

OPENING BIDS	Point Range	Min. Length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES
1♣	10-19	3	Natural	Inverted raises
1♦	10-19	3	Natural	
1♥	10-19	5	Natural	2NT=15+ & 4cs, 3NT=12-14 & 4cs
1♠	10-19	5	Natural	2NT=15+ & 4cs, 3NT=12-14 & 4cs
1NT	15-17			Stayman and 4 suit transfers
2♣	23+		GF	2D=4+, 2H = 4-, 2NT= 5+ hearts
2♦	5-9	5+		
2♥	5-9	5+		2NT inquiry for high card change of suit F1
2♠	5-9	5+		
2NT	20-22			5 card puppet stayman 3S = minor Stayman, 3N = natural
3 bids	4-10	6+		Change of suit forcing for one
4 bids	4-10	7+		Change of suit forcing for one

DEFENSIVE BIDS			
OVER-CALLS	Meaning	OPPONENTS OPEN	Defensive Methods
Simple	Could be weak at 1 level	Strong 1♣	Natural
Jump	Weak	Weak 1NT	2C=majors, 2D=single major 2H=H+other, 2S=S+other
Cue Bid	Michaels (weak or strong)	Strong 1NT	As above
1 NT	Direct 15-17 Protective 10-14	Weak 2	X takeout (2NT response < 8pts)
	Responses Stayman & Transfers	Weak 3	X takeout
2NT	Direct Unusual Protective 19-21	4 bids	X takeout
	Responses Stayman & Transfers	MULTI	X=12-14 bal or strong hand, 2NT=16+ bal

ACTION AFTER OPPONENTS INTERVENE WITH					
Simple Overcall		Double	Negative	Bids	Pre-empt or UCB
Jump Overcall		Double	Negative	Bids	Pre-empt or UCB
Double	Redouble	New suit	Jump in new suit	Jump raise	2NT
	9-11	Natural	Fit jump	Pre-empt	Good raise to 3

### SPECIAL USES OF DOUBLES:

Negative doubles to 3S

SLAM CONVENTIONS	Meaning of Responses	Action over interference
Name: RKCB	14/30	DOPI/ROPI
5NT	Bid lowest king	
Q ask	If got it bid 6 with no kings, otherwise bid kings up the way.	

Other Conventions:

4SF to game (except at 1 level)

Lebensohl – for interference over 1NT (FASS), double of a weak 2

OPENING LEADS	v suit contracts				
<div>Attach Red Spot, or hatch over, if using non-standard leads</div>	AK K109 109x Hxx	AKx QJ10 987x Hxx	KQ10 QJx 10xxx xx	KQx J10x Hxxx xxx	KJ10 10xx Hxxxx xxxx
	4 <sup>th</sup> /2nd				
Other leads:	v NT contracts				
	AKx(x) K109 10xxx Hxxx	AJ10x QJ10 109x Hxx	KQ10 QJx 987x xx	KQx J10x Hxx xxx	KJ10 10xx Hxxx x xxxx
(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 = reverse attitude, K = count
On Declarer's lead	Standard Count
When Discarding	Count. 1 <sup>st</sup> discard = reverse attitude
Exceptions to above	Suit preference

## SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS

(Please cross reference to appropriate part of card)

### Breaking Transfers

Majors – break to 3 level if minimum. Break to another suit if maximum or 2NT if no other suit to show.  
Minors – break below if you hold 3 to an honour.

### 1x – 2NT

After this sequence, a bid by opener at the 3 level shows shortage and the 4 level is another suit.

### Weak 2s

X for takeout then 2NT response is normally weak (Lebensohl) but may occasionally be right-siding no trump.

### Major Raises – Bergen style

1S – 3C = 4 card raise 7/8  
1S – 3D = 4 card raise 10/11  
1S – 3H = 3 card raise 10/11  
1S – 3S = weak 4 card raise



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## GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTEM

Bidding Methods:- Strong NT, 5 card majors, 2/1

Style of leads, signals, discards:- 2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup>, Count, Rev Att

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## ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE

Weak 2s in D/H/S

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STRENGTH OF 1NT OPENERS: 15-17

2♣ RESPONSE TO 1NT OPENER IS: Stayman (non promissory)

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

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