OTHER OPENING BIDS

	HCP	see Note	Min length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes
1♣	12+	☐	2			
1♦	12+	☐	4			
1♥	12+	☐	5		Jacobi Splinters Singleton at 3 void at 4	
1♠	12+	☐	5		Jacobi Splinters Singleton at 3 void at 4	
3 bids	<10	☐	7			
4 bids		☐	8			

*(Please enter your normal HCP range in the HCP column. Please tick box if you have any special agreements involving different values in particular positions (e.g. light openings in third seat) and include further details under Supplementary Details).

DEFENSIVE METHODS AFTER OPPONENTS OPEN

OPPONENTS OPEN A NATURAL ONE OF A SUIT	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes
Simple overcall	UCB		
Jump overcall	Good suit 8-14		
Cue bid	Michaels, 5-5 Leaping		
1NT Direct: Protective	15-17 (11-14)	'Systems on'	
2NT Direct: Protective	Lowest two suits, 5/5+		

OPPONENTS OPEN WITH	DEFENSIVE METHODS	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes
Strong 1♣	x = takeout, 1NT majors		
Short 1♣/1♦	x = takeout		
Weak 1NT	x = 15+ Multi-Landy: 2C majors, 2D any single suited, 2M = M + minor	2D over 2C = 'better major', 2NT over 2M = 'which minor?'	
Strong 1NT	Multi-Landy		
Weak 2	x = takeout, Leaping Michaels	15-17 = 1NT	
Weak 3	x = takeout		
4 bids	Takeout 4H pen over 4S		

SLAM CONVENTIONS

Name	Meaning of Responses	Action over interference
RKCB	5C 14, 5D 30 5H 2 no Q, 5S 2+Q, 5NT 2+wkg. void, 6C 1/3+v	D1st P2nd
	Kings thereafter other than the k| of trumps	
Gerber	Only direct over 1NT rebid	

COMPETITIVE AUCTIONS

Agreements after opening of one of a suit and overcall by opponents	
Level to which negative doubles apply	3S
Special meaning of bids	x normally guarantees four of other major, UCB
Exceptions / other agreements	

Agreements after opponents double for takeout

Redouble	9+ pts.	New suit		Jump in new suit WJS
Jump raise	Pre-emptive	2NT	snd. raise /Jac	Other

Other agreements concerning doubles and redoubles

1m by partner, 1H overcall, double = 4 spades or 1S = 5 spades

OTHER CONVENTIONS

Lebensohl after intervention over 1NT opener (fast arrival)

SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS

(Please cross-reference where appropriate to the relevant part of card, and continue on back if needed).

OPENING LEADS

For all the card combinations shown, clearly mark the card normally led if different from the underlined card.

Hatch over or shade this box if using non-standard leads.

v. suit contracts	A K Q J x H x x x	A K x J 10 x H x x x x	K Q 10 10 x x H x x x x x	K Q x 10 9 x x x	K J 10 9 8 7 x x x x	K 10 9 10 x x x x x x x	Q J 10 H x x
v. NT contracts	A K x (x) Q J x H x x x	A J 10 x J 10 x H x x x x	K Q 10 10 x x H x x x x x	K Q x 10 9 x x x	K J 10 9 8 7 x x x x	K 10 9 10 x x x x x x x	Q J 10 H x x

Other agreements in leading, e.g. high level contracts, partnership suits:-

Ace for attitude, King for count.

KQ10 unblock in NT

CARDING METHODS

	Primary method v suit contracts	Primary method v NT contracts
On Partner's lead	Att	Att
On Declarer's lead	Att	Att
When discarding	McKenny	McKenny

Other carding agreements, including secondary methods (state when applicable) and exceptions to above

Lebensohl over NT

Mckenny inferences

SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS (continued)

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GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF BIDDING METHODS

BENJI 5 CARD MAJORS WEAK NT

1NT OPENINGS AND RESPONSES

Strength 12-14 Tick if artificial and provide details below ☐

Shape constraints Could include five card major Tick if may have singleton ☐

Responses

2C Non-promissory Stayman (one or both majors any strength, weak if one major + long minor);

2D Transfer to hearts

2H Transfer to spades

2S Long clubs (weak, invitational, or strong with four card major)

2NT Long diamonds (weak, invitational, or strong with four card major)

Bid in between DENIES

Action after opponents double: 2C Stayman, 2D/2H Exit transfers with 5+ in suit, xx = 5+ minor weak (declarer bids 2C)

TWO-LEVEL OPENINGS AND RESPONSES

	Meaning	Responses	Notes
2C	21-22 or 8PT	2D negative	
2D	23-24 GF BIG	2H negative, 2NT 8-10, positive needs A+K	
2H	Weak	2NT = Strong enquiry OGUST	
2S	Weak	2NT = Strong enquiry OGUST	

Both players of a partnership must have identically completed convention cards.
Cards must be exchanged with opponents for each round.

2NT	19-20 balanced	5 C , 3D and 3H transfers, 3S 5S + 4H

OTHER ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE

(Please include details of any agreements involving bidding on significantly less than traditional values).

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