

Jim's Lessons Running a Suit in NT

Board 3

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8 6 5 3 2
♥ J 9 5 4
♦ 6
♣ 5 4

♠ 9

♥ 6 3 2

♦ A K Q J 9 5 4

♣ 6 2



♠ K 10 7 4
♥ A 8 7
♦ 10
♣ A J 10 7 3

♠ A Q

♥ K Q 10

♦ 8 7 3 2

♣ K Q 9 8

NS 5N; NS 5♦; E 2♠; NS 2♣; W 1♠;

NS 1♥; Par +460

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
			1 NT

Pass	3 NT	All pass	
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3 NT by South

Many declarers run a suit without knowing what to discard from there hand.

This can often cost them from making the most tricks.

You should usually put off running a long suit until the end or near the end.

How did you do on this hand?