

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING	
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses 1/2 Level, Reopening)	
1 Level overcall 8 + HCP + Reasonable suit	
2 Level overcall sound + good suit (opening hand)	
Cuebid 1 round force Natural	
1NT OVERCALL (2ND /4TH Live, Responses, Reopening)	
15-18 Natural	
11-14 in balancing position	
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style, Responses, Unusual NT)	
Weak	
2NT Weak, Natural for Minors	
Reopening bid - intermediate	
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style, Response, Reopen)	
Michaels - Direct	
Jump cuebid = a) Strong Inviting to 3NT w/stopper b) 4D wit	
or 3 kings c) 4C otherwise	
Capaletti agst NT which could be Strong/Weak, Reopening	
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles, Cue-bids, Jumps, NT Bids)	
DBL is for take out showing values	
4H X is take out, 4S X is penalty oriented, 4NT shows 2 suite	
take out	
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS	
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE	
1C - DBL - RDBL = 7 +	
on any other natural opening RDBL shows 10+ points	
1D/1H DBL - 1S is forcing for one round	
1H/1S DBL - 2C = 3 Card Supp 7-9 HCP; 2D = 4 Card Supp 7-	
2NT=10-12 HCP&4 card supp; 3NT=13-15 & 4 card supp	

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	A from AK	Natural usually x from hon	
NT	4th Best or Natural	Depending on Bid x from hon.	
Subseq	Natural	Natural	
Other:			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AKxx	AKQxx, AKQT	
King	KQT, KQJ, KQxxx	KQJT, KQT9	
Queen	QJT, QJ9	AQJT,QJT,QJ9	
Jack	JT9x	AJT9, KJT9	
10	Tx, QT98	AT98, KT98	
9	Natural		
Hi-X	ENC	ENC	
Lo-X	DISC	DISC	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
SUIT	Attitude	SPS	SPS
	2 Count	Count	Count
	3 SPS		
N T	1 Attitude	SPS	SPS
	2 Count	Count	Count
	3 SPS		
Signals (including Trumps):			
Trump Echo, Smith Peter			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style, Responses, Reopening)			
Value Doubles			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITVE DBLS/RDLS			
Support Doubles			

W B F CONVENTION CARD	
CATEGORY: Pakistan seniors team BFAME 2025 - RED SYSTEM	
NCBO: Pakistan	
PLAYERS:	
Masood Mazhar - Ghalib Bandesha	
SYSTEM SUMMARY	
GENERAL APPROACH AND SYTLE	
Opening 1C is 11-15 with 5+C or 18+ HCP any distrib	
5 Card Majors; Opening 1D can be 1+	
2NT showing weak in minors/2 di for both majors	
Opening 2C = 15-18; 5 + Clubs unbalanced	
Ladder responses to 1C Opening	
Standard Count & Carding	
1NT Opening 15-17	
2 Over 1 ; GF, Namyat	
Ropi ,Dopi, exclusion, splinter	
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE	
1C either 18 any distribution or 11-15 with 5C+	
2NT weak in minors	
2C 15-18 with atleast 5C unbalanced	
2D/2H/2S Weak	
3 of any suit Preempt	
4H/4S to play less than opening hand	
2C/2D/2H/2S OVER 1C OPENING = MAX 4 CONCENTRATED PTS AND	
6 CARDER SUIT and 3C/3D/3H/3S = SAME WITH 7 CARDER SUIT	
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES	
IMPORTANT NOTES	
RKC 0314, unusual over unusual	
Checkback w/2C	
PSYCHIC: Rare	

OPENING	TICK IF						
	ARTIFICIAL	MIN.NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL .THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1C	2 WAY	NIL		11-15 PTS with 5+ Cl or 18+ any dist	ID 0-6, IH 7-9, 1S 10-12, INT 13+.	2C IS 12-15 WITH 5+C; 1H/1S/1NT is 18-20; 2NT=21-23;3NT=24-25	NATURAL
1D		1+		11-17 HCP	NATURAL / inverted minor	NATURAL	NATURAL
1H		5		11 - 17 HCP	BERGEN, DRURY, JACOBY	NATURAL	NATURAL
1S		5		11-17 HCP	BERGEN, DRURY, JACOBY	NATURAL	NATURAL
1NT				STRONG 15-17 PTS	2C STAYMAN, JACOBY & Texas TRANSFERS	Smollen	NATURAL
2C		5+		15-18 HCP UNBALANCED 5+Clubs	2D RELAY, OTHERS NATURAL	NATURAL	NATURAL
2D	YES	5+5		WEAK Majors	2NT ASKING BID. OTHERS NATURAL	3C/3D one /4C/4D void	NATURAL
2H		6		WEAK	2NT ASKING BID. OTHERS NATURAL	3H/3S one/two honor 9 to 11 hcp/3NT AKQ	NATURAL
2S		6		WEAK	2NT ASKING BID. OTHERS NATURAL	as above	NATURAL
2NT	YES	5-5		WEAK IN MINORS	3C/3D=PASS. 3H FORC. 3S/3NT TO PLAY	ON 3H-FEATURE; minor shows 6;	
3C		6		PREEMPT	NATURAL		NATURAL
3D		7		PREEMPT	NATURAL		NATURAL PREEMPT
3H		7		PREEMPT	NATURAL		NATURAL PREEMPT
3S		7		PREEMPT	NATURAL		NATURAL PREEMPT
3NT	YES			LONG MINOR 8 cards + PREEMPTIVE	4C/5C PASS OR CORRECT	NATURAL	NATURAL PREEMPT
4C/4D		7+		NAMYATS	4 H/S to play; 4D/H relay; other is asking	other is exclusion	
4H		6 +		TO PLAY	NATURAL	NATURAL	NATURAL
4S		6 +		TO PLAY	NATURAL	NATURAL	NATURAL
						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
						4NT, KEYCARD 03/14: GERBER 03/14	
						5NT, GRANDSLAM FORCE, DOPI, FORCING PASS	
						AFTER INTERFERENCE	