

OPENING BIDS	Point Range	Min. Length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES
1♣	11-20	3	Opening hand, rule of 20	
1♦	11-20	3	Opening hand, rule of 20	
1♥	11-20	5	Opening hand, rule of 20	2NT is Jacoby, Splinters
1♠	11-20	5	Opening hand, rule of 20	2NT is Jacoby, Splinters
1NT	15-17		Balanced	Transfers, 5 card Stayman, 2 spades see 1
2♣			Strong see 2	
2♦	5-10	6	Weak	2NT is Ogust
2♥	5-10	6	Weak	2NT is Ogust
2♠	5-10	6	Weak	2NT is Ogust
2NT	20-22		Balanced	Trf, 5cST
3 bids	6-10	6	Pre-emptive	
4 bids	6-10	7	Pre-emptive	

SPECIAL USES OF DOUBLES:

Over opp NT, X is for penalties and also over any rescue bid

X is TO over opp pre-empt up to 3S

Over opp overcall, X is neg showing other 2 suits

Over our NT being doubled XX is transfer to clubs

SLAM CONVENTIONS	Meaning of Responses	Action over interference
RKCB 4C over NT 4NT over 3NT	0314 Asks for no of Aces Quantitative	

Other Conventions: Michaels, 4th suit forcing, Crowhurst, Gambling 3NT, Trial bids, UCB

DEFENSIVE BIDS				
OVER-CALLS	Meaning	OPPONENTS OPEN	Defensive Methods	
Simple	7+ hcpts, good suit	Strong 1♣	Natural	
Jump	6-10 pts, 6 card suit	Weak 1NT	Cappelletti see 3	
Cue Bid	Michaels	Strong 1NT	Cappelletti see 3	
1 NT	Direct 15-18	Protective 11-14	Weak 2	Overcall, X if strong
	Transfers, Stayman		Weak 3	Overcall, X if strong
2NT	Direct Unusual NT Better suit	Protective Unusual NT	4 bids	Overcall, X if strong
			MULTI	Natural
ACTION AFTER OPPONENTS INTERVENE WITH				
.	Double shows other 2 suits			
Jump Overcall	Double Bids			
Double	Redouble	New suit	Jump in new suit	Jump raise 2NT

OPENING LEADS	v suit contracts	4th, 3rd and 5th;		
<div>Attach Red Spot, or hatch over, if using non-standard leads</div> Other leads:	AK K109 109x Hxx	AKx QJ10 987x Hx	KQ10 QJx 10xxx xx	KQx J10x Hxxx xxx	KJ10 10xx Hxxx xxx
	v NT contracts	4th, 3rd and 5th;		
	AKx(x) K109 10xxx Hxxx	AJ10x QJ10 109x Hxx	KQ10 QJx 987x x	KQx J10x Hx xx	KJ10 10xx Hxxx x xxx
(In all the card combinations shown, circle the card normally lead if different from standard i.e. underlined card)					

CARDING METHODS	Describe Primary method. State alternative in brackets.
On Partner's lead	On lead of A or K, reverse attitude
On Declarer's lead	Count if useful to partner
When Discarding	McKinney – low card lower of other suits, high is higher of other 2
Exceptions to above	

SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS

(Please cross reference to appropriate part of card)

NB1 Over 1NT bid by partner, 2 spades shows 5,4 in spades and hearts and is invitational

NB2 2C: 2D is relay then 2H/S shows 8 or 9 tricks. Responder then bids 2NT with 1 trick otherwise passes. After 2D response, 3H/S is a game force.

NB3 Cappelletti Over opp 1NT bid, 2 clubs shows a 6 card suit, 2 diamonds shows both majors, 2 hearts shows 5 Hs and a minor, 2 spades shows 5 Ss and a minor, 2NT shows both minors.

IF our 1NT is doubled then pass is forcing. After XX by opener partner bids 4 card suits starting with lowest. After the 1NT opener then a X, if partner has a 5 card suit then transfers are used so XX would show clubs and 2diamonds shows hearts and so on.

Jacoby

1H/S : 2NT: 3 level bid shows singleton or void, 4 level bid is second suit

3H/S shows 16+, 3NT shows 14-15, 4H/S shows minimum hand.

Crowhurst is a strength and major suit enquiry.

5 card Stayman

1NT : 2C

2D shows at least one major and responder bids major not held

2H/S shows 5 card suit

2NT no major.



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GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTEM

Bidding Methods:-

Natural

Style of leads, signals, discards:-

Reverse attitude, Normal count

ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPONENTS SHOULD NOTE

5 card major, better minor at least 3 in suit, 3 weak twos

STRENGTH OF 1NT OPENERS: 15-17

2♣ RESPONSE TO 1NT OPENER IS: 5 card stayman

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