

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
1 LEVEL-6-17HCP 5+ CARDS ,4 Cards Overcall With Length In RHOs Suit Possible
2 level sound responses new suit nf; cue bid 10+ doesnt promise support
Jump Bids Shows Fit Except (1C)-1D-(P)-2H/2S And (1D)-1H-(P)-2S 6 Cards Inv
Cue 3 Level Mixed Raise, Om 3 level LR+ 4+
Cue 4 Level Splinter Opp Suit
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
2 ND 15-18 HCP; May Not Have Stopper In Opps Suit.
Responses Same As The Opening Int
4 th seat 11-16 Doesnt Promise Opps Stopper 1m-p-p -1nt 11-14 ; 1m-p-p-1nt 11-16 responses 2c stayman ->2nt max hand
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
Micheals. See note-1 1X-3X Solid Minor Inv For 3nt With A Stopper
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH) STRONG NT- DONT, EXTENDED DONT. See note-2
WEAK NT: 2C= Both M, 2D= Single M, 2H = H+m, 2S = S+m, 2NT = Both m & 3X = same as DONT
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
DBL MM, 1NT mm, REST ALL NAT

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3/5	3/5 Top Dblton	
NT	3/5	3/5 Top Dblton	
Subseq	same	Same	
Other: ACE ASK FOR UB/COUNT vs NT,SMITH LOW			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AK +OR Ax	Ask for Unblock or Count AKJT, AKQxx	
King	KQ+,AK	Ask for attitude, KQx, AKxx	
Queen	QJ+, KQT+	QJ+, KQT+	
Jack	JTx, HJT _x	JT _x , HJT _x	
Ten	T9 _x , HT9	T9 _x , HT9	
Nine	987, HJ9 _x , H98	987, HJ9 _x , H98	
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Att Low Enc	Count low high even	Low Enc in suit O/E 1 st in NT Lavinthal in NT
Suit 2	Count hi odd	Hi odd	Count hi odd
NT 2	Count Hi Odd		
3	S/P STD		
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Can be light with right shape			
Tends to have 3 cards in all 3 suits unless strong			
Take out dbl upto 4s			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Neg Dbl Upto 3s, Responsive Dbl, Competitive Dbl, Lightner, Support Dbl Rdbl (Doesnt Promise Extra Values), Rdbl Cue Bid Shows Ace Or Void, Stayman And Transfer Bid Dbl Show Suits, 1nt-P-3nt-Dbl For Short Major Lead			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: i.e. Green / Blue / Red / HUM / Brown Sticker:
NCBO:
PLAYERS: PRADIP DEY & SWARNASHISH CHATTERJEE
EVENT (Open/Women/Senior/Transnational) 19 th World Youth Bridge championship
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
5 card Majors (Semi-F 1NT), 3 card minors. 2C STRONG, 2NT 20-21 NORMALLY BALANCED 1 ST 2 ND 3 RD SEAT VUL 2D WEAK, NON VUL EKREN 4 TH SEAT 2D 11 TO 14 6 CARDS 2H/2S weak 6 cards 4-11 rarely 5cards 1st & 3rd seat NV preempts can be aggressive 1NT Opening: (14+) 15-17 HCP (singleton possible)/5 CARDS MAJOR 6 CARDS MINOR POSSIBLE.
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
1C-2D mixed;1D-3C mixed raise 1D-2C 5+C 12+ 1H-2S ANY SPLINTER 8-10/14+ ;1H-3C LIMIT RAISE 1H-3D 7-9 1S-3C 8-10/14+ Minor Splinter 1S-3H 8-10/14+ Heart Splinter 3 rd Seat Open Very Weak Possible
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
Pass And Pull Shows Extras
PSYCHICS:RARE

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG. DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		3	4S	11-21 3-3 MINOR we open 1c	1C-1X NAT 4+ HCP;2C 10+ 1NT-8-10/2NT- 11/12 ; 2D- mixed;3C PRE; 2M 5S-4H See Note: 3,	1C-1D-1H PROMISE 54 otherwise 1NT . Double Checkback see note 4 Wolff Sign Off, See note-5	TRF responses on overcall See Note 6 Opp 1NT see note 7
1♦		3	4S	11-21 3+ D	1H/1S NAT 4+ 4+HCP; 1NT-6-10/2NT-11-12; 2M 5S-4H,3C MIXED,3D PRE	1D-1M-2NT-3C WOLF SIGN OFF Double Checkback	SAME AS ABOVE
1♥		5	4S	11-21 4+ 3 rd seat possible	1NT SEMI F,2minor GF 2NT BAL GF;1H-2S MINI SPLINTER 8-10 OR15+ 3S/4C SPLINTER; 3NT- DIA SPL	DOUBLE CHECKBACK,	TWO WAY DRURY MIXED RAISE
1♠		5	4H	11-21 4+ 3 rd seat possible	2S-8-10 3 CARDS;2NT BAL GF 1S-3C MINI SPLINTER 8-10 OR15+ 3NT- H SPL 4C/4D - SPL	DOUBLE CHECKBACK,	SAME AS ABOVE
INT			4H	(14)15-17, singleton or 6 cardsM/m possible	2C STAYMAN,4 WAY TRF3C/3D – INV/GF BOTH minors 55, 3H/3S SHORT	1NT-2C-2D/2H-2S SHAPE ASK;1NT-2C-2S-3C SHAPE ASK;	LEBENSCHOL AFTER INTERVENTION
2♣	ART			22+ or 9+ tricks	2D WAITING, 2H/2S/3C/3D 5+ SUIT 6+ HCP; 3H- 4441 8+	2C-2D-2H- HEART OR BALANCED	2LEVEL INTERVEN PASS-0-4 HIGH LEVELPASS 4+
2♦	ART			NON VUL 1 st 2 nd 3 RD seat: Ekren (44+ MM)	2H/2S = TO PLAY; 2NT= QUERY	2D-2NT-3C/3D/3H/3S=Bad/Heart+/Spade+/ Unusual shape	3X BY OPP X PEN. 2x-dbl-redbl/new suit See note 8
2♦				VUL weak 2 (11-14 4 th seat)	2N relay		
2♥		6		6-11 hcp 6 card, can be 5	2H-2NT relay		3X BY OPP X PEN
2♠		6		6-11hcp 6 card, can be 5	2S-2NT-relay		3X BY OPP X PEN
2NT				(19)20-21 bal/semi bal	2NT-3C MUPPET 3D/3H/3S(3NT)/4C/4D/4H TRF;4Smm weak	2NT-3C-3H NO MAJOR	2NT-3Y-DBL STAYMAN
3♣		6		Preemptive	NEW suit bid 1R FORCING	3C-3D BOTH M	X PENALTY OPP CUT
3♦		6		Preemptive	NEW suit bid 1R FORCING	3D-4C BOTH M	X PENALTY OPP CUT
3♥		6		Preemptive	NEW suit bid 1R FORCING	5NT TRUMP ASK 6C-AQ/A,6D-KQ/K 6H-Q/J 6S-AK	X PENALTY OPP CUT
3♠		6		Preemptive	NEW suit bid 1R FORCING	SAME AS ABOVE	X PENALTY OPP CUT
3NT	ART			Gambling in a minor	4C= Pass/Correct, 4D = singleton query		
4♣		7		preemptive	4D/4H/4S NAT		
4♦		7		preemptive	4H/4S TO PLAY		
4♥		7		To play. Better than Preemptive	5H SLAM INV		
4♠		7		To play. Better than Preemptive	5S SLAM INV		
4NT				Specific ace asking	5C-NO ACE;5D/5H/5S- ACE ,5NT-2 ACE 6C-CLUB ACE		
5♣		8				HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦		8				RKCB1430 2OR5 WITH TRUMP Q, See note: 9.	
5♥		8		preemptive			
5♠		8		preemptive			

Supplementary Notes

1. Micheals

(1m)-2m both majors

(1D)-2NT H+C ; (1C)-2NT H+D

(1M)-2M Other Major & a minor

2. DONT

DBL- Single suiter;

2C- C + Higher;

2D- D + M;

2H- H + S

2S- Spade.

2NT single suiter pre-emptive.

3C-C+ Higher ;3D-D+M;3H-MM

all 3 level extended DONT 15+HCP 55

3. Reverse Flannery:

1m – 2H = 5S, 4+H, 6-9 (3-9 NV vs V)

1m – 2S = 5S, 4+ H, 10-11

This applies over 1m – (DBL) and over 1C – (1D) overcall.

Opener's 2NT is ART enquiry.

4. Two Way Checkback

After 1x – 1y – 1N, we play two way checkback.

2C puppets 2D, to play there or to show INV hands.

2D is ART FG

2N puppets 3C to play there

Jumps show Slammish

5. Wolff sign off

1m-1M

2NT-3c (WSF)

3d- 3M (minimum, NF)

Direct 3M is GF

6. Transfers in competition

These apply in the following situations:

1x – (1S)

1m – (2H)

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1x – (2S)

1x – (3S)

After a 1S overcall, 1NT = Natural; 2H is NAT NF and 2S is trf to clubs.

After a 2M overcall, transfers apply only till opener's suit, i.e,

1D – (2M) – 3C is inv+ D, but

1D – (2M) – 3D is a mixed raise,

and 1D – (2S) – 3H is NAT FG

1D – (2H) – 2S is NAT, FG unless rebid.

7. After opponents overcall 1NT

1m – (1NT) – 2C = both majors

1m – (1NT) – 2NT = Two suiter (except both M)

1M – (1NT) – 2C = LR+

1M – (1NT) – 2NT = Two suiter

8. 2X – (DBL)

Responder's 2N continues to be an enquiry with the same responses as if there was no intervention.

New suit by responder shows fit for opener's suit with lead indication in the bid suit. Responder does not promise length in the bid suit.

A RDBL by responder asks opener to bid the next suit, which responder will pass or correct to his own suit as a signoff.

9. High Level bidding

RKCB1430 2OR5 WITH TRUMP Q,

4S RKC on Heart suit

5NT EVEN WITH VOID, 6X ODD WITH VOID,

AFTER 5NT 6C AS FOR EXTRA , 6D FOR Q, IF ONLY 6C AVAILABLE THEN FOR EXTRA,

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DOPI AFTER THEY CUT BELOW OUR SUIT, DEPO IF ABOVE OUR SUIT,

5NT K ASK SPECIFIC REPLY,

DKC1430