| $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { OPENIG } \\ \text { BIDS } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Point Range | Min. Length | CONVENTIONAL MEANING | SPECIAL RESPONSES |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1* | 10+ | 3 |  | 1N = 6-12 Splinters,2NT 16+(4 crd C), |
| 1 * | 10+ | 3 |  | 1N = 6-12 Splinters,2NT 16+(4crd D |
| $1 \vee$ | 10+ | 5 |  | 1N=6-12 Splinters, Jacoby See note 8 |
| $1 \wedge$ | 10+ | 5 |  | 1N = 6-12 Splinters, Jacoby See note 8 |
| 1NT | 15-17 | 2 | 5 crd Puppet Stayman <br> Full Transfers, Gerber, Quant Raises. |  |
| 2* |  | F-2NT | 2 D relay, $2 \mathrm{H}<3 \mathrm{HCP}$, Over 2 N rebid by opener sys on22/23 NT |  |
| 2 | 5-10 |  | Weak with both majors |  |
| 2 | 5-9 | 5 | 2NT enquiry; Ogust |  |
| 2^ | 5-9 | 5 | 2NT enquiry; Ogust |  |
| 2NT | 20-21 |  | 5 card Pup Stayman, Transfers, Gerber, Quant Raises, $3 \mathrm{~S}=$ minor suit stayman |  |
| 3 bids | 3-9 | 6/7 |  |  |
| 4 bids | 8+ | 8 |  |  |

SPECIAL USES OF DOUBLES:
Take out up to and including 3 S

Responsive X s to 3D: 1D - $\mathrm{X}-3 \mathrm{D}-\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{o}$
Doubles of conventional bids (eg opposition transfers) are lead directing / suit showing

| SLAM CONVENTIONS | Meaning of Responses | Action over interference |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Name: | $1 / 4,3 / 0,2 / 5$ Without Q, 2/5 with Q. | DOPI / |
| RKCB |  | ROPI |
|  | $1^{\text {st }}$ or $2^{\text {nd }}$ round control |  |
| Cue Bids |  |  |

Cue Bids - Bid $1^{\text {st }}$ or $2^{\text {nd }}$ round controls
Other Conventions:
4SF UCB
GSF SPLINTERS CHECKBACK ( see note 6)
Gambling 3N- denies outside Ace,4C pass/correct 4D asks for singleton / void
HOUDINI: After our 1 N is $\mathrm{X}, \mathrm{XX}=$ any 5 card suit and opener must relay to 2C, any direct bid of A suit over $1 N X=$ a 4 card suit and opener pasees with 3 cards or bids their lowest 4 card suit.

| DEFENSIVE BIDS |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| OVER CALL S | Meaning | $\begin{aligned} & \text { OPPO } \\ & \text { OPEN } \end{aligned}$ | Defensive Methods |
| Simple | 5-15NF | Strong $1 \%$ | natural |
| Jump | 6 cards Weak | Weak 1NT | Double LandySee note 3 |
| Cue Bid | Michaels See Note 2 | Strong 1NT | Double LandySee note 3 |
| 1 NT | Direct Protective <br> $15-17$ $11-14$ <br> Responses Puppet Stayman and Transfers | Weak 2 | $\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{TO} 13-16$, NT 17-21 CB $=\mathrm{GF}$ |
|  |  | Weak 3 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{X}=\mathrm{T} / \mathrm{O}, \mathrm{NT}=\text { Play, Cue bid =GF (2 } \\ & \text { suiter) } \end{aligned}$ |
| 2NT | Direct Protective $20-21$ <br> UNT Sys On <br> Responses  | 4 bids | X - opt |
|  |  | MULTI | $\mathrm{X}=12-14$ 3-4 in M,2M T/O of other M 3 m nat $\mathrm{NF}, 4 \mathrm{~m} 5-5 \mathrm{~m}-\mathrm{M} 3 \mathrm{M}$ nat $2 \mathrm{~N}=$ 15-17 (Sys on), |

## ACTION AFTER OPPONENTS INTERVENE WITH

| Simple Overcall |  | Double | T/0 to 3S | Bids | Natural |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| Jump Overcall | Double | T/0 to 3S | Bids | Natural |  |
| Double | Redouble | New suit | Jump in new suit | Jump raise | 2NT |
|  | $9+$ | NatNF | Forcing | Pre Empt | Nat raise to 3 |


| OPENING LEADS | v suit contracts | 4th, 3rd and 5th; | $4^{\text {th }}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Attach Red Spot, or hatch over, if using nonstandard leads <br> Other leads: Ace Queen for Attitude, King for count | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{AK} \\ & \mathrm{~K} 109 \\ & 109 \mathrm{x} \\ & \mathrm{Hxx} \underline{x} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \mathrm{AKx} \\ & \underline{\mathrm{Q} J} \mathrm{~J} 10 \\ & 9 \underline{8} 7 \mathrm{x} \\ & \mathrm{Hxx} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \underline{\mathrm{KQ}} 10 \\ & \underline{\mathrm{Q} J x} \\ & 10 \mathrm{xxx} \\ & \underline{\mathrm{xx}} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { KQx } \\ & \text { J10x } \\ & \text { Hxxx } \\ & \text { xxx } \end{aligned}$ | KJ10 <br> 10xx <br> Hxxxxx <br> xxxx |
|  | v NT contracts | 4th, 3rd and 5th; | $4^{\text {th }}$ |  |  |
|  | $\operatorname{AKx}(\mathrm{x})$ | AJ10x | KQ10 | KQx | KJ10 |
|  | K109 | QJ10 | QJx | J10x | 10xx |
|  | 10xxx | 109x | 987x | Hxx | Hxxxxx |
|  | Hxxxx | Hxxx | $\underline{\mathrm{x}} \mathrm{x}$ | x $\mathrm{x} \times$ | x xxx |


| CARDING | Describe Primary method. State alternative in brackets. |
| :--- | :--- |
| METHODS |  |
| On Partner's lead | Reverse attitude, Suit Pref, Count(normal). |
| On Declarer's lead | Reverse attitude, Suit Pref, Count (normal) |
| When Discarding | Reverse attitude, Suit Pref, Count (normal) |
| Exceptions to above |  |

## SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS

## (Please cross reference to appropriate part of card)

Note $1^{*}$
After a weak 2 opening in H/S: 2NT is asking ; Ogust responses

Note $2^{*}$
MICHAELS:
CB over major $=$ other major and a minor, CB over Minor = both majors

Note 3*
Defence to Opponents opening 1NT :
Over opps 1NT:
$2 \mathrm{C}=$ both majors ; 2D =single suited major and 2 H response then asks
$2 \mathrm{H}=$ hearts and minor ; $2 \mathrm{~S}=$ spades and minor ; $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ big 2 suiter or $5-5$ minors
Note 4*
TRIAL BIDS:
After suit agreement a bid of a new suit at the 3 level asks for help in that suit.
Note 5*
JACOBY:
Over Major 2N shows 4 card support and points for game 13+, at 3 level rebids are singleton/ voids. Rebid of $3 \mathrm{~N}=14$ / 16 balanced. 3 of trump suit shows non minimum, Rebids at 4 level are natural suits

## Note 6*

CHECKBACK STAYMAN
After a $1 x-1 y-1$ NT checkback applies ie 2C game forcing enquiring about
Major suit holdings
After $1 x-1 y-2 N T$ checkback applies ie 3C asks about majors
Lebensohl - SASS
Drury
-after 3rd in hand opener 2C = 3 card support and 9-11 HCP

Bergen Raises
$1 \mathrm{M}-3 \mathrm{M}=0-6$ and $4+\mathrm{M}$
$1 \mathrm{M}-3 \mathrm{C}=7-9$ and 4 M
$1 \mathrm{M}-3 \mathrm{D}=10-12$ and 4 M
$1 \mathrm{M}-3 \mathrm{NT}=13-15$ and 4 M
$1 \mathrm{M}-2 \mathrm{NT}=$ Jacoby

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTEM

Bidding Methods:- $15-17$ NT Strong 2C, Weak 2's in 3 suits

Style of leads, signals, discards:- Standard Leads,
Reverse attitude discards

## ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH

OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE

2D is Ekrens - both majors
2 over 1 game force.
Semi forcing 1NT over a major suit bid

## STRENGTH OF 1NT OPENERS: 15-17

2* RESPONSE TO 1NT OPENER IS: 5 card puppet Stayman

Both players of a partnership must have identically completed convention cards.

Cards must be exchanged with opponents for each round.
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