

# ASSIGNMENT

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## READING

1. Read the *Week 4* handout titled *Suit Contracts - Part 2*. Bring your questions about this material to next week's class.

## EXERCISES

1. Suppose your partner made a 1♠ opening bid. Describe your partner's hand. What is your response for each of these hands?

a)
♠ 8 6 2
♥ J 6 4 3
♦ A 4 3
♣ K 9 7

b)
♠ J 2
♥ QT 5 4 2
♦ 9 7 5
♣ KQ 2

c)
♠ QJ 6
♥ KJ 4
♦ QT 6 5
♣ Q9 5

d)
♠ QJ 9 3
♥ 8 7
♦ AJ 9 8
♣ AQ 3

2. Consider the following bidding auction. Describe your partner's hand. What is your rebid for each hand?

BIDDING AUCTION

South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	2♥	Pass
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a)
♠ 8 3
♥ AQ 6 4 3
♦ AKT
♣ A 9 7

b)
♠ AK
♥ KJT 9 7 4
♦ KQ
♣ Q 6 4

c)
♠ AK 5
♥ AKT 7 3
♦ 9 7 2
♣ 5 4

3. a) Why did you respond 1NT?  
b) Describe partner's hand.  
c) What is your rebid?

♠ 5 4	South	West	North	East
♥ A J T	Pass	Pass	1♠	Pass
♦ 8 5 3 2	1NT	Pass	2♥	Pass
♣ QT 5 4	—			

4. a) Describe your partner's hand.  
b) What is your rebid?

♠ T 9	South	West	North	East
♥ AQJ 5 4	1♥	Pass	2♦	Pass
♦ K 6	—			
♣ KJT 4				

5. a) Why did you respond 2♠?  
b) Describe your partner's hand.  
c) What is your rebid?

♠ J 8 7	North	East	South	West
♥ Q 5 4	1♠	Pass	2♠	Pass
♦ Q 9 5 2	3♠	Pass	—	
♣ KT 5				

6. a) Describe your partner's hand.  
b) What is your rebid?

♠ AKT 3 2	South	West	North	East
♥ 6 5	1♠	Pass	2♥	Pass
♦ AK 6 2	3♦	Pass	3♠	Pass
♣ 7 2	—			

7. a) Describe West's hand.  
 b) Describe East's hand.  
 c) What is your opening lead?  
 d) What does it tell your partner?

	East	South	West	North
♠ 6 3 2				
♥ 9 4 2	1♠	Pass	3♠	Pass
♦ K Q J 7	4♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
♣ A 4 3				

8. a) Describe your partner's hand.  
 b) What is your rebid?

	South	West	North	East
♠ A J 7				
♥ Q J 6 4 3	1♥	Pass	2♣	Pass
♦ K Q 5	—			
♣ T 6				

9. Listen to the bidding, observe the opening lead, and develop a plan to make the contract for:

♠ J 8 4			
♥ Q T 6 4			
♦ A Q 2			
♣ K J 7			
West	North	East	South
Pass	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
♠ T 3			
♥ A K J 7 3			
♦ K 7 4			
♣ Q 9 6			
Opening Lead ♠ K			

10. a) Describe West's hand.  
 b) Describe East's hand.  
 c) What is your opening lead?  
 d) What does it tell your partner?

	South	West	North	East
♠ 6 5 4				
♥ A T 2	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
♦ 7 5	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
♣ 9 7 5 3 2	Pass	Pass	Pass	

11. a) Describe your partner's hand.  
 b) What is your rebid?

	South	West	North	East
♠ K 8				
♥ A K J 7 4 2	1♥	Pass	1♠	Pass
♦ K Q 8	—			
♣ 3 2				

12. Listen to the bidding, observe the opening lead, and develop a plan to make the contract for:

♠ K J 4			
♥ A 7 6 2			
♦ J 6 2			
♣ T 7 2			
East	South	West	North
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
♠ A Q 8 5 2			
♥ K 9 4 3			
♦ 5			
♣ A K 6			
Opening Lead ♦ A			