

OPENING BIDS	Point Range	Min. Length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES
1♣	11+	2		
1♦	11+	4		
1♥	11+	5		
1♠	11+	5		
1NT	15-17		Stayman, transfers to 4 suits, Texas	
2♣	20-22		20-22 balanced or 8+ playing tricks in unspecified suit	2D - relay
2♦	23+		23+ balanced or game-forcing	2H – negative relay; 2NT – 10+ points
2♥	6 -10	6		OGUST
2♠	6 -10	6		OGUST
2NT	18-19			3C – puppet Stayman, Transfers to majors
3 bids	6-10	7		
4 bids		8		

ACTION AFTER OPPONENTS INTERVENE WITH						
Simple Overcall		Double negative				Bids
Jump Overcall		Double negative				Bids
Double	Redouble	New suit	Jump in new suit	Jump raise	2NT	

DEFENSIVE BIDS				
OVER-CALLS	Meaning		OPPONENTS OPEN	Defensive Methods
Simple			Strong 1♣	
Jump	strong		Weak 1NT	Multi-Landy
Cue Bid			Strong 1NT	Multi-Landy
1 NT	Direct	Protective	Weak 2	Lebensohl
	15+	12+		
2NT	Responses		4 bids	MULTI
	Direct	Protective		
	Both minors	Both Minors		
	Responses			

SPECIAL USES OF DOUBLES:

Take-out, Negative, Penalty (above 3 level)

Other leads:	v NT contracts	4th, 3rd and 5th;			
	<u>AKx(x)</u>	<u>AJ10x</u>	<u>KQ10</u>	<u>KQx</u>	<u>KJ10</u>
	<u>K109</u>	<u>QJ10</u>	<u>QJx</u>	<u>J10x</u>	<u>10xx</u>
	<u>10xxx</u>	<u>109x</u>	<u>987x</u>	<u>Hxx</u>	<u>Hxxx</u>
	<u>Hxxx</u>	<u>Hxx</u>	<u>xx</u>	<u>xxx</u>	<u>xx</u> <u>xxxx</u>

(In all the card combinations shown, circle the card normally lead if different from standard i.e. underlined card)

SLAM CONVENTIONS	Meaning of Responses	Action over interference
Name: 4C (following NT)=Gerber 4C = RKC Enquiry 4NT = RKC Enquiry 4NT opener = asking for specific aces	03, 14 03, 14	

Other Conventions: Unusual NT, Jacoby, Splinters (not Clubs), UCB, 4th suit forcing, Texas, Gambling NT, Checkback, Leaping Michaels, Inverted minor over 1D opener, 4C = RKC enquiry, Defence to 1NTx – exit transfers

CARDING METHODS	Describe Primary method. State alternative in brackets.
On Partner's lead	Reverse attitude (count)
On Declarer's lead	Reverse attitude (count)
When Discarding	McKenney
Exceptions to above	Show count when partner leads King

OPENING LEADS	v suit contracts	4th, 3rd and 5th;			
Attach Red Spot, or hatch over, if using non-standard leads	<u>AK</u>	<u>AKx</u>	<u>KQ10</u>	<u>KQx</u>	<u>KJ10</u>
	<u>K109</u>	<u>QJ10</u>	<u>QJx</u>	<u>J10x</u>	<u>10xx</u>
	<u>109x</u>	<u>987x</u>	<u>10xxx</u>	<u>Hxxx</u>	<u>Hxxxx</u>
	<u>Hxxx</u>	<u>Hxx</u>	<u>xx</u>	<u>xxx</u>	<u>xxxx</u>

SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS
(Please cross reference to appropriate part of card)



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GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTEM

Bidding Methods:- 15-17 NT, 5-card majors, short Club, Benji 2's.

Style of leads, signals, discards:- Reverse Attitude signals, McKenney discards

**ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH
OPONENTS SHOULD NOTE**

STRENGTH OF 1NT OPENERS: 15 - 17

2♣ RESPONSE TO 1NT OPENER IS: Stayman

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

