


DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
1 LEVEL; CAN BE EXTREMELY LIGHT 6 HCP+
2 LEVEL; USUALLY SOUND
REOPENING; GOOD SUIT GENERALLY, CAN BE PRETTY LIGHT IN HCP
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
Overall of NT is natural and the system is on. On opps NT overcall, dbl is penalty oriented, rest all natural and non-forcing at 2 level. Bids at 3 levels are invitational/forcing (if opps bid is at 2 level)
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
WEAK WITH MIN 6 CARDS, SUIT QUALITY DEPENDS ON VULNERABILITY, QJ10XXX TYPICAL MINIMUM AT EQUAL COLOURS
Reopen: AT LEAST OPENING HAND WITH GOOD SUIT
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
DIR CUEBIDS= MICHEALS (1m-2m shows both Majors)
JUMP CUEBIDS= ASKING STOPPER OF THE SUIT OPENED (USUALLY A STRONG HAND WITH A LONG SOLID SUIT)
REOPEN= SAME AS DIRECT, DBL & BID is 16+
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening; PH)
VS STRONG NT; CAPP AND NATURAL
VS WEAK NT; DBL= 15-18 BAL SYSTEM ON BY RESPONDER, OTHERS = NAT CONSTRUCTIVE
VS PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
DBL= T/O, CUE BID= STOPPER ASK, NT BIDS = STRONG BAL 15-18 OVER A WEAK 2, MAYBE A TACTICAL BID ON 3 LEVEL PREEMPT
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
X=MAJORS, 1NT=MINORS OTHERS NAT LEAD DIRECTING
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
1 LEVEL RESPONSE FORCING, 2 LEVEL JUMP is NF

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	4 TH /Low with honour	4 TH /Low with honour	
NT	4TH	4 TH , LOW FROM 3 IF	
Subsequent	SAME, HIGH CARD	UNSUPPORTED	
Other:	LEAD GENERALLY ASKS SHIFT		
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
ACE	AK	ASKS TO SIGNAL WITH	
KING	KQ	COUNT or ATTITUDE	
QUEEN	QJ		
JACK	J10, KJ10, AJ10, JX	SAME	
9/10	109, K109, A109, 10X	SAME	
9	USUALLY DBLTON	Same or top of nothing	
Hi-x	DBLTON		
Lo-X	3+	SAME	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	ATTITUDE	COUNT	Attitude, Hi Enc
Suit 2	COUNT		COUNT
3	SUIT PREF		SUIT PREF
1	ATTITUDE	COUNT	ATTITUDE
NT 2	COUNT		COUNT
3	SUIT PREF		SUIT PREF
Signals (including Trumps): NATURAL HI ENC CARDING &			
Hi lo Even, discard= only first discard Odd/Even rest standard discard, Odd==Encourage, Even= discourage			
ABILITY TO RUFF, TRUMPS PLAYED HI LO			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
PRETTY MUCH STANDARD AGREEMENTS			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
SUPP X, XX, LOW LEVEL RDBLS GENERALLY SOS, RESPONSIVE X			

 Pakistan Bridge Federation CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: MIXED TEAM June 24, 2019
PLAYERS: Aamir Ishaq – Neelefer Aslam
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
5 CARD MAJORS , 1D MIN 4 CARDS, 1C MIN DBTN, STRONG NT, 2/1 GF, CAPP. FORCING NT RESPONSE BY UP TO 1M OPENING. 1NT OPENINGS MAY HAVE SINGLTON IN A PINCH, SO THAT A REVERSE IS GENERALLY A PURE HAND. 2WAY REVERSE DRURY, LEBENSOHL, 2H=ARTIFICIAL BUST ON 2C OPENING RKC0314, INV MINORS, BERGEN RAISES & DIRECT SPLINTERS AFTER MAJOR SUIT OPENINGS DOPI BELOW 5 OF OUR SUIT, DEPO ABOVE 2NT RESPONSE TO 1 OF A MAJOR IS JACOBY
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
2D/H/S, weak 6+ cards, 2NT-3S minor ask
NT OVERCALLS NATURAL. JUMP 2NT IS UNUSUAL 1C/D 2C/D IS BOTH MAJORS ODD ENC, ROMAN DISCARDS
If not available, then HI ENC, NATURAL DISCARDS 3 RD , 4 TH SEAT MAJOR OPENINGS CAN BE 4 CARDS &
EXTREMELY LIGHT
Help Suit Ask (game try), feature ask
NT opening may have singleton or can have 5-4 or even 7222
Support Double and Redoubles
System on at double and 2club after opponents bid a suit on NT opening
1NT Dbl Rdbl is transfer to Clubs (can be passed)
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
Trap pass
IMPORTANT NOTES

