



B3 L06 Competing with 1NT COMMENTARY

| <div><div><div>♠ A5</div><div>♥ A932</div><div>♦ A85</div><div>♣ J752</div></div><div><div>♠ K84</div><div>♥ 1086</div><div>♦ K763</div><div>♣ A84</div></div><div><div>♠ QJ9752</div><div>♥ K</div><div>♦ QJ2</div><div>♣ KQ3</div></div><div><div>♠ 103</div><div>♥ QJ754</div><div>♦ 1094</div><div>♣ 1096</div></div></div> <div><table><tr><th>HCP</th></tr><tr><td>13</td></tr><tr><td>1014</td></tr><tr><td>3</td></tr></table><table><tr><th colspan="6">Makeable contracts</th></tr><tr><th></th><th>♣</th><th>♦</th><th>♥</th><th>♠</th><th>NT</th></tr><tr><td>N</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td>1</td><td>-</td><td>1</td></tr><tr><td>S</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td>1</td><td>-</td><td>1</td></tr><tr><td>E</td><td>-</td><td>2</td><td>-</td><td>4</td><td>-</td></tr><tr><td>W</td><td>-</td><td>2</td><td>-</td><td>4</td><td>-</td></tr></table></div> | HCP | 13 | 1014 | 3 | Makeable contracts | | | | | | | ♣ | ♦ | ♥ | ♠ | NT | N | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | S | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | E | - | 2 | - | 4 | - | W | - | 2 | - | 4 | - | <div>Board 1: Dealer North: Love all</div> <table><tr><th>West</th><th>North</th><th>East</th><th>South</th></tr><tr><td></td><td>1NT</td><td>2♠</td><td>Pass</td></tr><tr><td>3♠</td><td>Pass</td><td>4♠</td><td>All Pass</td></tr></table> <div>East's 2♠ overcall of the 1NT opener shows a hand with opening values 11-15 hcps and 5+ spades. West's 10 hcps and 3-card spade support make it worth an invitational raise to 3♠. East with 14 hcps, 6 spades and a singleton heart can now bid the game.</div> <div>When South leads ♥Q North must overtake with ♥A as he knows that East must hold ♥K. Despite seeing East's singleton ♥K appear, North should opt for a passive ♥2 return because opening a second side suit is more likely to benefit declarer than the defence.</div> <div>On this hand, declarer clears trumps and loses only two more tricks to North's ♠A and ♦A. Contract made.</div> | West | North | East | South | | 1NT | 2♠ | Pass | 3♠ | Pass | 4♠ | All Pass | BFP B3 L06: Competing with 1NT Opener |
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| <div><div>♠ 65</div><div>♥ J7</div><div>♦ QJ1043</div><div>♣ A1073</div></div> <div><div>♠ KQJ1093</div><div>♥ K109</div><div>♦ K85</div><div>♣ Q</div></div> <div><div>♠ 7</div><div>♥ Q543</div><div>♦ 97</div><div>♣ KJ9865</div></div> <div><div>♠ A842</div><div>♥ A862</div><div>♦ A62</div><div>♣ 42</div></div> <div><table><tr><th colspan="2">HCP</th></tr><tr><td>8</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>14</td><td>6</td></tr><tr><td>12</td><td></td></tr></table><table><tr><th colspan="7">Makeable contracts</th></tr><tr><th></th><th>♣</th><th>♦</th><th>♥</th><th>♠</th><th>NT</th><th></th></tr><tr><td>N</td><td>-</td><td>2</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>S</td><td>-</td><td>2</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>E</td><td>1</td><td>-</td><td>2</td><td>1</td><td>-</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>W</td><td>1</td><td>-</td><td>2</td><td>1</td><td>-</td><td></td></tr></table></div> | HCP | | 8 | | 14 | 6 | 12 | | Makeable contracts | | | | | | | | ♣ | ♦ | ♥ | ♠ | NT | | N | - | 2 | - | - | - | | S | - | 2 | - | - | - | | E | 1 | - | 2 | 1 | - | | W | 1 | - | 2 | 1 | - | | <div>Board 3: Dealer South: EW vulnerable</div> <table><tr><th>West</th><th>North</th><th>East</th><th>South</th></tr><tr><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>1NT</td></tr><tr><td>2♠</td><td>All Pass</td><td></td><td></td></tr></table> <p>West’s 2♠ overcall of the 1NT opener shows a hand with opening values 11-15 hcps and 5+ spades. East should pass and not make any attempt to “rescue” partner.</p> <p>When North leads ♦ Q South must overtake with ♦ A as he knows West must hold ♦ K, and then return ♠ 8 to prevent dummy ruffing diamonds. When declarer leads ♣ Q North should suspect that it is a singleton, so he should win ♣ A and then continue with diamonds.</p> <p>Unfortunately for declarer there is no entry to dummy to cash club tricks, but he will lose only one trick in hearts to just make the contract.</p> | West | North | East | South | | | | 1NT | 2♠ | All Pass | | | <div>BFP B3 L06: Competing with 1NT Opener</div> |
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| <div><div>♠ KJ8</div><div>♥ 7</div><div>♦ KQ10765</div><div>♣ A83</div></div> <div><div>♠ Q1075</div><div>♥ AJ43</div><div>♦ A42</div><div>♣ K6</div></div> <div><div>♠ 9643</div><div>♥ K652</div><div>♦ J8</div><div>♣ Q74</div></div> <div><div>♠ A2</div><div>♥ Q1098</div><div>♦ 93</div><div>♣ J10952</div></div> <div><table><tr><th colspan="2">HCP</th></tr><tr><td>13</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>14</td><td>6</td></tr><tr><td>7</td><td></td></tr></table><table><tr><th colspan="7">Makeable contracts</th></tr><tr><th></th><th>♣</th><th>♦</th><th>♥</th><th>♠</th><th>NT</th><th></th></tr><tr><td>N</td><td>3</td><td>3</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td>2</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>S</td><td>3</td><td>3</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td>2</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>E</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>-</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>W</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>-</td><td></td></tr></table></div> | HCP | | 13 | | 14 | 6 | 7 | | Makeable contracts | | | | | | | | ♣ | ♦ | ♥ | ♠ | NT | | N | 3 | 3 | - | - | 2 | | S | 3 | 3 | - | - | 2 | | E | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | | W | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | | <div>Board 4: Dealer West: All vulnerable</div> <table><tr><th>West</th><th>North</th><th>East</th><th>South</th></tr><tr><td>1NT</td><td>2♦</td><td>All Pass</td><td></td></tr></table> <p>North’s 2♦ overcall of the 1NT opener shows a hand with opening values 11-15 hcps and 5+ diamonds.</p> <p>East does not have a good lead, ♥ 2 is probably the best choice. When East sees dummy’s hearts, he can work out that partner probably has four hearts headed by ♥ K and that declarer has a singleton. If declarer plays dummy’s ♥ Q West should play ♥ A, otherwise ♥ J, to win the trick and then return a passive ♥ 3.</p> <p>The missing honours in clubs, diamonds, and spades all sit well for declarer, so that an overtrick is possible.</p> | West | North | East | South | 1NT | 2♦ | All Pass | | <div>BFP B3 L06: Competing with 1NT Opener</div> | | | | |
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