

DEFENDER PLAY - WEEK 6

ASSIGNMENT

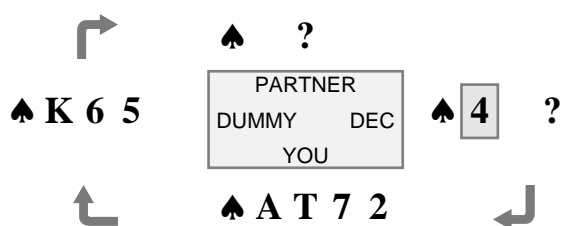
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READING

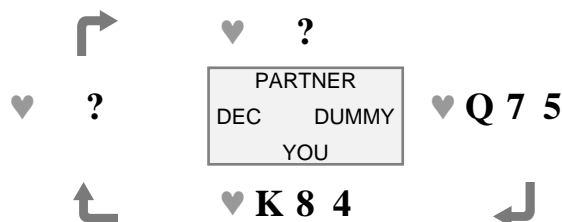
1. Read the *Week 7* handout titled *Defensive Trump Tricks*. Bring your questions about this material to next week's class.

EXERCISES

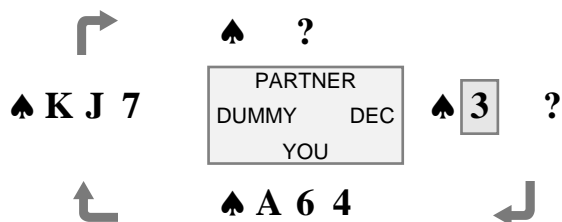
1. Declarer led the ♠4, the first spade lead during the play of the hand. What is your second hand play?



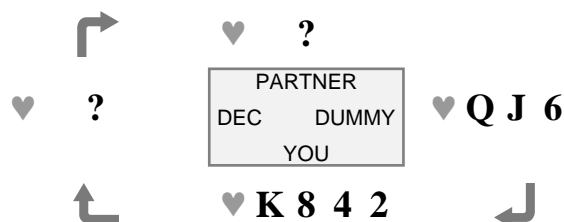
2. Assume this is the first heart lead during the play of the hand. What is your second hand play?
 - a) if dummy leads the ♥5 or ♥7?
 - b) if dummy leads the ♥Q?



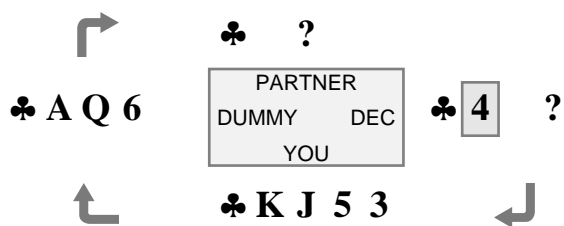
3. Declarer led the ♠3, the first spade lead during the play of the hand. What is your second hand play?



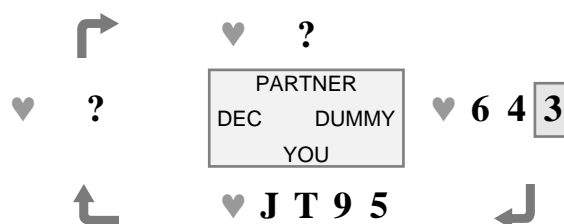
4. Assume this is the first heart lead during the play of the hand. What is your second hand play?
 - a) if dummy leads the ♥6?
 - b) if dummy leads the ♥J or the ♥Q?



5. Declarer led the ♣4, the first club lead during the play of the hand. What is your second hand play?

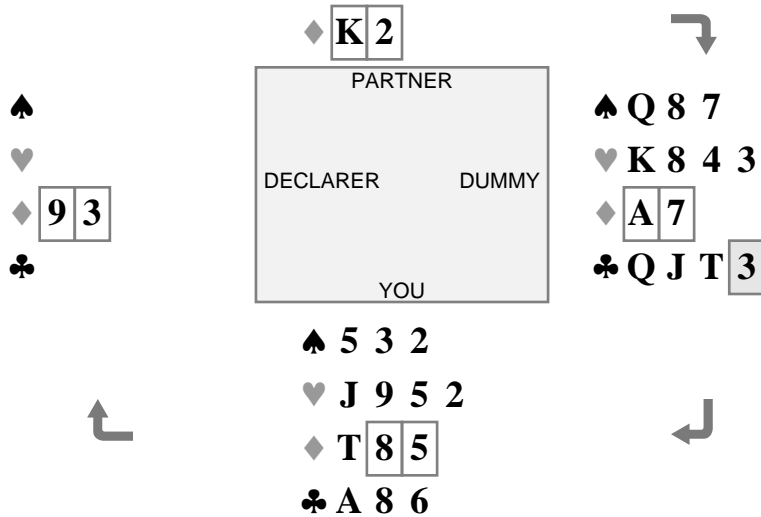


6. Assume this is the first heart lead during the play of the hand. What is your second hand play if dummy leads the ♥3?



7. The contract is 3NT by West. Partner led the \spadesuit K and when dummy played low, partner continued the diamonds:

Trick 1: N \rightarrow \spadesuit K E \rightarrow \spadesuit 7 S \rightarrow \spadesuit 5 W \rightarrow \spadesuit 3
 Trick 2: N \rightarrow \spadesuit 2 E \rightarrow \spadesuit A S \rightarrow \spadesuit 8 W \rightarrow \spadesuit 9



On the third trick, the dummy led the \clubsuit 3:

Trick 3: E \rightarrow \clubsuit 3 S \rightarrow ??

- a) Describe partner's opening lead.
- b) Describe partner's remaining diamonds.
- c) What is your second hand play on the third trick?