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		You 1♣	Opponent Pass	Partner 1♣	Opponent Pass		
1. 2. 3. 4.	How many clubs do you guarantee?3 How many spades does partner guarantee?4 What is partner's point range?6+ Is 1♠ a forcing* bid?yes						
		You 1♣	Opponent 1 •	Partner 1♣	Opponent Pass		
1. 2. 3. 4.	How many spades does partner guarantee? 4 Could partner have more spades than that? yes What is partner's point range? 6+ Is 1♠ a forcing bid? yes						
		You 1♣	Opponent 1♥	Partner 1♣	Opponent Pass		
1. 2. 3.	How many sp What is partne Is 1♣ a forcin	er's poin	es partner guara t range? yes	intee? <u>5</u> 6+			
		You 1♣	Opponent 1 ≜	Partner 2*	Opponent Pass		
1. 2. 3.	How many hearts does partner guarantee?5 What is partner's point range?10+ Is 2♥ a forcing bid?yes						
		You 1♣	Opponent 1♥	Partner 2 ±	Opponent Pass		
2.		er's poin	es partner guara t range? <u>0-5</u> no				
		You 1♣	Opponent 1♣	Partner X	Opponent Pass		
1. 2. 3. 4.	How many hearts does partner guarantee?4Could he have more than that?yesWhat is partner's point range?8+How many hearts do you have to have to bid 2**?4						
		You 1♣	Opponent 1♥	Partner X	Opponent Pass		
1. 2.	How many sp Could he have		es partner guara				

1. 2.	How many spa	1♣ 1NT des does	Opponent Pass Pass s partner guara partner guaran		Opponent Pass Pass
3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	What is partne Is 2 forcing? If you have 2 s If you have 3 s	r's point r <u>no</u> pades ar pades ar		0 at should you at should you	do? bid 2S
			Opponent	Partner	Opponent
		1NT 2 ♠	Pass Pass	2 ♥ 2NT	Pass Pass
		∠ =	1 033	ZINI	1 055
1. 2.	How many spa What is partne	r's point r	ange? <u>8-9</u>		
3. 4.			nd 17 points, wh nd 15 points, wh		
5.	If you have 2 s	pades ar	nd 17 points, wh	nat should yo	u do? <u>bid 3NT</u>
6.	If you have 2 s	pades ar	nd 15 points, wh	nat should yo	u do? <u>pass</u>
		You Pass	Opponent	Partner X	Opponent Pass
		1 ≜	Pass	2♣	Pass
1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	What is partne How many spa What is your p How many spa How many clul	des do y oint range des does	ou guarantee? e? <u>0-8</u> s partner have?	0-3	
		You	Opponent	Partner	Opponent
		1♣	Pass	1NT	Pass
		2♠	Pass	3♣	Pass

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1♣	Pass	1NT	Pass
2♣	Pass	3♣	Pass

- 1. What is partner's point range? 6-10
- 2. How many spades does partner have? 0-1
- 3. How many clubs does partner have?____
- 4. Is 3♣ forcing? <u>no</u>

It's All About the Numbers

What is the significance of these numbers in bridge? You know this

20 25 29 33 36 40

^{*}Forcing=Partner has forced you to bid again. You may not pass.