


OPENING BIDS	Point Range	Min. Length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES
1♣	11-19	4	2NT = Jacoby (all 4 suits) 16+ and 4 card support. Responses:- New suit at 3 level= singleton New suit at 4 level = 5 card suit 3NT = balanced and 15-16 pts 3 in bid suit = 5 cards and 15+ 4 in bid suits = 5 cards and min points 3NT = 12 -15 points and 4 card support Splinters; Strong jump shifts = at least 6 card suit and 16+ points (no need for support in partners suit)- GF	
1♦	11-19	4		
1♥	11-19	4		
1♠	11-19	4		
1NT	12-14		4 suit transfers (2S -3C (6 card suit) and 2NT – 3D (6 card suit)). Transfer breaks for Major: 3 of the major with 4 cards and min; 2NT with 4 cards and max. Transfer breaks for minor: under=shows a top club – Ax or Kx. Staymen; Jump to 3 of a suit is slam interest; 4C is gerber; quantitative	
2♣	23+ or 8 playing tricks		2D =some values, 2H = 0-3 HCP . 2NT = H, 2S, 3C or 3D is natural with 7+ points and 5 card suit	
2♦/♥/♠	5-9	6	2NT enquiry (OGUST) with 16+ points. Response:- 2C-weak points and weak suit 2D – weak points and good suit 2H – good points and weak suit 2S - good points and good suit. New suit by partner is constructive and non forcing.	
2NT	20-22		5-cd puppet stayman, transfers, quantitative.	
3 bids	4-11	7	Change of suit forcing for 1 round	
4 bids	4-11	8		

DEFENSIVE BIDS					
OVER-CALLS	Meaning		OPPONENTS OPEN	Defensive Methods	
Simple	5 cards (at 1 level could be weak)		Strong 1♣	2C – natural;2D – majors;double - opening hand	
Jump	W – I – I – S – with 6 card suit		Weak 1NT	2C = majors otherwise natural. Then 2D by partner = choose major. Double of Weak 1NT =15+. First dble of opposition’s wriggle is takeout; subsequent double is penalty.	
Cue Bid	Michaels; If the Michaels bid is a major and a minor 2 NT is asking p to name minor		Strong 1NT	As above	
1 NT	Direct	Protective	Weak 2	Dbl = T/O, 2NT = 16-19 HCP,	
	Responses as opening 1NT		Weak 3	Dbl = T/O, 3NT to play	
2NT	Direct	Protective	4 bids	Over 4C/D/H, X=T/O. Over 4S, X=penalty, 4NT=T/O (but could be only 2 places to play) .	
	Unusual	19-21	MULTI		
Responses ; as to 2NT					
ACTION AFTER OPPONENTS INTERVENE WITH					
Simple Overcall		Double -	Negative to 3S	Bids -	Non forcing
Jump Overcall		Double -	Negative to 3S	Bids -	F1
Double	Redouble	New suit	Jump in new suit	Jump raise	2NT
	9+ HC	F1	Fit jump	Pre-emptive	Good raise
SPECIAL USES OF DOUBLES:					
Doubles are takeout except the following are penalty- Dble of 1NT (2cd dble by either partner =takeout) 3 rd dble by partnership Dble of 1NT overcall and all later dbles					

SLAM CONVENTIONS	Meaning of Responses	Action over interference
Name: RKCB	30-41..... DOPI;ROPI 5NT = Grand Slam try, cue specific K in response (below trump)	
Gerber over 1NT (i.e 4C)	Responses:-4D = 0 or 4 Aces: 4H =1 Ace, 4S =2Aces and 4NT =3 Aces; 5C = K ask	

Other Conventions: UCBs (strong raise),
4th Suit Forcing except at 1 level (2-level to 2NT, 3-level to game)
After 1NT [X] XX = unspecified 5-card suit, bid is lower of 2 4-card suits

OPENING LEADS	v suit contracts	4th, 3rd and 5th;		
	AK	AKx	KQ10	KQx	KJ10
	K109	QJ10	QJx	J10x	10xx
	109x	987x	10xxx	Hxxx	Hxxx
	Hxxx	Hxx	xx	xx	xxx
Other leads:	v NT contracts	4th, 3rd and 5th;		
	AK(x)	AJ10x	KQ10	KQx	KJ10
	K109	QJ10	QJx	J10x	10xx
	10xxx	109x	987x	Hxx	Hxxx
	Hxxx	Hxx	xx	xx	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	A, Q ask for reverse attitude, K asks for normal count
On Declarer's lead	Normal count
When Discarding	1 st discard = reverse attitude
Exceptions to above	

SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS

(Please cross reference to appropriate part of card)

Minor suit based with checkback:-

- Opener has 3 cards in responder's suit bid responder's suit.
- Opener has 4 cards in unbid major but that major
- If Opener has neither of the above then bid 2 D if weaker and 2NT if stronger

1NT rebid = 15-17 2NT rebid = 18-19



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GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTEM

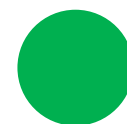
Bidding Methods:- Acol based, 4 card majors, Weak NT, Weak 2s in D, H and S

Style of leads, signals, discards:-

4th highest, 2nd from a poor suit,

A, Q for reverse attitude, K for normal count

1st discard is count (implies suit of least interest)



ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE

STRENGTH OF 1NT OPENERS: 12-14

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.