



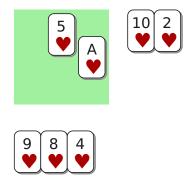
Signalling on the lead trick in a NT contract

Signaling by the 3rd player after his partner's lead.

Most of the time, he will have to play his highest card. If either his partner -who led, or dummy, is master, then he will be able to send his partner a signal.

The signals will depend on the lead card (low or high) and on dummy's cards.

- 1 On a low card lead odd-even card count
- 2 On an honor lead signaling will depend on the honor (Ace, K, Q) and dummy's cards



Exercise 4974 Dummy is making the trick. Give your partner your card count. Play the 9, later you'll play 4 ♥. Showing an even number of cards.