

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
1L Overcall 8-16, Usually 5, CB Invit+
2L Overcall 9-16, Probably 6, CB Invit+
JNS fit jump
NS = Natural usually 2 card support
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
15-18, 11-14 in 4th
Stayman, Transfers
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
1-suit: weak, CB =UCB, 2nt = UNT
2-suit: strong, CB = UCB, 2nt = natural
Reopen: Weak and Sensible
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
CB = Michaels
Jump CB = Bid 3nt with guard
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
D of weak NT = Penalties
D of strong NT = 5m/4M, then 2♣ =P/C, 2♦= Asks M, 2M = Long suit
2♣=5/4M
2♦ = 6M
2♥/♠ = 5M/4m
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
D = Take-out
CB = 2 suiter
3nt to play
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
Natural
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Over 1D/M-X-, RD = 2 cards in M, 1nt+ = transfers, 2nt= fit(9+)

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit(3 cards)	
Suit	4th and 2nd if bad	MUD or low(unknown L)	
NT	4th and 2nd if bad	MUD or low(unknown L)	
Subseq	Current count	Current count	
Other: Normal top of sequence, 10 guarantees higher other than J			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	For reverse attitude	For reverse attitude	
King	For count	For count	
Queen	QJ/KQ	QJ/KQ/AQJ	
Jack	J10/KJ10	J10/KJ10/AJ10	
10	Q109/K109	Q109/K109/A109	
9	109xx/109x/9x	109xx/109x/9x	
Hi-X	Doubleton	Doubleton	
Lo-X	3+	3+	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Count	Count	Reverse Attitude
Suit 2	Reverse Attitude		Count
3	SP		
1	Count	Count	Reverse Attitude
NT 2	Reverse Attitude	Count	Count
3	SP		
Signals (including Trumps):			
Hi-Lo = Even/disc; Lo-Hi = Odd/Encour			
Hi-Lo trumps = ruff interest			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
10/11+ if shape suitable, 16/17+ if shape unsuitable			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Take-Out Doubles			
Responsive Doubles			
Competitive Doubles			
Most Low level doubles are take-out			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: Green
NCBO: Scotland
PLAYERS: Douglas Piper (7006) and Miro Dragic (9641)
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
5 card Majors, 1♣ at least 3
1nt = 15-17
2 over 1 is one round forcing
2♥/♠ = 4-10 HCP 5+ cards
2♦ = 5/4 in majors,, 4-10 HCP
aggressive opening bids 1st and 3rd
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
2♦ = 5/4 in majors,, 4-10 HCP
1M-D-1nt+ = transfers, RD = 2 cards in M
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
IMPORTANT NOTES
1♦/♥/♠-1nt-dbl = penalty/take out(not fit unless very strong)
1nt-3♣(3suiter with ♣'s)/3♦(4441)/3♥(31(54/45)/3♠(13(54/45))
After 1nt-3♣, 3♦ asks, 3♥=short♦, 3♠= short♥, 3nt= short♣
PSYCHICS:Rare

opening	Artificial	Min no of cards	Ne g Do ubl e thr u	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣	No	3	5♦	Natural	2♣=Nat, forcing; 3♣=weak fit; 2♦/♥/♠= weak jumps; splinters		Fit jumps
1♦	No	3	5♦	Natural	2♦=Nat, forcing; 3♦=weak fit; 3♣/2♥/2♠= weak jumps; splinters		Fit jumps
1♥	No	5	5♦	Natural	Jump NS Nat FG; 2nt = fit asks shortage; splinters		Fit jumps
1♠	No	5	5♦	Natural	Jump NS Nat FG; 2nt = fit asks shortage; splinters		Fit jumps
1NT	No			15-17	2♣=Stayman; 2♦/♥/♠/2nt= transfers(break, trick source); 3♣-3♠= 3 suiters	After m trans new suits=short	1nt-dbl-2any 2suits/rdbl=5any; leb
2♣	Yes	0		Acol, Strong	2♦=relay; 2♥=bust		
2♦	Yes	0		54♥♠s, 4-10	2nt=asks; 3M = pre-empt	3♣=5♥min, 3♦=5♠min	
2♥	No	5		5+♥, 4-10	2nt=asks shortage, 3♥= pre-empt	4♥= min, no shortage	
2♠	No	5		5+♠, 4-10	2nt=asks shortage, 3♠= pre-empt	4♠= min, no shortage	
2NT				20-22, balanced	Stayman, transfers		
3♣	No	6		Pre-empt	NS= natural, forcing		
3♦	No	6		Pre-empt	NS= natural, forcing		
3♥	No	6		Pre-empt	NS= natural, forcing		
3♠	No	6		Pre-empt	4m=nat, forcing; 4♥= strong		
3NT	Yes	Y		Gambling	4♣/♦ PC		
4♣	No			Pre-empt	NS = natural		
4♦	No			Pre-empt	NS = natural		
4♥	No			Pre-empt	NS = natural		
4♠	No			Pre-empt	NS = natural		
4NT	No			Specific Ace ask			
5♣	No			Pre-empt		HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦	No			Pre-empt		RKC=4130; PODI; PORI	
5♥	No			Trump ask	6♥=A/K♥	Exclusion RKC	
5♠	No			Trump ask	6♠=A/K♠		