

Homework Nov 10

Your partner breathlessly informs you that all the good players know how many cards their partners have in the suits they bid. Its called bidding your shape you are informed . Thats nice you murmur hoping that partner will find something else to occupy her ...but no. She wants to know if you can you tell the opener's distribution in the following auctions. Can you ?

1) 1S-----2D
2H-----3S
4S.

2) 1H-----1S
2C-----2NT
3C-----5C

3) 1D-----1S
2H-----2NT
3H-----4H

4) 1H-----1S
2C-----2D
3C-----5C

5) 1S-----1NT
2H-----2S
3H-----3NT

6) 1S-----1NT
2H-----2S
3H-----3NT
4H.

7) 1S-----2C
2H-----3NT
4S.

8) 1C-----1D
1H-----1NT
2H-----3C
Pass.

9) 1D-----1H
2C-----2D
3C-----5C.

Responder in the following auctions seems to be bidding quite a lot. Can you guess their distribution?

10) 1D-----1S
2D-----2H
2NT-----Pass.

11) 1C-----1H
2C-----2S
3C-----3S
4H.

12) 1H-----1S
2H-----3C
3NT-----4C
5C.

What is responder's likely distribution and point count in the following auctions?

13) 1H-----1NT
2C-----2D

14) 1S-----1NT
2D-----2H

15) 1S-----1NT
2C-----2H

Come up with an auction for the following three hands.

(opener)
16) AKxxx
AKxx
xx
xx

(responder)
xx
xxx
AKJx
KQxx

(opener)
17) AKxxx
AKxxx
xx
x

(responder)
xx
xxx
AKJx
KQxx

(opener)
18) A
xxx
AKJxxx
xxx

(responder)
KJxx
AQ10xx
xx
Ax