


DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening)
Usually 5 cards with 8-16 HCP, maybe light in favorable situation
Responses: New suit=NF; Cue bid=F1; Raises=Preempts
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
INT Overcall 2 nd : Nat 15-18; Responses: Nat
INT Overcall 4 th : 11 - 15; Responses: 2C= asks for range
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Jump Overcall= WJS; Responses: Cue=FG; New suit=F1
Unusual NT: 1M-2NT=OM +♣ ; 1m-2NT=♠ + om
DIRECT AND JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopen)
Direct Cue = 2 high unbid suits , 2 NT = High and low unbid suits
3C/D = 2 low unbid suits
Jump Cue bid= asks for stopper
VS. NT (Vs. Strong/ Weak; Reopening; PH)
2 nd & 4 th seat: Landis conventions
2♣=Ms, 2♥= Heart, 2♠ = Spades , 2 NT= ms, 3C/D = NAT
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids)
Dbl=T/O; NAT
Vs 2: Cue bid=asks for stopper; Jumps =Constructive
Vs 3: 3m - 4m=Ms; 3m - 4om=om+M; 3M-4M=Om+m
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS
Nat O/C
OVER OPPONENTS TAKEOUT DOUBLE
1M-X-1NT/2C/2D/2H=Trf; 1M-X-2M=Weak. 1M-X-2NT=Truscott
1m-x-3m=weak, 1m-x-2nt=weaker

LEADS AND SIGNALS				
OPENING LEADS STYLE				
	LEAD	In Partner's Suit		
Suit	4 th	4 th		
NT	4 th	4 th		
Subseq	Present Count	Present Count		
Smith signals in NT				
Suit Preference				
LEADS				
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT		
Ace	AKx(+)	AKx(+)		
King	AK;KQ(J/10)x(+)	AKJx(+);KQ10x(+)		
Queen	QJx(+)	KQx(+);QJx(+)		
Jack	J10x(+);KJ10x(+)	J10x(+);AJ10x(+);KJ10x(+)		
10	109x(+)	H109x(+),109x(+)		
9	9x(+)			
Hi-x	Xx; XXxx, xXxx	Xx; XXxx, xXxx		
Lo-x	xXX, xXXxx	xXX, xXXxx		
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY				
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding	
Suit	1	Hi=Encg + Even	Hi=Even	Hi=Encg
	2	Lo=Discg + Odd	Lo= Odd	Lo=Discg
	3	Suit Preference	Suit Preference	
NT	1	Hi= Discg + Even		Hi=Encg
	2	Lo= Encg + Odd		Lo=Discg
	3	Suit Preference		
Vs NT, K asks CT/UB, A/Q asks ATT				
DOUBLES				
TAKEOUT DOUBLES(STYLE; RESPONSE; REOPENING)				
Style=12+ typical shape (may vary according to vuln or position) or any 17+				
Responses :Simple bid=0-7,jump bid=8-10, Cue bid is either Ms or 11+ FG				
T/O doubles = promise 2+ Suits				
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE (RE-)DOUBLES				
Negative X up to 5♦				
Supportive X , XX				
Responsive X				
Competitive X				
Optional X				
Lightener X				
Lead Directing X				

WBF CONVENTION CARD	
NCBO: EGYPT	
EVENT: All Events	
Category: Green	
PLAYER 1: Mokhtar Basuni	
PLAYER 2: Tarek Metwali	
SYSTEM SUMMARY	
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE	
Major 5, 2/1=GF;INT=F1,Bergen raises,J2NT	
♣ maybe 2, 1♦ usually 4, inverted minor, Checkback Stayman	
INT=15-17HCP, 4suits transfer, Extended Stayman, Smolen	
Artificial 2♣ , with artificial 2♦ response	
2♥ = wk 2♠	
Tartan	
Aggressive preempt bids	
Namyats	
RKCB 3041, Splinter, Exclusive Blackwood	
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE	
Michael Cuebid:	
2♥ / ♠ = wk 2♦ / ♣	
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES	
1x-overcall-Pass-Pass	
IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ANYWHERE	
After opponent intervention all suit bidding is none forcing	
PSYCHICS :Rare	

PENING BID	TICK IF ARTIFL		NEG DBL THRU	Description	Responses	Subsequent Action	Passed Hand Bidding
1♣		2	5♦	11-21HCP maybe 2 cards	1♦ cld be 3; Inverted minor, weak jump shifts, 2♦=5♠+4♥	Checkback Stayman; fourth suit=GF	
1♦		4	5♦	11-21HCP usually 4 cards	Same as 1♣	Same as 1♣	
1♥		5	5♦	11-21 HCP + 5cards at least	2/1=GF, 1NT=F1; Bergen raises; J2NT, 3NT=13-15+3cards fit, Splinter.	1♥-1NT-2♣=cld be 2; 2NT=17+ any distribution, long suit trial bid; Checkback Stayman; fourth suit=GF	1NT=Nat; 2♣=Drury 4 cards; 2♦ Drury w 3 cards
1♠		5	5♦	11-21 HCP + 5cards at least	Same as 1♥		
1NT		0		15-17HCP Balanced or Semi balanced	Stayman; Extended Stayman; Jacoby & Texas transfers; 3D=5431(54 minors); 4NT=Quant		
2♣	●	0	5♦	All strong hands, FG	2♦=R; 2x=Good 6 cards suit	2♥ forces 2♠	
2♦		5	4♣	Weak in ♦	New suit / NT = F1		
2♥		5	4♦	Weak in ♥, 5+	New suit / NT = F1		
2♠		5	4♦	Weak in ♠, 5+	New suit / NT = F1	Nat	
2NT		0	5♦	20-22 HCP Balanced or Semi balanced	Puppet; Trf;	Nat	
3Any		6		Natural Preempts	New suit= F1	Nat	
3NT		0		Solid 7 cards in minor	♣/♦ = P/C		
4♣	●	0		7/8 ♥ with 8-9 playing tricks, maybe 2A	4♦ = slam interest	Slam Approach And Conventions Splinter, Cue bid=1 st or 2 nd round Control RKCB 304152; Exclusive Blackwood Queen Trump Ask Grand Slam Force 5NT = Pick a slam	
4♦	●	0	7/8 ♠ with 8-9 playing tricks, maybe 2A	4♥ = slam interest			
4♥		7		Preempt			
4♠		7		Preempt			
4NT		0		Blackwood			