

PBC Slam Dunk 7 Sep 2021
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<p>N Deals None Vul</p> <p>♠ Q43 ♥ 865 ♦ 106 ♣ 96432</p> <p>1</p>	<p>E Deals N-S Vul</p> <p>♠ K105 ♥ K54 ♦ Q107 ♣ AKJ3</p> <p>2</p>
<p>♠ 87 ♥ QJ9732 ♦ J73 ♣ AK</p> <p>2 11 19 8</p> <p>♠ J1065 ♥ A10 ♦ 92 ♣ QJ1075</p> <p>EW 6N; EW 6♥; EW 6♦; EW 4♠; EW 1♣; Par -990: EW 6N=</p>	<p>♠ 974 ♥ A98 ♦ 96542 ♣ 75</p> <p>16 4 12 8</p> <p>♠ QJ832 ♥ 103 ♦ K ♣ Q8642</p> <p>NS 4♠; NS 4♣; NS 1N; EW 2♦; EW 1♥; Par +500: EW 5♦x-3</p>

<p>S Deals E-W Vul</p> <p>♠ AKQ62 ♥ Q ♦ 642 ♣ AK86</p> <p>3</p>	<p>W Deals Both Vul</p> <p>♠ AK ♥ K6 ♦ KJ10873 ♣ 865</p> <p>4</p>
<p>♠ 1098 ♥ 1097652 ♦ 95 ♣ 72</p> <p>18 0 9 13</p> <p>♠ 74 ♥ AJ3 ♦ J1073 ♣ QJ109</p> <p>NS 6N; NS 6♠; NS 5♦; NS 4♣; NS 1♥; Par +990: NS 6N=</p>	<p>♠ Q1075 ♥ AQ109 ♦ Q ♣ QJ97</p> <p>14 13 1 12</p> <p>♠ J43 ♥ 7432 ♦ A ♣ AK1042</p> <p>NS 3N; NS 4♦; NS 4♣; NS 1♠; NS 1♥; Par +600: NS 3N=</p>

<p>N Deals N-S Vul</p> <p>♠ Q542 ♥ 854 ♦ 7 ♣ KQJ83</p> <p>5</p>	<p>E Deals E-W Vul</p> <p>♠ A98542 ♥ A875 ♦ 1063 ♣ —</p> <p>6</p>
<p>♠ A7 ♥ KQ10632 ♦ AKQ ♣ 75</p> <p>8 18 12 2</p> <p>♠ J10986 ♥ J9 ♦ 986 ♣ 1094</p> <p>EW 7N; EW 7♥; EW 7♦; EW 1♣; Par -1520: EW 7N=</p>	<p>♠ J7 ♥ 1064 ♦ K7 ♣ AQ10985</p> <p>8 10 12 10</p> <p>♠ 10 ♥ KQ932 ♦ J42 ♣ KJ76</p> <p>EW 4♣; NS 2♥; EW 1N; W 2♦; NS 1♠; E 1♦; Par -130: EW 4♣=</p>

<p>S Deals Both Vul</p> <p>♠ 865 ♥ 762 ♦ J107 ♣ A752</p> <p>7</p>	<p>W Deals None Vul</p> <p>♠ A1085 ♥ AK763 ♦ 5 ♣ A42</p> <p>8</p>
<p>♠ QJ72 ♥ A ♦ AQ632 ♣ QJ8</p> <p>5 16 10 9</p> <p>♠ A93 ♥ KQJ93 ♦ 85 ♣ 1094</p> <p>EW 4♠; EW 4♥; EW 3N; EW 3♦; EW 3♣; Par -620: EW 4♥=; EW 4♠=</p>	<p>♠ KQJ9432 ♥ 9 ♦ 73 ♣ QJ8</p> <p>15 9 7 9</p> <p>♠ 76 ♥ 85 ♦ AQ1084 ♣ K1053</p> <p>NS 3N; NS 3♥; N 4♣; NS 3♦; S 3♣; NS 1♠; Par +400: NS 3N=</p>

<p>N Deals None Vul</p> <p>♠ AKJ872 ♥ 4 ♦ 9854 ♣ 64</p> <p>9</p>	<p>E Deals Both Vul</p> <p>♠ A973 ♥ 3 ♦ J1087 ♣ 9643</p> <p>10</p>
<p>♠ 654 ♥ AQ732 ♦ K73 ♣ K8</p> <p>8 12 14 6</p> <p>♠ 103 ♥ J98 ♦ QJ10 ♣ Q10932</p> <p>EW 4♥; NS 2♠; EW 1N; EW 2♣; EW 1♦; Par -300: NS 4♠x-2</p>	<p>♠ KQ4 ♥ 1097652 ♦ K ♣ KQ8</p> <p>5 13 13 9</p> <p>♠ J1082 ♥ A8 ♦ 9653 ♣ A72</p> <p>EW 4♥; EW 2N; NS 1♠; EW 1♦; EW 1♣; Par -620: EW 4♥=</p>

<p>S Deals None Vul</p> <p>♠ J3 ♥ AJ3 ♦ J84 ♣ A8762</p> <p>11</p>	<p>W Deals N-S Vul</p> <p>♠ A94 ♥ 42 ♦ J10872 ♣ Q64</p> <p>12</p>
<p>♠ Q962 ♥ 7 ♦ AK93 ♣ J954</p> <p>11 10 7 12</p> <p>♠ 85 ♥ 984 ♦ Q10762 ♣ KQ3</p> <p>NS 6♥; NS 4♠; NS 2N; EW 2♦; Par +980: NS 6♥=</p>	<p>♠ 8762 ♥ Q103 ♦ 6 ♣ KJ1082</p> <p>7 6 13 14</p> <p>♠ J3 ♥ A765 ♦ A54 ♣ A975</p> <p>NS 4♦; EW 4♣; NS 2♠; EW 1N; EW 1♥; Par +100: EW 5♣x-1</p>

<p>N Deals Both Vul</p> <p>♠ K9652 ♥ K974 ♦ 98 ♣ 98</p> <p>13</p>	<p>E Deals None Vul</p> <p>♠ 5 ♥ J1064 ♦ AQJ1074 ♣ A7</p> <p>14</p>
<p>♠ J10873 ♥ 63 ♦ 73 ♣ A732</p> <p>6 5 14 15</p> <p>♠ Q4 ♥ 2 ♦ AQJ104 ♣ KQ1065</p> <p>NS 4♥; EW 3♣; NS 1N; EW 2♦; EW 1♠; Par +500: EW 5♣x-2</p>	<p>♠ AK10 ♥ 85 ♦ K98 ♣ QJ1052</p> <p>12 13 8 7</p> <p>♠ J97 ♥ AQ932 ♦ 52 ♣ 863</p> <p>NS 6♥; NS 6♦; EW 2♠; NS 1N; EW 1♣; Par +800: EW 6♠x-4</p>

<p>S Deals N-S Vul</p> <p>♠ AJ109 ♥ AQ103 ♦ 102 ♣ AQ6</p> <p>15</p>	<p>W Deals E-W Vul</p> <p>♠ J1072 ♥ 872 ♦ 852 ♣ Q54</p> <p>16</p>
<p>♠ 54 ♥ K9 ♦ QJ953 ♣ K1093</p> <p>17 9 1 13</p> <p>♠ 832 ♥ J754 ♦ 876 ♣ 542</p> <p>NS 6♠; NS 5N; NS 5♥; NS 4♣; NS 3♦; Par +1430: NS 6♠=</p>	<p>♠ KQ985 ♥ Q10 ♦ KQ3 ♣ AJ9</p> <p>3 17 14 6</p> <p>♠ — ♥ AK543 ♦ A94 ♣ K8632</p> <p>EW 7♥; EW 7♣; EW 6N; EW 5♠; EW 5♦; Par -2210: EW 7♥=</p>

<p>N Deals None Vul</p> <p>♠ J52 ♥ AKJ1032 ♦ 1072 ♣ 3</p> <p>17</p>	<p>E Deals N-S Vul</p> <p>♠ 1052 ♥ K1096 ♦ K1074 ♣ 94</p> <p>18</p>
<p>♠ AKQ9 ♥ — ♦ KQ543 ♣ AJ95</p> <p>9 19 8 4</p> <p>♠ 10863 ♥ 84 ♦ AJ6 ♣ K862</p> <p>EW 7♠; EW 7♦; EW 6♣; NS 2♥; EW 1N; Par -1510: EW 7♠=</p>	<p>♠ A976 ♥ AQ7 ♦ J9 ♣ J732</p> <p>6 12 15 7</p> <p>♠ J83 ♥ 43 ♦ AQ32 ♣ 10865</p> <p>EW 4♠; EW 3N; EW 3♥; EW 3♣; EW 1♦; Par -420: EW 4♠=</p>

<p>S Deals None Vul</p> <p>♠ AKQ62 ♥ Q ♦ 642 ♣ AK86</p> <p>3</p>	<p>W Deals Both Vul</p> <p>♠ AK ♥ K6 ♦ KJ10873 ♣ 865</p> <p>4</p>
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Board 3
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 8	♠ A K Q 6 2	♠ 7 4									
♥ 10 9 7 6 5 2	♥ Q	♥ A J 3									
♦ 9 5	♦ 6 4 2	♦ J 10 7 3									
♣ 7 2	♣ A K 8 6	♣ Q J 10 9									
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W		E									
	S										
18	♠ J 5 3										
0 9	♥ K 8 4										
13	♦ A K Q 8										
	♣ 5 4 3										

NS 6N; NS 6♠; NS 5♦; NS 4♣; NS 1♥; Par +990: NS 6N=

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
			1 ♦
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 N
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♠ ¹
Pass	5 ♣ ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	6 ♠	All pass	

1. To play, played as weaker than 3S if 3C is game forcing
2. First round control at this level
3. First round control

Bidding: Over 4S, North should be concerned about the diamond position. Therefore North cue bids 5C and when South can cue bid 5D, North bids 6S which figures to have a reasonable chance.

Play: On the CQ lead, win with the CA and draw trumps. Play a diamond to the ace and lead a low heart from dummy. East captures the queen and plays a second club. North wins, crosses to the DK, cashes the HK to discard a club and then ruffs a heart. East is down to D JT73 and C T, needing to keep the diamonds to match dummy's length. North leads the last trump and West is squeezed in diamonds and clubs. North needs to keep track of the club spots, and hope the diamonds will provide four tricks if the C8 is not high. Note North's play of the last trump before playing off the diamonds. If the diamonds are 3-3, that can wait. The last trump may squeeze somebody.

Hand and commentary taken from Ron Klinger's Guide to Better Duplicate Bridge (1995) p84 Hand 53 (rotated).

Board 9

North Deals
None Vul

<p>♠ 6 5 4 ♥ A Q 7 3 2 ♦ K 7 3 ♣ K 8</p>	<p>♠ A K J 8 7 2 ♥ 4 ♦ 9 8 5 4 ♣ 6 4</p>	<p>♠ Q 9 ♥ K 10 6 5 ♦ A 6 2 ♣ A J 7 5</p>	
<p>8 12 14 6</p>	<p>♠ 10 3 ♥ J 9 8 ♦ Q J 10 ♣ Q 10 9 3 2</p>		

EW 4♥; NS 2♠; EW 1N; EW 2♣; EW 1♦; Par -300: NS 4♠×-2

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
	2 ♠	Dbl	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

Bidding: Most North players will open a weak two (or Multi 2D), although aggressive bidders may consider a non-vulnerable 3S with a goodish six-card suit and 6-4 shape, and this could succeed in silencing a cautious East. Over the actual 2S bid as shown, East musters up a takeout double, over which West is worth game. In reply to the double, 3H would not be forcing, so West jumps to 4H, or possibly starts with a bid of the enemy suit, again finishing in the heart game.

Play: North starts with the two top spades, encouraged by South, then another spade. If this third round is ruffed with dummy's H10 or a low heart, South overruffs. Ruffing with dummy's HK fares no better, promoting an eventual heart trick for South. Given that declarer also faces a deep diamond loser, this line leads to one down.

Instead, declarer pitches a diamond from dummy (loser on loser play) on the third round of spades. Thus dummy will still be able to ruff one of declarer's small cards, but it will be a diamond - after trumps are safely drawn - rather than this spade, and ten tricks are made.

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