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# A Record of 101 entries in European Mixed Teams

The Teams event was as successful as the Pairs, attracting a record entry of 101 teams.

After four rounds we have three co-leaders: two teams from France, **THUILLEZ** and **LALANNE**, and one from Italy, **BONORI**. All have 81 points out of a possible 100. In fourth place with 79 points are two German teams, **MAYBACH** and **SCHNEIDER**, and one from Portugal, **CAPUCHO**.

Many matches are to be played yet before the semi-finals, which take place on Thursday afternoon and will be shown on vugraph. If you look carefully at the rankings on page 14, you will notice that some pre-tournament favourites had a very slow start. They are happy to have eight more matches to play before the cut.

### New Mixed Teams Schedule for Wednesday

<b>10.00</b>	2 MATCHES - 10 boards each
<b>15.00</b>	3 MATCHES - 10 boards each

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# MIXED Round One TEAMS

## Attanasio (ITA) v Chemla (FRA)

There will be many big match-ups during the course of the Mixed Teams Championship, but one of the biggest came in the first round when Paul Chemla's French squad met the strong Italian team led by Dario Attanasio. It proved to be a match full of swings, as you will see.

Board 1. Dealer North. None Vul.

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West	North	East	South
Chemla	Guerra	D'Ovidio	Paoluzi
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	INT	Pass	2♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

One Club was strong and One Spade showed 8+HCP with either a balanced hand or at least four diamonds in an unbalanced hand. Catherine D'Ovidio led the two of hearts to the four, queen and king. Enrico Guerra played back the heart eight, covered by the jack and ace, then ran the jack of diamonds to the queen. D'Ovidio switched to a spade to the king and Guerra played the ♥7, running it when D'Ovidio played low. Next he played the ♦K to Paul Chemla's ace. Chemla switched to the queen of clubs to the ace, declarer unblocking dummy's ten. When declarer cashed his red winners, Chemla was squeezed in the black suits so that the ♠Q fell under the ace and there was no need of the club finesse; 11 tricks for +460.

West	North	East	South
Attanasio	Quantin	Manara	Favas
	INT	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

What a difference a lead makes! Gabriella Manara selected the eight of spades, which went to the ten and king. Jean-Christophe Quantin crossed to the ace of hearts to run the jack of diamonds to the queen. Manara played a spade to the jack and queen and Dario Attanasio cleared the suit. Now Quantin played a diamond to the ace and Attanasio switched to a low club without cashing the spade winner. From declarer's point of view, the spades were 5-3 and he could not afford to let East into the lead. He rose with the ace of clubs and crossed to dummy with a di-



Dario Attanasio (West) - Gabriella Manara (East), Italy

amond to lead a low heart. When the queen came up he ducked it, hoping that the suit was dividing evenly. Alas, Attanasio now cashed the spade which he was not supposed to have for one down; -50 and 11 IMPs to ATTANASIO.

A classical deceptive play had beaten an unbeatable contract. If West cashes his spade earlier, declarer has no hope other than the double club finesse as he has already lost two diamonds and two spades, and, of course, the club play succeeds. What a way to start a European Championship!

Board 2. Dealer East. N/S Vul.

♠ 8 7 6 4 3 ♥ — ♦ Q 4 ♣ A J 9 8 5 4	<table style="margin: auto; border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <tr><td style="padding: 2px;">N</td></tr> <tr><td style="padding: 2px;">W     E</td></tr> <tr><td style="padding: 2px;">S</td></tr> </table>	N	W     E	S	♠ Q J 9 ♥ J 7 6 2 ♦ 9 7 3 ♣ 10 6 2
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West	North	East	South
Chemla	Guerra	D'Ovidio	Paoluzi
		Pass	INT
Dble	Rdble	Pass	2♣
4♥	All Pass		

One No Trump was 12-15 and redouble was a transfer to clubs. Guerra led a spade against Four Hearts. Chemla won, drew trumps and cashed the spades. He fiddled around for a while but the defence did not crash the diamond honours so he was held to ten tricks: +420.

West	North	East	South
Attanasio	Quantin	Manara	Favas
		Pass	1♦
4♥	Dble	All Pass	

Quantin made a negative double of Four Hearts—a good decision if South could be relied upon to remove it. Alas, Anne-Fred Favas held a balanced minimum and thought that she was more likely to go plus on defence than if she bid. The defence took their diamond winners but that was all; +590 and 5 IMPs to ATTANASIO.

Board 3. Dealer South. E/W Vul.

	♠ 10 7		
	♥ K Q 10 9 7 6		
	♦ J 6		
	♣ K 4 3		
♠ K J 6 4		♠ Q	
♥ 8 4 2		♥ A J	
♦ Q 3		♦ A K 10 9 8 5 4	
♣ A 8 5 2		♣ J 10 9	
	♠ A 9 8 5 3 2		
	♥ 5 3		
	♦ 7 2		
	♣ Q 7 5		

West	North	East	South
Chemla	Guerra	D'Ovidio	Paoluzi
			2♠
Pass	Pass	3♦	Pass
3NT	All Pass		

Three Diamonds has quite a wide range, particularly in the balancing seat, but Three No Trump is just the sort of bid we all have to make, and hope that partner has sufficient to allow it to make. Chemla duly did so and, on the king of hearts lead, was well pleased with the sight of dummy. He won the heart immediately, cashed the queen of diamonds and, when everyone followed, claimed a slightly lazy nine tricks; +600.

West	North	East	South
Attanasio	Quantin	Manara	Favas
			Pass
Pass	2♥	3♦	Pass
3♥	Pass	3NT	All Pass

Favas did not consider her hand to be suitable for a weak two bid—the French style is much sounder than that in some other countries—leading to a slightly different auction. Quantin opened with a weak two bid in his suit and, of course, Manara overcalled. Attanasio asked for a heart stopper and was happy to hear his partner show one. Favas led a heart against Three No Trump and Manara ducked. Quantin could see that he would have no entry if he established his suit so switched to a club. That gave Manara

ten tricks; +630 and 1 IMP to ATTANASIO.

Board 4. Dealer West. All Vul.

	♠ A 8 6		
	♥ J 8 5		
	♦ 9 7		
	♣ A J 10 4 3		
♠ J 7 3		♠ K Q 9 5 4	
♥ K 10 6		♥ 3 2	
♦ 8 5 3		♦ K J 4	
♣ K Q 7 5		♣ 9 2	
	♠ 10 2		
	♥ A Q 9 7 4		
	♦ A Q 10 6 2		
	♣ 8		

West	North	East	South
Chemla	Guerra	D'Ovidio	Paoluzi
Pass	Pass	1♠	2NT
Dble	Rdble	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	All Pass	

Two No Trump showed both red suits and Double and Redouble just some general values. Clearly, Guerra intended his Double then Three Heart combination to be invitational, but Simonetta Paoluzi did not think she had anything to spare for her two-suited overcall so passed. Guerra won the spade lead, took the diamond finesse, played ace and ruffed a diamond, then passed the jack of hearts; 11 tricks for +200.

West	North	East	South
Attanasio	Quantin	Manara	Favas
Pass	Pass	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

Given a free run, the French pair bid their game. Favas won the club lead and played a diamond to the queen, cashed the ace, on which the king dropped, and ruffed a diamond with the jack. She had two trump losers now but her contract was safe; +620 and 9 IMPs to CHEMLA.

Board 5. Dealer North. N/S Vul.

	♠ Q		
	♥ 6 5 4		
	♦ K Q 10 9 8 7		
	♣ 7 4 2		
♠ K 7 4		♠ A J 5 2	
♥ 9 8 7 3		♥ K Q J	
♦ 5 4		♦ J 6	
♣ K 8 5 3		♣ A Q 10 6	
	♠ 10 9 8 6 3		
	♥ A 10 2		
	♦ A 3 2		
	♣ J 9		

<b>West</b> <i>Chemla</i>	<b>North</b> <i>Guerra</i>	<b>East</b> <i>D'Ovidio</i>	<b>South</b> <i>Paoluzi</i>
1♥	Pass	1♣	Pass
3♣	2♦	Dble	Rdble
All Pass	Pass	Pass	3♦

Double showed three hearts and Redouble some values. Paoluzi followed up her Redouble by competing with Three Diamonds and D'Ovidio left the Italians to play there despite her 18 HCP, seeing nowhere to go once Chemla had denied a fifth heart. D'Ovidio led a heart and the defence came to their five tricks easily enough for -100.

<b>West</b> <i>Attanasio</i>	<b>North</b> <i>Quantin</i>	<b>East</b> <i>Manara</i>	<b>South</b> <i>Favas</i>
1♦	Pass	1♣	Pass
Dble	2♦	Pass	3♦
4♠	Pass	3♠	Pass
	All Pass		

Four Spades had three top losers in the side suits so required trumps to be 3-3 with the queen onside. Well, the queen was onside, but that was the limit of declarer's good fortune. There were two trump losers and the contract was two down; -100 and 5 IMPs to CHEMLA, closing to trail by only 14-17 IMPs.

Board 6. Dealer East. E/W Vul.

♠ 9 8 2	♠ A 4	♠ J 10 6 3
♥ 7 5 2	♥ A Q 9 8 4 3	♥ J 10 6
♦ J 7	♦ A 3	♦ 10 9 5 2
♣ J 9 8 3 2	♣ A K 6	♣ 10 4
	♠ K Q 7 5	
	♥ K	
	♦ K Q 8 6 4	
	♣ Q 7 5	

<b>West</b> <i>Chemla</i>	<b>North</b> <i>Guerra</i>	<b>East</b> <i>D'Ovidio</i>	<b>South</b> <i>Paoluzi</i>
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♦
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
Pass	4♠	Pass	5♦
Pass	5♠	Pass	5NT
Pass	7NT	All Pass	

<b>West</b> <i>Attanasio</i>	<b>North</b> <i>Quantin</i>	<b>East</b> <i>Manara</i>	<b>South</b> <i>Favas</i>
Pass	2♥	Pass	1♦
Pass	2NT	Pass	2♠
Pass	7NT	All Pass	4NT

Both North/South pairs bid confidently to the excellent grand slam, the French quickly, the Italians after a little more exploration. Had hearts not divided, there might have been some interest to the play, as declarer has to sort out which squeeze to play for, but in practice everything was very easy; +1520 and a flat board.

Board 7. Dealer South. All Vul.

♠ A 6 5	♠ K Q 9 2	♠ J 10 8 7
♥ Q 10 2	♥ K J 9	♥ 8 7 3
♦ 8	♦ Q 9	♦ A 5 3 2
♣ K Q 9 6 4 3	♣ A 8 5 2	♣ J 10
	♠ 4 3	
	♥ A 6 5 4	
	♦ K J 10 7 6 4	
	♣ 7	

<b>West</b> <i>Chemla</i>	<b>North</b> <i>Guerra</i>	<b>East</b> <i>D'Ovidio</i>	<b>South</b> <i>Paoluzi</i>
1♣	Dble	1♠	Pass
Dble	2NT	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♦
All Pass			4♥

The Italians did very well to reach the only game that had a chance of success. D'Ovidio led the jack of clubs and Guerra won and played the ♦Q, which D'Ovidio ducked. She also ducked the next diamond so Chemla ruffed and played a top club to force the dummy. Guerra played a spade up, ducked to his king, then led a low club. D'Ovidio ruffed in with the seven and dummy pitched its remaining spade. Now D'Ovidio played a trump to the queen and king. Declarer had no option but to play for the remaining trumps to split. He played a heart to the ace and gave up a diamond for +620.

<b>West</b> <i>Attanasio</i>	<b>North</b> <i>Quantin</i>	<b>East</b> <i>Manara</i>	<b>South</b> <i>Favas</i>
2♣	Dble	Pass	Pass
All Pass			3♦

When Quantin doubled the natural Two Club opening, Favas made the slightly cautious jump response of Three Diamonds, ending the auction. With North not holding four hearts, no game is especially good, but as we have seen, Four Hearts can be made on the 4-3 fit. Favas made 11 tricks in Three Diamonds, but +150 was not enough; 10 IMPs to ATTANASIO.

## JOUEURS FRANCAIS

Pour votre retour, le bus sera à votre disposition à destination de l'aéroport **vendredi 24 à 15 heures 15 devant le palais.**

Board 8. Dealer West. None Vul.

♠ J 10 7 ♥ K 9 8 6 2 ♦ Q J ♣ A Q 10	♠ K 9 8 5 ♥ Q 10 5 4 3 ♦ 8 7 2 ♣ 2	♠ A Q 4 3 2 ♥ J ♦ 9 5 3 ♣ K 8 4 3
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♠ 6 ♥ A 7 ♦ A K 10 6 4 ♣ J 9 7 6 5	N W     E S
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<b>West</b> Chemla 1♥ Pass 3♠	<b>North</b> Guerra Pass 3♦ All Pass	<b>East</b> D'Ovidio 1♠ Dble	<b>South</b> Paoluzi 2NT Pass
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The two auctions were effectively identical, with the Two No Trump and Two Heart overcalls both showing the minors. There was a difference in the play at the two tables, however.

Paoluzi led a top diamond and cashed the second diamond before switching to a club. D'Ovidio put in dummy's queen and led the jack of spades for a finesse, then the ♠10, for the king and ace. She ruffed her diamond loser then played a low heart to the jack and ace. There was just a trump to lose from here; +140.

At the other table, Favas also led a top diamond, but she switched to a club at trick two. Gabriella Manara could either draw three rounds of trumps to hold the club ruffs to one, but then be unable to ruff a diamond in dummy, or she could go for the diamond ruff but then see Quantin get two club ruffs. There was no escape and she was down one for -50 and 5 IMPs to CHEMLA.

Board 9. Dealer North. E/W Vul.

♠ A K 7 ♥ A 5 ♦ K 10 8 4 ♣ 10 9 8 2	♠ 10 6 4 ♥ 9 6 3 ♦ A J 3 ♣ 7 6 5 4	♠ Q 3 2 ♥ 10 4 2 ♦ Q 9 7 6 ♣ A K Q
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♠ J 9 8 5 ♥ K Q J 8 7 ♦ 5 2 ♣ J 3
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<b>West</b> Chemla Dble 3NT	<b>North</b> Guerra Pass Pass All Pass	<b>East</b> D'Ovidio 1♣ INT	<b>South</b> Paoluzi 1♥ Pass
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<b>West</b> Attanasio 2♣ 3NT	<b>North</b> Quantin Pass Pass All Pass	<b>East</b> Manara 1♦ 2NT	<b>South</b> Favas Pass Pass
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The same contract was again reached at both tables, but the auctions were different and that made the defence easier at one table than the other.

Where D'Ovidio opened One Club and Paoluzi overcalled, the defence was in control. Paoluzi led the queen of hearts and D'Ovidio won the ace, crossed to a top club and led a diamond to the king and ace. Guerra returned a heart and that was one down; -100.

At the other table, Favas had not overcalled and the choice of opening bid made it less easy for North to see the danger of the club suit. Again the opening lead was a heart honour to dummy's ace. Manara led a low diamond off the dummy at trick two and Quantin did not realise that this was his only chance to beat the contract. When he played low, the queen scored and Manara ran for home; nine tricks for +600 and 12 IMPs to ATTANASIO.

Board 10. Dealer East. All Vul.

♠ 9 8 7 5 ♥ A 10 8 ♦ Q J 10 4 ♣ K 5	♠ 4 3 2 ♥ K Q 3 2 ♦ 6 5 2 ♣ A 6 2	♠ K Q 6 ♥ J 9 7 6 ♦ 8 ♣ J 9 8 4 3
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♠ A J 10 ♥ 5 4 ♦ A K 9 7 3 ♣ Q 10 7
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<b>West</b> Chemla All Pass	<b>North</b> Guerra All Pass	<b>East</b> D'Ovidio Pass	<b>South</b> Paoluzi INT
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<b>West</b> Attanasio Pass All Pass	<b>North</b> Quantin 1♥	<b>East</b> Manara Pass	<b>South</b> Favas 1♦ INT
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Both Wests led the queen of diamonds, which was allowed to hold the trick. The bidding made a difference again, as Chemla had no reason to suspect the diamond position and continued with the ♦4 at trick two. Paoluzi had four diamond tricks and could establish two hearts and two spades to go with the ace of clubs; +150.

Attanasio switched to a spade at trick two and Favas had a little more work to do. She made seven tricks for +90 but 2 IMPs to ATTANASIO.

ATTANASIO had started with a very useful 41-19 IMP, 21-9 VP win against tough opposition and seemed to be in good form.

## The big clash

One round before the end, the two overnight leaders were scheduled to meet. This is what they did:

Board 23. Dealer South. All Vul.

<p>♠ K J 7 ♥ 7 6 4 ♦ K 8 2 ♣ A K 7 6</p>	<table style="margin: auto; border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <tr><td style="padding: 2px;">N</td></tr> <tr><td style="padding: 2px;">W     E</td></tr> <tr><td style="padding: 2px;">S</td></tr> </table>	N	W     E	S	<p>♠ A 10 4 3 ♥ A 3 2 ♦ 9 ♣ Q 10 8 4 3</p> <p>♠ 9 5 2 ♥ Q 10 8 5 ♦ 7 5 4 ♣ J 9 5</p> <p>♠ Q 8 6 ♥ K J 9 ♦ A Q J 10 6 3 ♣ 2</p>	
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W     E						
S						

West	North	East	South
<i>Helgemo</i>	<i>Mariani</i>	<i>Langeland</i>	<i>Buratti</i>
			1♦
Dble	Rdble	1♥	3♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Langeland led the ♥8 to dummy's nine. Mariani simply continued with the ♦AQ, Helgemo winning the third round. Now, in teams play, a low club looks obvious, but in Pairs it's a different story. After Helgemo cashed the ♣A we had lost the chance to see what Mariani would have done had he been faced with a low club continuation straight away. In the actual ending, Mariani made a second overtrick when Helgemo blanked his ♠K to avoid being thrown in. It did not really matter however: 660 was worth 141 MPs but 630 would have been good for 130 MPs anyway.

On the other board of the round, the Norwegians got some-

thing of a revenge when Langeland found the best lead against a normal-enough game contract.

Board 24. Dealer West. None Vul.

<p>♠ 7 4 ♥ Q 8 4 3 ♦ A 7 4 ♣ Q 9 5 2</p>	<table style="margin: auto; border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <tr><td style="padding: 2px;">N</td></tr> <tr><td style="padding: 2px;">W     E</td></tr> <tr><td style="padding: 2px;">S</td></tr> </table>	N	W     E	S	<p>♠ K J 8 6 ♥ 2 ♦ 10 9 5 3 ♣ A 10 8 7</p> <p>♠ 9 3 2 ♥ K J 9 7 ♦ J 8 6 2 ♣ K 4</p> <p>♠ A Q 10 5 ♥ A 10 6 5 ♦ K Q ♣ J 6 3</p>	
N						
W     E						
S						

West	North	East	South
<i>Helgemo</i>	<i>Mariani</i>	<i>Langeland</i>	<i>Buratti</i>
Pass	Pass	Pass	INT
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

When the opponents have found a late fit, a trump lead often is best. So it proved here. When Helgemo played a second trump after winning the ♦A, Mariani successfully ran the ♦10 to make ten tricks. After the trump lead and continuation, you have to play double dummy to get the overtrick. What about finessing the ♣9 and running the ♦10 as well? Losing only 420 gave the Norwegians 85 MPs back, but Mariani/Buratti stayed right on track to their title.

## Equity and Law 12C3

By Ton Kooijman

In yesterday's bulletin there was a report of Appeal Number Three in which the TD had given a weighted score based on the assumption that the defending side, being misinformed about a call from their opponents, could have made a better opening lead, being rightly informed. That better lead was not obvious even with the right information, but the chance of finding it certainly had been improved. The TD's decision was to calculate the score for the defenders based on half the time finding the right lead and half the time leading a wrong suit. For the offending side the score was based on their opponents leading the right suit all the time. This approach is in accordance with law 12C2, where the offenders get the most unfavourable result that was at all probable. For the non-offenders, 12C2 assigns the most favourable result that was likely without the irregularity. And 12C3 gives the possibility to vary the adjusted score in order to do equity. That is what the TD did when giving the weighted score to the non-offenders.

In an extra comment the Appeals Committee considers the possibility to give this weighted score to both sides and furthermore to assign a procedural penalty to the offenders resulting in the score as given by the TD. The committee had the feeling that both sides should be equally involved in the 12C3 striving-for-equity-procedure.

In my opinion the Laws do not suggest that approach. We use the word 'equity' in the Laws without giving a definition. But even giving adjusted scores following the description as given in 12C2, the aim of the TD should be to strive for equity, which is done by assigning independent scores for both sides. Why then should 12C3 prescribe, or suggest to prescribe, that both assigned scores need to be equal?

And isn't it strange to use 'equity' as the reason to assign the same score for the offenders after which that score is reduced by a procedural penalty? Which also has the big disadvantage that the same kind of infraction, often being a wrong explanation, is treated in very different ways. With varying penalties depending on the size of damage, going from zero to game- or even slam swings. I am not in favour of that kind of procedural penalties, they should be fixed as much as possible.

Equity is served by giving the non-offenders a fair, but not too high, score on a board when an infraction makes it necessary to adjust the score. That consideration is not valid for the offenders.

Since the possibility to use 12C3 is now also given to TDs, we need to agree on the application. May I propose to apply the approach as given in 12C2 when adjusting scores under 12C3, meaning that the scores for the two sides do not need to be balanced?

## Our home page

In international championships staged in Italy, it has become a standing tradition that the Daily Bulletin contains a few pages written in Italian. In general, they will appear without a translation into English being given as well. The reason behind this probably is that some of the stories written here are considered to be of minor interest to non-Italians. Well, this may or may not be true, but in today's Casa Nostra (which appropriately translates into Our Home Page in this era of IT) there are two hands on which Mosca and Capodanno did very well, much better than many pairs in the Final.

Board 22. Dealer East. E/W Vul.

<p>♠ K 8 6 2 ♥ J 5 ♦ 8 ♣ 10 6 5 4 3 2</p>	<table border="1" style="margin: auto;"> <tr><td></td><td>N</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>W</td><td></td><td>E</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td>S</td><td></td></tr> </table>		N		W		E		S		<p>♠ A J 5 3 ♥ 10 9 8 3 ♦ A 10 5 ♣ A K</p>	<p>♠ 10 7 4 ♥ A K 7 2 ♦ K J 9 ♣ J 9 7</p>
	N											
W		E										
	S											
<b>West</b> <i>Mosca</i>	<b>North</b>	<b>East</b> <i>Capodanno</i>	<b>South</b>									
2♣ Pass	2♦ Pass	INT 2♥ 3♠	Pass 3♦ All Pass									

Mosca was right in using Stayman on this hand. There was the risk of ending up off-target but the reward could be high. Please note North's overcall: all those Ladies looked like having gone to his head! It did not hurt, because to put a contestant like Luciana Capodanno out of the bidding you would need a whole regiment of adventurous bidders: "If my partner uses Stayman and then

does not support hearts, guess which major suit he's got..."

On the lead of the ♥AK and a diamond switch, Luciana had little trouble in making 11 tricks for an excellent score in either event. Few players had taken the risk of using Stayman.

The previous board featured a fit problem. Below, we have a rebid problem.

Board 29. Dealer North. All Vul.

<p>♠ A K 5 4 2 ♥ J 7 6 ♦ K 10 6 ♣ 8 2</p>	<table border="1" style="margin: auto;"> <tr><td></td><td>N</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>W</td><td></td><td>E</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td>S</td><td></td></tr> </table>		N		W		E		S		<p>♠ J 10 ♥ Q 10 4 ♦ A Q 8 7 5 ♣ Q 10 7</p>	<p>♠ 8 ♥ A K 9 3 ♦ J 3 ♣ A J 9 5 4 3</p>
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W		E										
	S											
<b>West</b> <i>Mosca</i>	<b>North</b>	<b>East</b> <i>Capodanno</i>	<b>South</b>									
1♠ 2♦	Pass Pass Pass	Pass INT 3♦	1♣ 2♣ All Pass									

The first point to note: when Luciana opens the bidding, she has her opening bid. This solid style has the effect of not launching the pair to intolerable heights.

What would you have rebid on Mosca's cards after partner's INT bid? Carlo opted for a waiting bid which left the way open for a possible retreat to spades. Fortunately, there was no such retreat as Luciana preferred to raise partner's second suit with her five-card support. In the massacre of spade partscores penalized by the bad trump split, a candle lit the lonely diamond partscore of our pair.

## Lady Players!

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**Anna Maria Torlontano**  
Chairman, European Ladies Committee



# CASA NOSTRA

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## DAL COPPIE ALLO SQUADRE

Prima di accantonare definitivamente il Campionato Europeo Misto a Coppie, con la splendida vittoria di Mariani/Buratti, vi chiedo di prolungare l'applauso per il titolo Seniores di *Nicla Tessitore* e *Giulio Mundula* (2<sup>i</sup> degli italiani e 9° posto assoluto). Una bella soddisfazione per questa coppia romana che, combattendo sempre in alta classifica, è riuscita a conquistare l'ottimo piazzamento con determinazione, tenacia e costanza di rendimento.



*Nicla Tessitore e Giulio Mundula, 1° coppia Seniores*

Nel primo match dello squadre, al grido di "facciamoci male subito", una delle nostre formazioni più forti (Mariani/Buratti, Vivaldi/Rossano, Cittolin/Fornaciari) ha incontrato il 75% della nazionale tedesca (Reps/Rauscheid, von Armin/Reim).

Gli italiani si sono schierati facendo sedere al tavolo i primi quattro. Gli avversari non hanno avuto scelta.

### INDICAZIONI

Board 1

Dich. Nord. Tutti in prima

♠ A R  
♥ D 10 9 7 5 3  
♦ 9 4  
♣ D 7 3

♠ D F 9 6  
♥ —  
♦ A D F 6 3 2  
♣ F 6 4

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♠ 10 7 5  
♥ 8 4  
♦ R 8 7  
♣ R 10 9 5 2

♠ 8 4 3 2  
♥ A R F 6 2  
♦ 10 5  
♣ A 8

Reps, in Nord, ha aperto di 1♥ e i nostri in due colpi sono arrivati a 4♠ giocate da Ovest (Mariani).

L'attacco di piccola fiori è stato catturato dall'Asso del morto e seguito da due giri di cuori, per lo scarto delle fiori di mano. Il 10♦ è stato coperto dal Re di Sud e catturato dall'Asso del dichiarante che ha incassato altre due vincenti nel colore. Quando al terzo colpo di quadri Nord ha scartato, Mariani si è fatto un'idea abbastanza precisa della situazione generale e, fedele al primo comandamento ("*Chi si accontenta segna*"), si è limitato a perdere non più di tre prese di atout con un gioco misto di tagli e battute. Mano pari, ma con un brivido nell'altra sala. Daniela von Armin, impegnata nello stesso contratto in Est, arrivato il momento dell'impasse a quadri ha giocato il 10 rimanendo in presa. Enza Rossano, in Sud, non ha coperto ("*Se vuoi marcare devi sudare!*") e la dichiarante si è convinta che Vivaldi, in Nord, avesse filato con il Re, cosa di cui sarebbe perfettamente capace. Questo chiodo fisso ha indirizzato la von Armin verso una linea ad alto rischio di tagli e fuori gioco, una linea *catastrofe* in situazioni differenti. Le carte, però, erano abbastanza sorridenti per gli orizzontali e anche la linea avversaria è arrivata in porto sana e salva (magari con qualche capello dritto in più...).

### TI SFIDO NEL TUO COLORE!

Beccatevi queste carte in Sud:

♠ D 7 6 5 3  
♥ 8 7  
♦ A D  
♣ 10 9 8 6

Beccatevi anche questa licita:

Ovest	Nord	Est	Sud
<i>Mariani</i>	<i>Reps</i>	<i>Buratti</i>	<i>Rauscheid</i>
2♣	passo	1♠	passo
2SA	passo	2♦	passo
3♥	contro	3♦	passo
surcontro	passo	passo	passo
4♦	passo	4♣	passo
5♣	passo	4♠	passo
		5♦	fine

La chilometrica licita italiana vi ha comunicato una bicolore almeno 5/5 ♠/♦ in Est, un po' di cue bid da tutte le parti, una serie di tentativi da parte di Ovest e un qualcosa finale che ha impedito agli avversari di chiamare lo slam (*un qualcosa, dici? Ma te le sei viste le quadri che hai in mano?*).

Dove attaccate? Avete piena libertà.

## Years are good for Bridge!

We think that a lady participant in the Mixed Pairs deserve a special mention. She is **Ruth Minkoff**, from Geneva, Switzerland, playing with **Hervé Mouiel**, from France, she managed to reach the final and finished with some 34 pairs behind her. If you think you could do better, wait till you are 86, her age, to prove it. Well done Mrs Minkoff!



Diciamo che per mantenere la salute della coppia attaccate cuori. Scende il morto:

(io sono il morto)

- ♠ 10 8
- ♥ A 9 5 3
- ♦ F 10 5 4
- ♣ A R F

(voi siete qui)

- ♠ D 7 6 5 3
- ♥ 8 7
- ♦ A D
- ♣ 10 9 8 6

Ci siete ancora? La dichiarante entra con l'Asso di cuori (il compagno dà il 10), tira l'Asso di fiori su cui scarta la Dama di cuori e gioca il Fante di quadri a girare. Prendete con la Dama, credo, e....

OK, OK, sono finiti i colori, il dichiarante ha la 6/5, il vostro taglia a picche, non vi offendete, non era un quiz, è che mi pagano per riga..... Il totale:

Board 10. Dich. Est. Tutti in zona

♠ —		♠ A R F 9 4 2									
♥ R F 10 6 2		♥ D 4									
♦ 6 3		♦ R 9 8 7 2									
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♦ F 10 5 4											
♣ A R F											
♠ D 7 6 5 3											
♥ 8 7											
♦ A D											
♣ 10 9 8 6											

Sud, nella fattispecie, ha tirato un secondo giro di quadri nella speranza, molto lontana, di ottenere qualcosa a picche.

Segnare la manche è stato un gran guadagno, ma una piccola segnatura era già nell'aria in quanto nell'altra sala I tedeschi si sono spinti a 6♦ (due down con il taglio a picche).

**LA QUINTA CARTA DEL COLORE PIU' LUNGO**

Board 5. Dich. Nord. N/S in zona

♠ R 10 7		♠ 2									
♥ 9		♥ F 7 5 3 2									
♦ R 9 7 5 4		♦ F 6 3									
♣ D 10 7 4		♣ R F 5 3									
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♣ A 9 6 2											
♠ D F 9 6 5 4											
♥ A R 10 8 6											
♦ D											
♣ 8											

Nelle due sale:

- stesso contratto (4♠),
- stesso silenzio avversario,
- stessa povertà di informazioni per la difesa (sono state dette praticamente solo le picche),
- stesso attacco (♠3, il tre di picche),
- stesso inizio (♠10 e ♦D),
- stessa prosecuzione (♦A, ♠A e....♠ - ahil!),
- stessa speranza (♠R, ♦R - via la fiori).

"Ma allora si può sapere perché ce la raccontati? Stesso risultato, per caso?"

No, non proprio. In sala aperta, sulla ripetizione in atout di Reim, la von Armin, in Est, ha divorziato da una cuori (ahil!) ed Enza Rossano, dopo aver scartato la perdente a fiori, ha tirato in testa le cuori portando a casa 10 prese. In chiusa, invece, Monica Buratti si è incollata le cuori e la dichiarante ne ha pagate due (nella fattispecie ha fatto girare il 9).

E poi le chiamano cartine.....

L'incontro è finito 24/6 per l'Italia.

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Prima di iniziare a parlare del Torneo a squadre e mentre si sente ancora l'eco dei meritissimi applausi tributati a Monica e Carlo, ci fa piacere ricordare che un'altra coppia italiana, quella dei romani Nicola Tessitore e Giulio Mundula, ha raggiunto un risultato di tutto rispetto nel Campionato a coppie: il nono posto assoluto ed il titolo di Campioni Seniores. Bravissimi!

Nel primo turno del Campionato a squadre si sono incontrati due teams di altissimo livello e con piu' che legittime ambizioni di podio: quello francese di Chemla e quello italiano di Attanasio. I francesi, che schierano Chemla-D'Ovidio in aperta e Quantin-Favas in chiusa, giocano il loro collaudatissimo naturale. Gli italiani, con Guerra-Paoluzi in aperta e Attanasio-Manara in chiusa, il fiori forte.

Board 1

♠ R 7		♠ 9 8 5 4									
♥ R 8 7		♥ F 9 5 2									
♦ R 9 5 4		♦ D 8 6									
♣ A R 9 6		♣ 5 3									
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♣ 10 8											

APERTA

**Nord**

- 1♣
- ISA
- 3SA

**Sud**

- 1♠
- 2♦ (8+bil)
- fine

CHIUSA

**Nord**

- ISA
- 2♦
- fine

**Sud**

- 2♣
- 3SA

Subito uno swing dovuto al diverso attacco effettuato nelle due sale. Mentre sull'attacco a cuori in aperta, la Paoluzi, indovinando un po' tutto, riesce a mettere insieme 11 prese, in chiusa, l'attacco di 8 di picche della Manara mette in seria difficoltà il dichiarante che prende in mano, rientra al morto con l'asso di cuori e tenta l'impasse alla dama di quadri. Gabriella, in presa, torna picche per il fante del morto e la dama di Attanasio che ri-gioca nel colore. Quando Dario rientra in presa con l'asso di quadri, gioca il 2 di fiori prima di incassare la picche e Quantin non è abbastanza "divinato" da stare basso. Un down e 12 M.P. per Attanasio.

Board 2

♠ 8 7 6 4 3		♠ D F 9
♥ —		♥ F 7 6 2
♦ D 4		♦ 9 7 3
♣ A F 9 8 5 4		♣ 10 6 2

♠ A R		♠ D F 9
♥ A R D 9 8 4 3		♥ F 7 6 2
♦ F 10 6 2		♦ 9 7 3
♣ —		♣ 10 6 2

♠ 10 5 2		
♥ 10 5		
♦ A R 8 5		
♣ R D 7 3		

Sull'apertura di 1 quadri della Favas, Attanasio rompe gli indugi e dichiara 4 cuori. Prende il contro e scrive +590. In aperta la licita va così:

<b>Ovest</b>	<b>Nord</b>	<b>Est</b>	<b>Sud</b>
contro	surcontro (fiori)	passo	1 SA (12-15)
4♥			2♣

Nessuno contra e sono altri 170 per gli italiani.

Nel board 3 un 3SA chiamato in entrambe le sale, è preludio di un ritorno dei francesi nel 4. Infatti con:

Board 4

♠ A 8 6		
♥ F 8 5		
♦ 9 7		
♣ A F 10 4 3		

♠ 10 2		
♥ A D 9 7 4		
♦ A D 10 6 2		
♣ 8		

Quantin - Favas chiamano 4 cuori, Guerra - Paoluzi no.

Ancora un doppio score per la Francia nel board 5 dove gli italiani cadono di una presa a 3 quadri in aperta e di due a 4 picche in chiusa.

Al board 6 tredici facili prese in 7 SA chiamati nelle due sale.

Board 7

♠ R D 9 2		♠ F 10 8 7
♥ R F 9		♥ 8 7 3
♦ D 9		♦ A 5 3 2
♣ A 8 5 2		♣ F 10

♠ A 6 5		♠ 4 3
♥ D 10 2		♥ A 6 5 4
♦ 8		♦ R F 10 7 6 4
♣ R D 9 6 4 3		♣ 7

APERTA

<b>Ovest</b>	<b>Nord</b>	<b>Est</b>	<b>Sud</b>
1♣	contro	1♠	passo
contro	2SA	passo	2♠ (♦♥)
passo	3♥	passo	3♦
			4♥

CHIUSA

<b>Ovest</b>	<b>Nord</b>	<b>Est</b>	<b>Sud</b>
2♣	contro	passo	passo
			3♦

In questo caso il sistema sembra pagare. L'apertura di Dario rende ardua la via del 4 cuori per i francesi, mentre quella a livello 1 di Chemla permette alla Paoluzi di dichiarare la sua bicolore e alla coppia italiana di chiamare questa bellissima manche in zona. +470 per l'Italia.

3 picche 1 down per i nostri e 3 picche fatte per i francesi nel board 8. Poi, nel 9, grande giocata di Gabriella Manara.

Board 9

♠ 10 6 4		♠ D 3 2
♥ 9 6 3		♥ 10 4 2
♦ A F 3		♦ D 9 7 6
♣ 7 6 5 4		♣ A R D

♠ A R 7		♠ F 9 8 5
♥ A 5		♥ R D F 8 7
♦ R 10 8 4		♦ 5 2
♣ 10 9 8 2		♣ F 3

Sia la Paoluzi che la Favas attaccano di Re di cuori. Mentre la D'Ovidio, preso con l'asso al morto, entra in mano a fiori e gioca quadri al Re per l'Asso di Guerra che torna cuori battendo il contratto di una presa, Gabriella muove immediatamente quadri dal morto e Quantin, che è un fortissimo giocatore ma non un veggente, lascia, permettendo alla nostra campionessa di realizzare la nona presa. +700 per Attanasio. Ancora 2 surlevées in 1 SA giocato da sud, consentono agli italiani di conquistare altri 2 M.P. e di vincere l'incontro per 41 a 19 (21/9).



# Appeal No.7

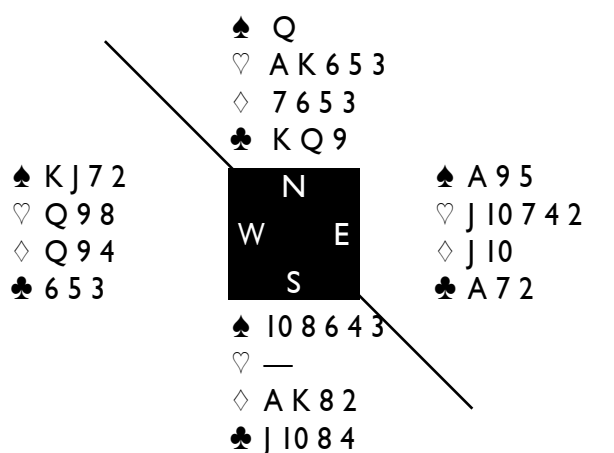


## England v Israel

### Appeals Committee:

Herman De Wael (Chairman and Scribe, Belgium), Naki Bruni (Italy), Philippe Cronier (France).

Mixed Pairs Final — First Session  
Board 17. Dealer North. None Vul.



West	North	East	South
Birman	Roberts	Birman	Curran
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
All Pass	3NT	Pass	4♦

### Contract:

Four Diamonds, played by North.

### Result:

10 tricks, +130 to North/South.

### The Facts:

West called the Director after the bid of Four Diamonds, to report a break in tempo in the return of the tray with Three No Trump.

### The Director:

Considered that passing Three No Trump was a logical alternative.

### Ruling:

Score adjusted to Three No Trump, making eight tricks; -50 to North/South.

**North/South appealed.**

### The Players:

West stated that the tray had remained on the other side for two minutes. South said she had agreed, at the table, that there had been some delay, more than 15 seconds, but certainly not of two minutes. North agreed that he had taken some time in selecting his bid, but attributed the delay to East asking questions. East stated categorically that she had not asked any questions after 3NT, but only after 2♦.

South explained her bidding. 2♦ is non-forcing, showing five cards in hearts and at least four in diamonds (they play four-card majors). She had bid 3♦ on trumps rather than points. She could picture her partner with 1-5-4-3, since with 2-5-4-2 he would have bid 3♠, and she felt that 3NT would not make. Although she had noticed the delay, she felt it was not pronounced enough to compromise her in the bidding.

### The Committee:

Had to find the answer to three questions:

- 1) Had there been Unauthorised Information?  
While the Committee did not believe the delay had been two minutes, it did consider the delay to be in the order of 30 seconds. South had admitted to a delay, and North had admitted to thinking. It was felt that any delay should, in the eyes of South, be attributable to partner, and so Unauthorised Information was considered present.
- 2) Did the Unauthorised Information suggest bidding 4♦?  
While bidding 4♦ did seem the correct action, any hesitation would make it appear more likely that it would also be the winning action. In that sense, certainly the hesitation did suggest bidding 4♦.
- 3) Is passing a logical alternative?  
The Committee agreed that bidding Four Diamonds was a normal action on the hand. However, for it to be the winning action, one has to find two tricks more in diamonds than in No Trump. It was felt that, in Pairs, a substantial minority of players would in fact leave in the contract of Three No Trump and hope for the best. Indeed, give North the queen of diamonds, and have East leading clubs, and the contract is made.

Law 16 says that when in the possession of Unauthorised Information, and in the presence of a Logical Alternative, a player is not allowed to take the suggested action.

Therefore the Director was correct in adjusting the score.

### The Committee's decision:

Director's decision upheld.

### Relevant Laws:

Law 16A, Law 12C2.

### Deposit:

Returned.

### Committee's note:

Even if the responses to the three questions that need to be answered are individually marginal, the three pieces of doubt, taken together, do not make the action acceptable. Since the three responses were affirmative, the adjustment was appropriate.

## Mixed Teams - List of Participants

1	POPP K	AUS	PATUZZI W.	SEMMELRATH	SEMMELRATH W.		
2	HARDEMAN	BEL CRO	BONDA Y.	HENRI J.	SERRAS J.		
3	LABAERE A.	BEL	CARCASSONNE	V.DEN BOSSH	VAN MIDDELEM G		
4	GEORGIEV	BUL	GEORGIEVA	IVANTHEV H.	IVANOVA S.		
5	POPOVA	BUL	GUNEV R.	IVANOVA M.	POPOV B.		
6	SVER N	CRO	TOMIC T.	DIKLIC D.	MULLER R.		
7	REFI B.	CRO	ZAGAJSEK S	BIONDIC V.	TRAUB I.	MATIJEVIC	JURICA
8	PETROVIC	CRO	PETROVIC I	BRKLJACIC	BRKLJACIC M.	TESLA M.	ILIPOVIC
9	MADSEN L.	DEN	BEKKOUCHE	RAHELT M.	MADSEN M.		
10	SIGSGAARD	DEN	MARTENSEN	HECHT G.	HECHT-JOHANSEN		
11	AUKEN J.	DEN	AUKEN S.	SCHALTZ D.	SCHALTZ P.		
12	SIMON	ENG ITA	LIPTON A.	MUNDULA G	TESSIORE N		
13	BUDD M	ENG	HARRIS M.	DENISON M.	LAYTON M.		
14	ROBERTS D.	ENG	CURRAN V.	BURN S.	KING P.		
15	LATHAM T.	ENG S	LATHAM J.	HOBSON H.	GARTHWAITE R.		
16	JUURI-OJA	FIN LAT	JUURI-OJA	ALFEEJEVA	GONCA V.		
17	HONKAVUORI	FIN ISR S	HONKAVUORI	SAXON	RIMON R.		
18	REPS K.	GER	RAUSCHEID	VON ARNIM	REIM S.		
19	MAYBACH R.	GER	SCHRECKENBE	GLADIATOR	OELKER C.		
20	GOTARD T.	GER	GOTARD B.	CAESAR K.	KONDOCH H.		
21	ENGEL B.	GER	KUZSELKA B	ALBERTI A.	BAUSBACK N.		
22	SCHILHART	GER	ZARKESCH F	GRAMBERG W	BOEDDEKER		
23	BIRR B	GER	GROMANN I.	EDELMANN G.	ACHILLES S.		
24	SCHNEIDER	GER	WEBER E.	SMYKALLA G	WEBER F.		
25	GOLL M.	GER	KLEIN H.	BARTELS R.	SCHMITT T.		
26	GABOS G.	HUN	RETI Z.	KOVACS Z.	NYARADI G.		
27	BLONDAL K.	ICE	SIGURJONSD	IVARSDOTTI	BALDURSSON G.		
28	INGIMARSSO	ICE	THORSTEINSSON	JOHANNESDO	THORSTEINS		
29	HJALTASON	ICE	KRISTJONSD	THEODORSSONICE	GUDJONSDOT		
30	SNORRASON	ICE	GUDNADOTTI	SIGURJONSD	THORDARSON S.		
31	CLEARY A.	IRE	LESSELS G.	CLEARY E.	KIRBY B.		
32	MORAN J.	IRE	PIPPET C.	O'NEILL A.	O'NEILL A.		
33	PORTEOUS P	IRE	TRENCH M.	MAGUIRE P.	KEAVENEY G.		
34	SAGIV J.	ISR	SAGIV S.	POPLILOV L.	POPLILOV M		
35	HERBST	ISR	BARR	GORODETZKY	SCHWARTZ A.		
36	HETZ	ISR	LEIBOVITZ G.	GIANARDI	HETZ		
37	DAN O.	ISR FRA S	ROSENBERG A.	PREVOTEAU	COUPERE		
38	SANDSMARK	NOR	SANDSMARK	KVERNSTROM	BRANDSNES F.		
39	LIE T.	NOR	FENESS J.	LANGELAND	HELGEMO G.		
40	ANDERSEN	NOR	ANDERSEN I	BREIVIK K.	HOYLAND S.		
41	VERHEES	NTH	VAN EIJNDH	LARDINOIS	DIRKS		
42	VAN EIJCK	NTH	VAN EIJCK	VERBEEK	PANNEBAKKER		
43	SISSelaar	NTH	BAK	VAN CLEEFF	WILLEMSE	JIALAL	
44	ZAKRZEWSKI	POL	HOCHER D	SOBOLEOSKA	SZYMANOVSKI M.	ROMANSKI J.	BAMBETH F.
45	ZANISLAK	POL	GOLEBIEWSKI S.	ZALEWSKA J	HISZEWSKA	GARDY	LUTOSTANSKI P.
46	NOWAK J.	POL	CZEKAJ E.	BARYLEWSKI M.	DROBINIAK	BUZE W.	
47	WITKOWSKI	POL S	SKOPINSKA	BUDZIK J.	BUDZIK R.		
48	RATYNSKI	POL	KATER E.	KOZYRA E.	STEPINSKI J.		
49	KOWALSKI	POL	BANASKIEWICZ E	BREWIAK G.	JAGNIEWSKI R.	ROSENBLUM M.	PANINA L.

50	STEFANIUK	POL	TYSZOWNICKI	LESIECKA B	LANKOSZ M.		
51	WALCZAK	POL	KROGULSKA	ARASZKIEWICZ	PASTERNAK	CHODOROWSK	CHODOROWSKI
52	BURAKOWSKI	POL	STASIEWICZ	CIECHONISKI	PREOROWSKA		
53	CAPUCHO M.	POR GER	JOAO LARA	NEHMERT	YUEN M.		
54	VOLINA	RUS	GROMOVA	ROMANOVSKA	SHUDNEV	KHOLOMEEV	GROMOV
55	ROUSSETSKY	RUS	MITYAGINA	NIKEL	DOUNAENKO		
56	STEEL L.	SCO	McQUAKER	McGOWAN L.	BAXTER K.		
57	CLOW B.	SCO	S CLOW M.	McEWING H.	BRUCE I.		
58	ROOS A	SWE	KARLSSON P.	STRINDBERG	WINQVIST T.		
59	KARLSSON	SWE	KARLSSON	LARSSON	LJUNG		
60	ZIMMERMANN	SWI	DELOR E.	MORETTI R.	SAPORTA P.		
61	DEMIRBAS	TUR	TOKCAN M.	KEFELI N.	DE TARANTO	BIROL	
62	BARONI F.	ITA	FRATI A.	ALLAMPRESE	FERRARA M.	DECRESCENZ	
63	BONAVOGLIA	ITA	FUSARI E.	POMARES C.	CECERE A.		
64	BRIDGERAMA	ITA	D'AVOSSA M	TAGLIAFERR	ROMANI D.	RUSSO P.	
65	DE SIMONE	ITA	PRIMAVERA R.	PRIMAVERA F.	UNGER S.	CUZZI M.	MAGRINI L.
66	FACCHINI	ITA	BARBIERI E.	LOLLI L.	BUZZONI C.	VENNI A.	BELLOMONTE M.
67	FERLAZZO F	ITA	FERLAZZO C	ROVERA L.	MORITSCH M.	GOLIN C.	PULGA R.
68	FORNACIARI	ITA	CITTOLIN L	BURATTI M.	MARIANI C.	ROSSANO E.	VIVALDI A.
69	FRENSIS	ITA	HUGONY F.	GENTILI L.	AGHEMO M.	FRANCO G.	SEVERGNINI
70	LIGAMBI L.	ITA	COLONNA O.	DEBIASIO A	ZENARI F.		
71	MANARA	ITA	ATTANASIO	PAOLUZI S.	GUERRA E.	CORCHIA R.	MATRICARDI G.
72	MEGLIO	ITA	PISCITELLI	GIGLIOTTI	DIBELLO F.		
73	BONORI	ITA	D'ANDREA M	CAPODANNO	MOSCA C.	FERRARO G.	GAVELLI G.
74	LAVAZZA	ITA	DUBOIN G.	OLIVIERI G	BOCCHI N.	DESARIO S.	DEFALCO S.
75	PATELLI G.	ITA	RIZZO M.	DONATI G.	RICCIARELLI M.	BECCUTI E.	MURGIA
76	PIAZZA R.	ITA	FERRETTI A	GERGATI P.	TERENZI R.		
77	PIZZA E.	ITA	SCARPACI	COSTA A.	DE CRESCENDO		
78	PRINCIPE G	ITA	BALDASSIN	RICCIO E.	MINALDO C.		
79	SAVELLI L.	ITA	FERRI R.	PIERCE R.	LATESSA A.	SALVEMINI	CATUCCI C.
80	SEMENTA A.	ITA	TEMPESTINI	CANESI M.	CEDOLIN F.	ARRIGONI G	MENICACCI M.
81	TAMBURRINI	ITA	CANDUCCI L	CESARI B.	ZUCCHELLI S.	MAESTRI A.	SCULLIN G.
82	CHEMLA P.	FRA	D'OVIDIO C	FAVAS A-F.	QUANTIN J-C.		
83	DUGUET M.	FRA	DUGUET M.	MOERS J.	ROMBAUT J.		
84	FRANCES J.	FRA	TISSERAND	PEROL M.	BOUERY J.		
85	KAPLAN L.	FRA	CRONIER P.	PIGEAUD F.	LUSTIN C.		
86	LALANNE B.	FRA	RICARD C.	RIBEROL C.	PACAULT H.		
87	LE PODER J	FRA	CURETTI N.	BACO L.	ALLEGRI P.	CERTAIN-MI	BARUCCHI C.
88	MARI C.	FRA	S RENOUX M-F	LEENHARDT	LEENHARDT F.		
89	MAURIN D.	FRA	KITABGI A-	PEYROT N.	VOLDOIRE J-M.		
90	BELLO	FRA	VAN DER MEUT J	LESUR S.	CASSAR H.		
91	DAS ML	FRA	KREMER J-P.	BLOUQUIT C	FAIVRE E.	HUIBAN J-M.	BRIERE J-P.
92	LISE C	FRA POL	DAMIANI J.	HARASIMOWICZ	LESNIEWSKI	BEINEIX J-C.	
93	LACROIX	FRA	MAUBERQUEZ E.	LEGER R.	OURSSEL C.	RACZYNSKA	ALLIX J-F.
94	WAKSMAN	FRA	NEVE	BEAUMIER	BEAUMIER		
95	NAHMIA A.	FRA	SCHAUFELB	DENOIZE C.	ADAD P.		
96	SAMY A.	FRA ISR	SAMY B.	RAND N.	MEYER M.	MEYER J-P.	CALLEA G.
97	SANGLIER	FRA	AVON D.	CAHAGNE A.	STOPPA JL	ALLOUCHE D	SUSSEL P.
98	STRETZ F.	FRA	SERF M.	ROTH M.	TOFFIER P.		
99	THUILLEZ L	FRA	COURTY N.	DE GUILLEB	DUPUIS X.	MAGIS I.	SEBBANE L.
100	TISSOT G.	FRA	WILLARD S.	LEVY A.	CRONIER B.	MOUIEL H.	
101	VIVES J-L.	FRA	VIVES C.	POIZAT R.	POIZAT P.		

## Mixed Teams - Ranking after 4 Rounds

Name	Country	Round 4	Total	Name	Country	Round 4	Total
1 THUILLEZ L.	FRA	25	81	52 PRINCIPE G.	ITA	23	60
2 LALANNE B.	FRA	25	81	53 PATELLI G.	ITA	16	60
3 Mrs BONORI	ITA	24	81	54 Ms LAVAZZA	ITA	11	60
4 CAPUCHO M.	POR	16	79	55 PIAZZA R.	ITA	11	59
5 MAYBACH R.	GER	14	79	56 PETROVIC	CRO	21	59
6 SCHNEIDER	GER	25	79	57 WITKOWSKI	POL	13	58
7 ROBERTS D.	ENG	25	77	58 Mrs HERBST	ISR	19	58
8 GOTARD T.	GER	14	76	59 Mrs BUDD M.	ENG	18	57
9 VOLINA	RUS	19	76	60 SISSELAAR	NTH	14	57
10 Mrs SVER N.	CRO	20	76	61 BONAVOGLIA	ITA	6	57
11 FORNACIARI	ITA	16	75	62 Mrs SIMON	ENG	11	57
12 Mrs POPOVA	BUL	22	74	63 MEGLIO	ITA	7	56
13 PORTEOUS P.	IRE	15	73	64 INGIMARSSO	ICE	17	56
14 LABAERE A.	BEL	15	73	65 LIET.	NOR	8	56
15 FRANCES J.	FRA	23	73	66 ENGEL B.	GER	3	55
16 LE PODER J.	FRA	18	69	67 ANDERSEN	NOR	19	55
17 Mrs BELLO	FRA	18	69	68 GABOS G.	HUN	11	54
18 GEORGIEV	BUL	22	69	69 ZAKRZEWSKI	POL	12	54
19 KOWALSKI	POL	15	69	70 MADSEN L.	DEN	22	54
20 Ms LACROIX	FRA	18	69	71 CLEARY A.	IRE	7	53
21 MANARA	ITA	15	68	72 MARI C.	FRA	13	52
22 SAVELLI L.	ITA	11	68	73 GOLL M.	GER	10	52
23 CHEMLA P.	FRA	19	68	74 LATHAM T.	ENG	17	52
24 TISSOT G.	FRA	16	68	75 JUURI-OJA	FIN	12	51
25 HARDEMAN	BEL	23	68	76 WALCZAK	POL	10	51
26 ZIMMERMANN	SWI	18	67	77 MORAN J.	IRE	17	51
27 FRENIS	ITA	19	67	78 BURAKOWSKI	POL	17	50
28 BARONI F.	ITA	14	66	79 Mrs POPP K.	AUS	11	50
29 VIVES J-L.	FRA	16	66	80 FERLAZZO F.	ITA	9	49
30 DUGUET M.	FRA	10	66	81 SAMY A.	FRA	8	49
31 DE SIMONE	ITA	19	65	82 STEEL L.	SCO	0	47
32 STRETZ F.	FRA	25	65	83 HJALTASON	ICE	13	47
33 KARLSSON	SWE	14	64	84 VERHEES	NTH	9	47
34 Mrs ROOS A.	SWE	13	64	85 BLONDAL K.	ICE	11	47
35 RATYNSKI	POL	12	63	86 REFI B.	CRO	22	47
36 Mrs HETZ	ISR	12	63	87 SNORRASON	ICE	13	47
37 LIGAMBI L.	ITA	19	63	88 Mrs DAN O.	ISR	16	47
38 VAN EIJCK	NTH	12	63	89 TAMBURRINI	ITA	0	46
39 SANDSMARK	NOR	22	63	90 FACCHINI	ITA	13	46
40 STEFANIUK	POL	17	62	91 BRIDGERAMA	ITA	17	45
41 KAPLAN L.	FRA	20	62	92 Mrs BIRR B	GER	4	44
42 AUKEN J.	DEN	17	62	93 SIGSGAARD	DEN	7	44
43 DEMIRBAS	TUR	5	61	94 PIZZA E.	ITA	13	43
44 SCHILHART	GER	12	61	95 NOWAK J.	POL	0	41
45 REPS K.	GER	21	61	96 SAGIV J.	ISR	0	41
46 MAURIN D.	FRA	18	61	97 Mrs LISE C.	FRA	4	40
47 NAHMIAS A.	FRA	20	61	98 ZANISLAK	POL	14	40
48 Ms WAKSMAN	FRA	25	61	99 ROUSSETSKY	RUS	17	40
49 Mrs DAS ML.	FRA	4	60	100 SEMENTA A.	ITA	8	39
50 SANGLIER	FRA	8	60	101 CLOW B.	SCO	8	28
51 HONKAVUORI	FIN	4	60				