

Showing Hand Records on your Altosoft / Bridge Australia Web Site

If you load the deal file into the session or event match, that deal file is automatically uploaded with the session and no external deal files need to be uploaded. However, you will still need to copy the TXT, BRI or PBN to a location where Compscore3 will find it.

Deal files can be loaded into a session one of two ways:

Entry via the Session Setup form

You can enter the deal file name on the Session Setup form.

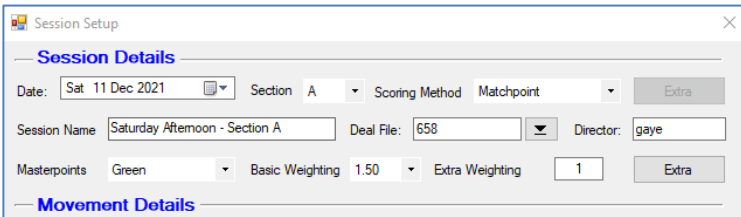
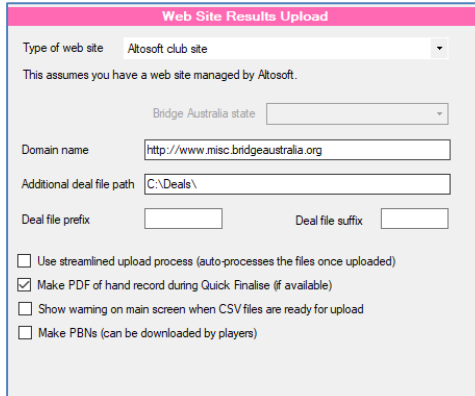
This process first expands the file name you entered by adding a prefix and suffix you've nominated when you set up the Web Upload parameters under

Options – Web Site. For example, if you enter 123 as the deal file, and have “sb” as the prefix and “.txt” as the suffix, Compscore3 will look for a file called sb123.txt.

Compscore3 will check in 3 folders for this file, specifically

- Compscore3\Web\Deal Files,
- Compscore3\Web\Deal Files\Archive
- the folder is any you have as your Additional Deal File path under Web options.

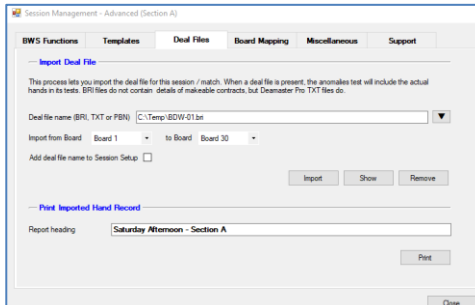
If it finds the file in one of these locations, it will load it into the session. If it can't find the file, it will show the deal file name you've entered in red.

Entry via separate Deal File Import process

You can load a deal file into any session or event match on the **Setup** tab under the **Advanced Functions, Deal Files** tab. This process also allows you to browse to any folder and also allows you to print the hand record.

This is the only method of loading a deal file into an event match.

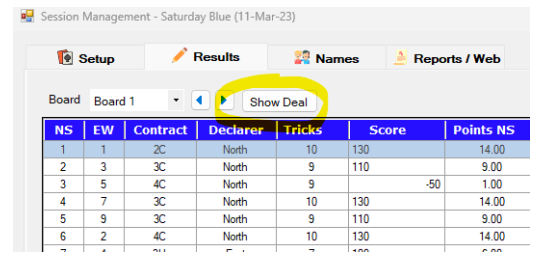


Things to note...

You can tell if a deal file has been loaded successfully by whether or not there is a Show Deal button on the Bridgemate Results tab – see pic.

Of the 3 deal file formats, BRI files contains the hands only, whereas PBNs and TXTs contains the hands and makeables. I

The process on Compscore2 involved loading a separate TXT or BRI file to the web site. That will still work in Compscore3 but is made redundant by the above.



The screenshot shows the 'Results' tab in the Bridgemate software. The window title is 'Session Management - Saturday Blue (11-Mar-23)'. The 'Results' tab is active, and a yellow circle highlights the 'Show Deal' button. Below the button is a table with the following data:

NS	EW	Contract	Declarer	Tricks	Score	Points NS
1	1	2C	North	10	130	14.00
2	3	3C	North	9	110	9.00
3	5	4C	North	9		-50 1.00
4	7	3C	North	10	130	14.00
5	9	3C	North	9	110	9.00
6	2	4C	North	10	130	14.00