMPs Adj		Bad IMPs Adj V		Adj		s
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Biu	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	
1	+ BLACK	EDMONDS	16	49	Z			18.33	1.67	
2	RED DEVILS	DONNER	16	33	Z			16.09	3.91	
3	MOSS	MICKELL NICKELL	16	36	22			13.75	6.25	

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	Home ream	visiting ream	Biu	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
4	VINITA	NEW AMATEURS	16	31	3			16.42	3.58
<u>5</u>	FREDIN	GUPTA	16	35	9			16.09	3.91
6	+ ORCA	C SALVO	16	19	8			13.04	6.96

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bra	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
Z	CANTOR CANTOR	RIPPEY	16	31	4			16.26	3.74
8	НОК	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	16	21	18			10.91	9.09
9	LEBOWITZ	MACAVITY	16	45	11			17.31	2.69

Tbl	Home Team	Malting Toom	Brd	IMI	Ps	A	dj	VF	s
IDI	Home Team	Visiting Team	Bra	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
<u>10</u>	BRILLIANT ORANGE	HERRES!	16	32	19			13.52	6.48
11	+ TILLY	NETBRIDGE	16	49	2			18.87	1.13
12	QUARANTEAM	PARSLEY	16	17	24			7.97	12.03
13	MIXED NUTS	+ PC PLUS	16	20	43			4.44	15.56
14	BUQQY	+ HARRIS	16	31	19			13.28	6.72

Round 7. 16 boards. Thursday, 27 May 2021, 10:00 EDT / 16:00 CET

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	Home ream	visiting ream	ыч	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
1	H BLACK	MOSS	16	43	20			15.56	4.44
2	NICKELL NICKELL	DONNER	16	31	20			13.04	6.96
3	EDMONDS	RED DEVILS	16	6	26			5.00	15.00

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
4	VINITA	+ ORCA	16	39	15			15.74	4.26
5	C SALVO	GUPTA	16	26	20			11.76	8.24
6	NEW AMATEURS	FREDIN	16	38	30			12.29	7.71

ТЫ	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
Z	CANTOR	LEBOWITZ	16	25	<u>19</u>			11.76	8.24
8	MACAVITY	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	16	4	58			0.48	19.52
9	RIPPEY	<u></u> нок	16	12	30			5.40	14.60

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IM	Ps	A	dj	VI	s
101	nome ream	visiting ream	bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
<u>10</u>	BRILLIANT ORANGE	PARSLEY	16	24	45			4.81	15.19
11	NETBRIDGE	MIXED NUTS	16	42	41			10.31	9.69
12	HERRES!	HARRIS	16	10	23			6.48	13.52
13	BUQQY	+ TILLY	16	19	10			12.55	7.45
14	QUARANTEAM	+ PC PLUS	16	36	10			16.09	3.91

Round 6. 16 boards. Wednesday, 26 May 2021, 12:30 EDT / 18:30 CET

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
101	nome ream	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
1	DONNER	+ BLACK	16	<u>35</u>	44			7.45	12.55
2	MOSS	EDMONDS	16	28	49			4.81	15.19
3	RED DEVILS	NICKELL	16	32	46			6.25	13.75

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VP	s
IDI	Home ream	visiting realii	Biu	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
4	GUPTA	VINITA	16	62	41			15.19	4.81
<u>5</u>	+ ORCA	NEW AMATEURS	16	40	36			11.20	8.80
6	FREDIN	C SALVO	16	65	26			17.97	2.03

Tbl	Home Team	Malda - Tara	Brd	IMI	Ps	Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome leam	Visiting Team	Bra	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
7	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	CANTOR	16	20	10			12.80	7.20
8	LEBOWITZ	RIPPEY	16	29	64			2.55	17.45
9	НОК	MACAVITY	16	46	35			13.04	6.96

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IM	Ps	A	dj	VI	s
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bra	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
<u>10</u>	BRILLIANT ORANGE	NETBRIDGE	16	52	<u>16</u>			17.59	2.41
11	HERRES!	PARSLEY	16	32	31			10.31	9.69
12	+ TILLY	MIXED NUTS	16	37	19			14.60	5.40
13	+ HARRIS	QUARANTEAM	16	37	35			10.61	9.39
14	+ PC PLUS	BUQQY	16	12	59			1.13	18.87

Round 8. 16 boards. Thursday, 27 May 2021, 12:30 EDT / 18:30 CET

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VF	s
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bra	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
1	NICKELL	+ BLACK	16	14	46			2.97	17.03
2	RED DEVILS	MOSS	16	28	85			0.23	19.77
3	DONNER	EDMONDS	16	14	35			4.81	15.19

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream	Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
4	C SALVO	VINITA	16	17	<u>50</u>			2.83	17.17
5	FREDIN	+ ORCA	16	22	28			8.24	11.76
6	GUPTA	NEW AMATEURS	16	35	47			6.72	13.28

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting leam	Bra	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
7	MACAVITY	CANTOR	16	13	45			2.97	17.03
8	нок	LEBOWITZ	16	33	32			10.31	9.69
9	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	RIPPEY	16	47	21			16.09	3.91

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI			Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
<u>10</u>	BRILLIANT ORANGE	MIXED NUTS	16	48	19			16.58	3.42
11	PARSLEY	+ HARRIS	16	48	32			14.18	5.82
12	NETBRIDGE	BUQQY	16	44	19			15.92	4.08
13	+ PC PLUS	HERRES!	16	64	29			17.45	2.55
14	+ TILLY	QUARANTEAM	16	27	42			6.03	13.97

RESULTS and MORE

Round 9. 16 boards. Friday, 28 May 2021, 10:00 EDT / 16:00 CET

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VF	s
IDI				Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
1	+ BLACK	RED DEVILS	16	19	37			5.40	14.60
2	EDMONDS	NICKELL	16	58	19			17.97	2.03
3	MOSS	DONNER	16	69	<u>15</u>			19.52	0.41

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI			Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
4	VINITA	FREDIN	16	<u>57</u>	25			17.03	2.97
5	NEW AMATEURS	C SALVO	16	34	39			8.52	11.48
6	+ ORCA	GUPTA GUPTA	16	18	36			5.40	14.60

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VF	s
IDI		visiting ream		Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
Z	CANTOR	— нок	16	39	30			12.55	7.45
8	RIPPEY	MACAVITY	16	27	49			4.62	15.38
9	LEBOWITZ	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	16	42	41			10.31	9.69

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI			Bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
<u>10</u>	BRILLIANT ORANGE	+ HARRIS	16	<u>37</u>	41			8.80	11.20
11	MIXED NUTS	BUQQY	16	<u>15</u>	<u>56</u>			1.79	18.21
<u>12</u>	PARSLEY	+ PC PLUS	16	31	21			12.80	7.20
<u>13</u>	QUARANTEAM	NETBRIDGE	16	42	50			7.71	12.29
14	HERRES!	+ TILLY	16	30	26			11.20	8.80

UPCOMING ALT EVENTS

21 - 25 June 2021 New Alt Competition - Event 6

26 - 30 July 2021 Alt Elevator (Super NewCo)

9 - 12 August 2021 New Alt Competition - Event 7

23 - 27 August 2021 Alt - to be announced...

6 - 10 September 2021 Alt - to be announced...

20 - 24 September 2021 New Alt Competition - Event 8

11 - 15 October 2021 Alt - to be announced...

25 - 29 October 2021 New Alt Competition - Event 9

8 - 12 November 2021 New Alt Competition - Event 10

15 - 19 November 2021 Alt - to be announced...

13 - 17 December 2021 New Alt Competition - Event X

Round 10. 16 boards. Friday, 28 May 2021, 12:30 EDT / 18:30 CET

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting ream		Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
1	EDMONDS	+ BLACK	16	24	47			4.44	15.56
2	DONNER	RED DEVILS	16	<u>51</u>	9			18.33	1.67
3	NICKELL NICKELL	MOSS	16	12	35			4.44	15.56

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI				Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
4	NEW AMATEURS	VINITA	16	28	<u>36</u>			7.71	12.29
<u>5</u>	GUPTA	FREDIN	16	21	17			11.20	8.80
6	C SALVO	+ ORCA	16	55	37			14.60	5.40

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team	Brd	IMPs		Adj		VPs	
IDI	nome ream	visiting learn	bru	Home	Visit	Home	Visit	Home	Visit
Z	RIPPEY	CANTOR	16	22	43			4.81	15.19
8	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	<u>нок</u>	16	23	45			4.62	15.38
9	MACAVITY	LEBOWITZ	16	29	51			4.62	15.38

	Ranking after round	10
rk	Group A	VPs
1	MOSS	137.11
2	BLACK	114.52
3	NICKELL	103.03
4	DONNER	87.30
5	RED DEVILS	82.76
6	EDMONDS	75.28

	Ranking after round 10	
rk	Group B	VPs
1	VINITA	119.75
2	FREDIN	106.08
3	GUPTA	103.09
4	+ ORCA	98.80
5	C SALVO	88.14
6	NEW AMATEURS	84.14

	Ranking after round	10
rk	Group C	VPs
1	+ JEDI KNIGHTS	118.75
2	LEBOWITZ	117.80
3	CANTOR	108.73
4	НОК	98.45
5	RIPPEY	86.38
6	MACAVITY	69.89

Ranking after round 9	
Group D	VPs
BUQQY	119.30
+ TILLY	102.41
PARSLEY	100.95
BRILLIANT ORANGE	95.05
+ HARRIS	93.04
+ PC PLUS	86.71
QUARANTEAM	84.01
MIXED NUTS	75.32
HERRES!	73.06
NETBRIDGE	70.15
	Group D BUQQY TILLY PARSLEY BRILLIANT ORANGE HARRIS PC PLUS QUARANTEAM MIXED NUTS HERRES!

2021 NEW ALT COMPETITION (NewCo)

Alt Team Points Ranking

rk	Team	Total Points	Event 1	Event 2	Event 3	Event 4	Event 5	Event 6	Event 7	Event 8	Event 9	Event 10
1	MOSS	2450	450	500	500	500	500					
2	DONNER	1650	400	450	200	300	300					
=	EDMONDS	1650	300	400	400	450	100					
4	RED DEVILS	1600	500	200	300	400	200					
5	BLACK	1450	200	100	300	400	450					
6	DE BOTTON	1400	450	300	450	200						
7	LEBOWITZ	1325	500	400	100	75	250					
8	FREDIN	1200	100	150	300	300	350					
9	ORCA	1175	200	75	350	350	200					
10	VINITA	1055	30	175	150	300	400					
11	SALVO	850	50	200	400	100	100					
12	ALTSHULER	825	125	300	200	200						
=	CANTOR	825	150	200	75	200	200					
14	NICKELL	800	400	2-			400	1				
15	NEW AMATEURS	775	200	300	100	100	75					
16	GUPTA	700	300	100		_	300					
17	нок	655	30	125	200	150	150					
18	JEDI KNIGHTS	645	30	40	100	175	300					
19	RIPPEY	550	75	75	100	200	100					
20	SKEIDAR	525	175	350								
21	OBJECTIVITY (IMP)	515	40	50	175	250						
22	BRIDGESCANNER	425	100		250	75						
23	GILLIS	350	100	250	(1 55)	-						
24	ULI	330	30		200	100						
25	BUQQY	325		92	-	125	200					
26	PARSLEY	300		-	75	75	150					
27	HARRIS	295	30	30	75	60	100					
28	CANADIAN & FRIENDS	280	30	60	150	40	20					
29	QUARANTEAM	250	60	100	-	30	60					
30	NETBRIDGE	245	30	30	125	30	30					
31	MACAVITY	225		<u> </u>		150	75					
32	ZHAO	200		200	:==	-						
33	MIXED NUTS	190	30	30	50	30	50					
34	FOLLOW SUIT (ISRAEL)	180	30	150								
35	TILLY	175					175					
36	BRILLIANT ORANGE	125		22	-		125					
37	WILSON	105	30	75			-					
38	BRIDGE42	100				100						
=	GREECE	100		100	-	_	<u>=</u>					
=	HERRES!	100			30	30	40					
-	RED TURTLE	100	30		40	30						
42	PC PLUS	75			-		75					
43	RUSSIA JR	60			60							
44	SLOVAKIA	50				50						
45	KOEPPEL	30	30									
=	LEVINSON	30				30						
=	SMALL IN NAME ONLY	30	30			-		5				
=	VANDEPUTTE	30			-	30						

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