



## The Responder's first bid after a level 1 Major opening - Suit shift (

## Responses to a level 1 Major opening - Suit Shift

>When you don't have support, you may bid another suit :at level 1 with  $\,$  a minimum of 5 HCP and at least 4 cards in the suit .

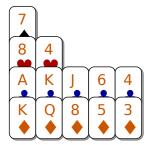
at level 2 (2/1) with game force values (13+ HCP)

## Caution!

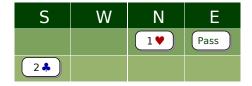
- In response to a 1♠ opening, 2♥ promises 5 cards.
- In the minor suits, 4 cards are enough.
- All shifts are forcing.







Problem E40004 2♣ With 14HCP, a ♥ doubleton, not 4 cards in ♠... bid your longest minor.... Here, with two 5-cards suits respond in the higher-ranking suit...You might then bid 3♣ in the next round.





















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