

OPENING BIDS	Point Range	Min. Length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES
1C	16+	0	16+unbalanced 18+ balanced	1D - 0-7 any 1H/S - 8+ gf 5 of other major 1NT - a very weak 6-major partner bids 2c for a you to transfer 2C - 8+ gf balanced or minors 2D - 8+ gf 2 x 4 majors 2H/2S - 8= gf six of other major 3 bids short 4441 or 544
1D	11-15	2+	can have 5c	1D 1x 2C could be 4/5 or 5/4
1H	11-15	5+		1/2 Reverse Bergen (3C is inv), jacoby 3/4 Two-way drury
1S	11-15	5+		1/2 Reverse Bergen (3C is inv), jacoby 3/4 Two-way drury
1NT	15-17		Balanced	Full transfers, 2C non promissary Staymen
2C	11-15	5+	5+c and 4M or 6+c 2d enquiry inv or better forcing to 3c 2h/s nf	2d - enquiry, inv or better forcing to 3C 2H/2S nf 5+
2D	11-15		Any three suiter 4441 or 445	2H/2S nf 3+ 2NT f asks for shortage
2H	6-10	6		
2S	2-10	6		
2NT	6-10		Both minors 5/5	
3 bids	6-10	7	Usually 7 in 1st and 2nd Gambling 3NT not more than 1 Ace	
4 bids	10+	7+	As above	

DEFENSIVE BIDS			
OVER-CALLS	Meaning	OPPONENTS OPEN	Defensive Methods
Simple	Natural, constructive	Strong 1C	* c and s 1D - d&h 1H - h&c 1S - s&d 1NT - either majors or minors
Jump	Natural, weak, usually 6	Weak 1NT	multi-Landy except * is penalties
Cue Bid	Michaels	Strong 1NT	multi-Landy
	Direct Protective		
1 NT	15-18 9-14	Weak 2	nat f1, 2NT 15-18
	Responses As per opening 1NT	Weak 3	nat f1, 3NT to play
2NT	Direct Protective Both Minors Both minors	4 bids	nat

	Responses	MULTI	Modified Flint		
ACTION AFTER OPPONENTS INTERVENE WITH					
Simple Overcall	Double	negative to 3S	Bids	Natural, constructive	
Jump Overcall	Double	negative to 3S	Bids	Natural, constructive	
Double	Redouble	New suit	Jump in new suit	Jump raise	2NT
	9+ pos not fit	nat, appropriate to level of bidding	weak six and to play		weak

SPECIAL USES OF DOUBLES:	
co-operative	
support doubles and redoubles	
optional	

SLAM CONVENTIONS	Meaning of Responses	Action over interference
Name: RKCB 4S over agreed hearts is keycard Minorwood (4c or 4d in uncontested auction, other minor in contested auction) Exclusion KCBW	14/30 Specific kings Q ask, cuebid an outside king if yes	p=0/2/4 *= 1/3/5 same with redouble

Other Conventions:


OPENING LEADS	v suit contracts		4th small from an honour	Ace asks for attitude - King for count	
Other leads:	<u>A</u> K <u>K</u> <u>10</u> 9 <u>10</u> 9x Hxx <u>x</u>	<u>A</u> Kx <u>Q</u> <u>J</u> 10 987x Hx <u>x</u>	<u>K</u> Q10 <u>Q</u> Jx 10xx <u>x</u> <u>x</u> x	<u>K</u> Qx <u>J</u> 10x Hxx <u>x</u> x <u>x</u> x	<u>K</u> <u>J</u> 10 10x <u>x</u> Hxx <u>x</u> x <u>x</u> xx
	v NT contracts		4th or small from an honour		

	<u>AKx(x)</u> K109 10xx <u>x</u> Hxx <u>x</u>	AJ10x <u>Q</u> J10 <u>10</u> 9x Hxx <u>x</u>	<u>K</u> Q10 <u>Q</u> Jx 9 <u>8</u> 7x <u>x</u> x	<u>K</u> Qx <u>1</u> 10x Hxx xx <u>x</u>	<u>K</u> J10 10xx Hxx <u>x</u> xx <u>x</u>
(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	Attitude
On Declarer's lead	Count only if reqd
When Discarding	odds encourage in nt lavinthal
Exceptions to above	Suit preference if it's urgent

SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS

(Please cross reference to appropriate part of card)

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GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTEM

Bidding Methods:- Precision with transfer over 1c

Style of leads, signals, discards:- Standard leads and carding, odds encourage in suits in nt lavinthal

ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE

STRENGTH OF 1NT OPENERS: 15-17

2 RESPONSE TO 1NT OPENER IS: Usually invitational, but we do play garbage Staymen

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