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GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF BIDDING METHODS

2/1 Game Force, 5 card majors

1NT OPENINGS AND RESPONSES

Strength Tick if artificial and provide details below

15-17

Shape constraints Tick if may have singleton

Responses 2♣ Stayman

2♦ transfer 2♥ transfer

2♠ transfer 2NT transfer

Others 3c puppet, 3d 5-5 weak, 3h 5-5 weak, 3s 5-5 strong, tr break is support

Action after opponents double system on over strong NT

Action after other interference Lebensohl, dbl over 2c = stolen bid

TWO-LEVEL OPENINGS AND RESPONSES

Meaning	Responses	Notes
2♣ Strong 22+ or within a trick of game	2D waiting, 2H bust	
2♦ 5H, 4S 11-15 HCP	2NT asking	
2♥ Weak (5-10) 6cd suit	Ogust, NSF	
2♠ Weak (5-10) 6cd suit	Ogust, NSF	
2NT 20-21	Puppet, transfers	

OTHER ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE

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

OTHER OPENING BIDS

	HCP	see Note *	Min length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes
1♣	12+		3			
1♦	12+	<input type="checkbox"/>	3			
1♥	12+	<input type="checkbox"/>	5		Rev bergen , Jacoby	
1♠	12+	<input type="checkbox"/>	5		Rev Bergen, Jacoby	
3 bids	5-10	<input type="checkbox"/>	7			
4 bids		<input type="checkbox"/>		4c,d = 8-8.5 tricks in h,s 4h,4s = preempt		

*(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	7-17, 5+	Q = 1 ROUND FORCE	
Jump overcall	preempt		
Cue bid	michaels		
1NT Direct: Protective:	Over weak nt, cappalletti; over strong nt, DONT		
2NT Direct: Protective:	2 lowest same		
OPPONENTS OPEN WITH	DEFENSIVE METHODS	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes
Strong 1♣	IDAK – dbl=majors, NT = minors, transfers		
Short 1♣/1♦	natural		
Weak 1NT	Cappaletti – dbl=penalty, 2c = 1suit, 2d = majors, 2major = oother major and minor		
Strong 1NT	DON'T – 2c=c+higher, 2d = d and higher, 2h=majors		
Weak 2	natural		
Weak 3	natural		
4 bids	Takeout thru 4H		

Multi 2♦

Dbl=takeout spades, 2h = takeout h

SLAM CONVENTIONS

Name	Meaning of Responses	Action over interference
Roman KC	5c=0 or 3, 5d=1or4, 5h=2 without queen, 5s=2 with queen	dopi
Queen ask		
Exclusion Blackwood		

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

Exceptions / other agreements

Agreements after opponents double for takeout

Redouble 10+ New suit forcing Jump in new suit weak

Jump raise weak 2NT = imit raise+ Other

Other agreements concerning doubles and redoubles

Support dbl and rdbl thru 2S

Responsive doubles thru 4D

Maximal doubles thru 3S

OTHER CONVENTIONS

Jacoby 2NT, Reverse Bergen raises, Flannery 2D, Namyats, x-cross limit raise in minors, Jordan, help suit game tries, Val 2NT, new minor forcing, un vs un, lebensohl, IDAK, weak jump shifts (m-M), puppet stayman over strong NT

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 <u>K</u>	<u>A</u> K x	<u>K</u> Q 10	<u>K</u> Q x	K <u>J</u> 10	K <u>10</u> 9	<u>Q</u> J 10
	<u>Q</u> J x	<u>J</u> 10 x	10 x <u>x</u>	<u>10</u> 9 x	9 <u>8</u> 7 x	10 x x <u>x</u>	H x <u>x</u>
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CARDING METHODS

	Primary method v. suit contracts	Primary method v. NT contracts
On Partner's lead	udca	udca
On Declarer's lead	udca	udca
When discarding	udca	udca
Other carding agreements, including secondary methods (state when applicable) and exceptions to above		