DEFENSE AND COMPETITIVES BIDS	LEADS AND SIGNALS							
OVERCALLS	OPEN	ING LEADS STYLE				WBL CONVENTION CARD		
STYLE: natural	Lead In partner's suit							
Responses: natural, weak jumps raises.	Suit			3 rd and 5 th				
Jump new suit: natural + fit, forcing one round; Jump cue bid: good raise. IN	NT	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		3 rd and 5 th , except in 1♣: 4 th best		CATEGORY: Green		
LAST POS: nat. shows less than good opening hand.	Subs				3 rd and 5 th	NCBO: France		
1NT OVERCALL		SUIT : high-low even				PLAYERS: Danièle AVON - Veronique BESSIS		
OVERCALL: 15 -18 HCP.	Other: vs Suit: $A\underline{K}x(x)$ with a singleton in another suit or AK doubleton					EVENT: World Bridge Championships Team - Marrakech		
IN LAST POS: 9-13 HCP.	vs slams in NT: 3 rd and 5 th , 2 nd from 4 small cards					CENEDAL ADDOCACH AND CENTE		
Responses: Stayman and Transfer. After Pass 1m Pass 1M: 6 in the cheapest and 4 in the other.	LEAD			1		GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE		
JUMP OVERCALL	_	Vs. Suit Vs. NT			> 5 CARDS MAJOR			
ONE SUIT: weak.	Ace	AKxx; AKQ(x); AKJ(x			Q10(x); A(x); AKJ(x);	> 1 ♦: 4 cards except 4432		
UNUSUAL 2 NT: 2 lowest suits.	King	AK; KQ(x); K(x); AK(x)	x)+sing		QJxx; KQ10xx; Kx	> 2♥/2♠: 6♥/♠ weak		
DIRECT CUE-BID AND JUMP CUE-BID	Queen	QJx(x); Q(x)		AQJ(x);KQ(x);QJ10(x);QJ9(x)		> 24 : strong any shape		
DIRECT CUE-BID: 1 V/A 2 V/A: other M and 4.	Jack	AJ10x; KJ10(x); J10x;	[(v)	KQ10x; K	QJx 109(x);J108(x)	> 2 •: game forcing		
1 V/A 2NT: minors.	10	A109(x);K109(x);Q109			Q109(x);J108(x) Q109(x) ; 10(9)x			
1 left / left	9	9x	(X)	9(x)(x)	2109(x); 10(9)x	1NT opening: 15 - 17 HCP		
1♣/♦ 2♦: majors.	Hi-x	Hxxx; xxxx; xx; x			vv(v)(v)	2 over 1 Response : game forcing		
1♣ 3♣: ♦/♠	Lo-x			(v)(v): vvvv(v)(v)				
		LS IN ORDER OF P			(A)(A), AAAA(A)(A)	SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE		
VS NT	510117	Partner's lead	_	arer's lead	Discarding			
1) VS STRONG NT:		1 Count: H/L=E	Count:		Count: H/L=E	$\triangleright 1 \clubsuit (\blacklozenge) - 2 \clubsuit (\blacklozenge) : 4 \lor (+) + 5 \spadesuit (+), 4-9 \text{ HCP}$		
X: min/maj 5+- 4+	Suit	2 Encouraging	Suit pre		High encouraging	CRECIAL COMPETITIVE DIDG THAT MAN DECLIDE DEFENCE		
2♣: LANDY - 2♦: 6 in a major (multi). 2♥/♠: 5♥/♠ and 4m.	5 410	3 Suit preference	Suit pre		ingh encouraging	SPECIAL COMPETITIVE BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE		
IN BAL POS: same.		1 Count: H/L=E	Count:		Count: H/L=E	➤ VS Two suiters.		
2) VS WEAK NT:	NT	2 Encouraging			High encouraging	> VS MULTI.		
LANDY - Transfers - DBLE = 14HCP + responses stayman / transfers. 3) VS 1NT OVERCALL:		3				> VS 2NT (two lowest suiters) and Cue-bid.		
2♣: both majors if opening of 1♣/1♦ - Transfers - double: > 9H.	SIGNA	LS (including trump	s)			1		
24. cour majors it opening of 14.71 v Transfers addoct. 711.	SIGNAL	LS IN TRUMP SUIT: su	t profesen	20		SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES		
VS PREEMPTS	SIGNAL	LS IN TROWN SOIT. Su	t preferen			1		
Take out doubles - Two suiters.						Some competitive sequences, when Double is negative if partner is		
VS WEAK TWO: Cue-bid = both min; $4m = 5m + 5$ in other M.		1	OUBL	ÆS		short.		
2NT: 16-19 + responses : stayman and transfers.						➤ When Pass is forcing, bid is weaker than Pass then bid.		
VS MULTI: $2\sqrt{2}/3$ / 3 / 3 / 4 : nat -3 / 4 : min, 3 / 4 : min -4 / 4 / 4 : 5 / 4 .	TAKE	-OUT DOUBLE				IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE		
2NT: 16-19 + responses stayman and transfers		E: can be light if shaped.						
We ADDIELCTAL 1. ODENING		ses: natural and limit - Cu	e-bid forci	ng one round		After X, jump in new suit: preemt if minor opening (jump in a minor		
VS ARTIFICIAL 14 OPENING		L POS: 8+ Pts.	2 214 10101	one round	•	natural with fit), natural with fit if Major opening.		
1) Double: take out for majors.		ses: Idem.				After Pass, jump in new suit nat . with fit, forcing one round.		
1 ♦/1 ♥/1 ♣/2 ♣: natural with values. 1NT: both m.	_					(but not minors fit and not 3♣ in 1M) > 3 rd and 4 th suit one round forcing. > Opening in 3 rd position can be weak		
2NT: both M.	SPECI	AL, ARTIFICIAL A	ND COM	<u>IPETITIVI</u>	E DOUBLES			
$2 \phi/2 \psi/2 $ a: nat, weak.	NT/ -	4l.1 D	41.1			Opening in 3 position can be weak		
2) 1♣ Pass 1♦: X -> take out for M - 1NT -> both m - 2NT -> both M.	- Negat	ives doubles. Responsive e over fits and preempts.	doubles.					
3) 1♣ Pass 1♥: X -> ♥ and values - 1NT -> both m - 2NT -> both M.	- Doubl	e over his and preempts. native and optional double	es.					
2♥:6♥, less values than X.		nal overcall double.						
OVER OPPONENTS'TAKE OUT DOUBLE		TNER doubles.						
XX : points, no fit	-							
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	ART	CARDS	DESCRIPTION	X NÉGATIF thru	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT AUCTION	MODIFICATION OVER COMPETITION AND WITH PASS PARTNER	
1 *		3	10 ⁺ НСР 10 ⁺ НСР	4 🛧	1m - 2m : 4+♥/5+♠ (4-9), then 2NT relay GF 1♣ - 1♥/♠: may have longer ◆ 1m - 3m: pre 1m - 2M : 6 cards strong 1♣ - 2♦: art 5+♣, 10/11 1♦ - 3♣: art 5+♦, 10/11	1m - 1M - splinters fit 1m - 1M - 4M: 18-19 balanced fit 1m - 1M - 3NT: 18-19 fit (5422) 2♣ relay to 2♦ after 1NT (either ♦ or inv) (2) 2♦ game forcing relay after 1NT rebid (2) 1♦ - 2♣ - 2NT: 12-14 or 18-19	AFTER PASS: $1m - 2M : 5M+4m$, limit AFTER OVERCALL: weak nat jumps, after $1 + 1 + X = 4/5 + 1 = 4/5 + 1 = 10$ (1) after $1 + 1 + X = 4/5 + 1 = 10$ after $1 + 1 + X = 4/5 + 1 = 10$ and $1 + 1 = 10$ after $1 + 1 + X = 4/5 + 1 = 10$ after $1 + 1 + 2 + 2 + 1 = 10$ after $1 + 1 + 2 + 2 + 1 = 10$ after $1 + 1 + 2 + 2 + 1 = 10$	
1.		5	10 ⁺ HCP 10 ⁺ HCP	4 ♠ 4♥	1 ▼ - 2 ★: 6 ★ strong 1M - 2NT: 3/4M 8-15 3NT: 4M, 10-12 1M - 3 ★, 3 ★: natural, 6 cards, invit 1M - 3M: 4M, 6-9 1 ▼ - 3 ★/4 ★/4 ★: Splinters 1 ★ - 3 ▼: 6 + ▼, limit 1 ★ - 4 ★/4 ▼/4 ▼: Splinters	Splinters If fit forcing, 3NT: yes, but If fit NF, 3NT (3♠ when ♥): asking for controls 1♥ - 1NT - 2♠ : art forcing 1♠ - 1NT - 2NT : art, forcing	1) AFTER PASS: Drury 1 \(\sqrt{-\lambda} - 2\text{NT} : 4\text{M+1sing}; 3\lambda: natural \) 2) AFTER OVERCALL: jumps natural weak - 2\text{NT}: fit limit and + - Cue Bid : 4+ trumps GF 4) Splinters only in the overcall suit 3) AFTER DOUBLE: 2\text{NT}(3\text{NT}): 4/5\text{M}, 9-13 2\text{XX}: 10\text{H+}, any hand fit or not, jump: Nat + fit } 2\text{M-1} = 4\text{M}, 8-10	
1NT			14 ⁺ -17 HCP	4 🖍	2♣: Stayman 4 responses 2♠/2♠/3♣: Transfers 3♠: asks for 5M 3♥/3♠: strong (5) 4♣/4♠: Both majors 6/5	Conventional developments and relays 1NT - 2 ◆ - 2 ▼ - 2 ♠: 5 ▼ + 5 other, 7/8	AFTER OVERCALL: Double responsive Modified Rubensohl (6)	
2*	X	0	Strong any shape	4♥	2 ◆: relay Other: Nat or 5/5	Stayman and transfers on 2NT rebid 2♣-2♦-3♥/3♠/3NT:5-4/4-5/5-5 majors	2♣ - y - Double : nothing if y > 4♥ if not: double is negative with values	
2♦	x	0	GAME FORCING	4♥	2♠: 1As, 2NT : 2As, 3♣/3♠: 1 black(red)As + 1 value 3M/3NT : KQJxxx M/m	Stayman and transfers on 2NT rebid	2 → - y - Double : nothing if y > 4 ▼ if not: double is negative with values	
2 ♥ 2♠		6	4-10 HCP		2NT: relay ask for strength New suit forcing		In 4 th position: 6M, 11-14	
2NT			19-21 НСР	4 🖍	3♣: Stayman 4 responses 3 ♦ /3 ♥ /3 ♠ /4♣: Transfers 4 ♦ : majors 4♥ /4♠: 5♣-4 ♦ /4♣-5 ♦	Transfers rectification with fit	Negative Double Overcall natural	
3m 3M 3NT 4m 4M 4NT	x	(6)7 (6)7 7 7/8 7/8	Pre Pre AKQxxxx in m Pre Pre 6/5 min		New suit forcing New suit forcing 4 ◆ asking for controls (sg)	SLAM APPROACH AND CONVENTIONS ANT (sometimes 5NT): 5 Key Cards (41 / 30), then next suit asks for Queen of trump. Biddings after overcall on 4NT: X -> 0/2/4, Pass -> 1/3 NT: grand slam force Controls and cue-bids		

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EBL SUPPLEMENTARY SHEET
                                                                                                                                            PAGE 1
   NCBO: FRANCE
                                                               PLAYERS: AVON-BESSIS
(1)
                             X:4/5 🕶
                                                                                                                     X: 4/5 ♠
         1 &
                  1 🔷
                                                                                                1m
                                                                                                          1 🕶
                                                                                                                     1 ♠ : no 4/5 ♠
                             1♥:4/5 ♠
                             1 ♦ : no 4/5 ♥ or ♦
                                                                                                                     2 ∨ : 6+♠, 4-7 or GF
                             1NT : 4♥+4♠
                                                                                                                     2 \bigstar : 11+, any hand without \bigstar
                             2 \bullet / 2 \lor : 6 + \lor / \spadesuit, 4-7 or GF
                                                                                                                     3♥:6+♠,8-10
                             3 \checkmark / 3 \checkmark : 6 + \checkmark / \spadesuit, 8 - 10
                             2♠: 11+ any hand without major
         After 1NT rebid by opener, we still play both relays
(2)
         1x
                  Pass
         1NT
                  Pass
                             2♣: relay, the opener must bid 2♦; then the responder may describe his hand or pass over 2♦
                             2♦: GF Relay
(3)
         After opening in 3rd or 4th Seat:
                                                   Pass
                                                                                               1M
                                                                                                                     Pass
                                                                         Pass
                                                   2♣: Drury with fit
                                                                                               2M: weak opening
                                                                         Pass
                                                                                               2♦: waiting bid
         Pass
                  Pass
                             1♥(♠)
                                        Pass
         3 \clubsuit: to play
         2♣ then 3♣ : 5♣ + 4 \lor (♠), 9-11
                  Pass
                             1M
                                        Pass
         2NT : 4M + a short ⇒ 3 ♣ asking for shortness
                                        2NT: 3M 10-15 + or 4M 8-10
(4)
         1M
                  Nat overcall
                                        Cue-bid: 4M, GF
                                        3M: mixed raise, 4M 6-9
                             3/4m: 5/6m + 4/5M, 6-10
         1M
                  X
                             2/3NT: 4/5M, 10+
                             2 ♦ : good 2 ♥
                                                                                                          X
                                                                                                                     2♥: good 2♠
                  X
                                                                                               1 🛦
         1 🔻
                             2♥: weak 2♥
                                                                                                                     2♠: weak 2♠
                             3♥: preempt
                                                                                                                     3♠: preempt
                  Pass
(5)
         1NT
                                        Pass
         2 ♦ : no 4 ♥, no 4 ♠
         2 \checkmark (\clubsuit) : 4 \checkmark (\clubsuit), no 4 \spadesuit (\checkmark)
         2NT: 4 \checkmark + 4 \spadesuit then transfers
        MODIFIED RUBENSOHL: 2NT and more: transfers
(6)
            For exemple, over 2♠ overcall:
                                    Double: t/o
                                    2NT: transfer to 3♣
                                    3♣: transfer to 3♦
                                    3 ♦ : transfer to 3 ♥
                                    3♥: Stayman with short ♠
                                    3♠: asking for ♠ stopper
        TWO SUITERS:
(7)
                                  1♣(♦)
                                                 2 •
                                                            : 5♥ + 5♠
                                                                                                                                : 5♥ + 5♦
                                                            : 5♥ + 5♦
                                  1.
                                                 2NT
                                                                                                      1.
                                                                                                                     2 •
                                                                                                                                : 5♥ + 5♠
                                                            : 5♦ + 5♦
                                  1 🚓
                                                 3♣
                                                            : 5♥ + 5♣
                                                 2NT
                                  1 •
                                                                                                                                : 5♥ + 5♠
                                                            : 5♣ + 5♦
                                                 2NT
                                  1♥(♠)
                                                            : 5 🖈 + 5 🚓
                                                                                                                                : 5♠ + 5m
                                  1 🕶
                                                 2 🔻
                                                            : 5♠ + 5♦
                                  1 🔻
                                                 3.
                                  1 🛦
                                                 2
                                                            : 5♥ + 5♣
                                                                                                                                : 5♥ + 5m
                                                            : 5♥ + 5♦
                                                 3♣
                                  1 🏚
                                        2NT:5♣ +5♦
        1 🕶
                  Pass
                             2 🕶
                                        4*:5* +5*
                                        4 ♦ : 5 ♦ + 5 ♦
                                        2NT: 5/5 unknown
                                        4♣:5♥+5♣
                                        4 ♦ : 5 ♥ + 5 ♦
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WBF SUPPLEMENTARY SHEET
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    NCBO: FRANCE
                                                         PLAYERS: AVON-BESSIS
(7)
       1♥(♠)
                 Pass
                           1NT
                                    2NT:5♣ +5♦
                                    2x : 5 - 5 remaining colors
       1x
                 Pass
                           1y
       1x
                 1y
                           1NT
                                    Double: 5 - 5 remaining colors
                           1NT
       1♣(♦)
                                    2♣(♦): 5/4 Major
                 Pass
(8)
           VS PREEMPTS
                               3♣
                                         4♣:5♥+5♦
                                                                                            3♦
                                                                                                      4 ♦ : 5 ♥ + 5 ♠
                                         4 ♦ : 5 ♥ + 5 ♠
                               3♥(♠)
                                         4m:5♥(♠)+5 m
                                         4♣ : 5m +5M
                                                                                            3m - 3NT 4♣:5◆
                               3NT
                                         4 ♦ : 5 ♥ +5 ♠
                                         X = points
                               the same in balanced position
           VS 2♦ MULTI
                                         Double: T/O without major or Strong
                               2 •
                                         2NT: 16-19; then 3♣ Stayman; 3♦, 3♥ transfers
                                         3♥:5♠ + 5m
                                         3♠: both minors
                                         4♣:5♥+5♣
                                         4 ♦ : 5 ♥ + 5 ♦
                               2 🔷
                                         Pass
                                              2 🔻
                                                         X: take out over \checkmark
                                                                                            2 •
                                                                                                      Pass
                                                                                                              2
                                                                                                                      X: take out over A
                                                         3 ♥ : Nat
                                                                                                                      3 ♠ : Nat
                                                         3♠:5♣+5♦
                                                                                                                      4m:5 + 5m
                                                         4♣:5♥+5♣
                                                         4 ♦ : 5 ♥ + 5 ♦
             VS WEAK 2♥, 2♠
                         2M
                                     Χ
                                            Pass
                                                      3M: no 4OM, game forcing, no M stopper
                                                                                                          3M: 4OM + no M stopper
                                                      2NT:9+
                                                                    \Rightarrow 3m: natural (3+), minimum \Rightarrow
                                                                                                          3OM: 4OM, invit
                                                                                                          3NT: 4OM + M stopper
             VS a 2 suiter overcall:
                                         1st cue-bid = 5/6 cards in 4th colour, not GF; 2nd cue-bid, fit forcing
                                         Pass then X: Penalty
(9)
                         1NT
                                   Pass
                                                                                                    Pass
                                                                                                              1NT
           1♣(♦)
                                             Pass
                                                                            1♣(♦)
                                                                                          Pass
           Double: take out for majors
                                                                            Double: take out for majors
           1x
                               3y: I have the Ace of y
                     1y
(10)
       DOUBLES
                           a) Negative doubles:
                                                         - 1 🚓
                                                                 1 🏚
                                                                        X
                                                                                            1 •
                                                                                                    2
                                                                                                            Χ
                                                                        X
                                                                                                    3 y
                                                                                                            X
                                                         - 1 🔸
                                                                2*
                                                                                            1 &
                                                                        X
                                                                                                            X
                                                         - 1 v
                                                                4.
                                                                                                    4
                           b) Responsive doubles
                                                         - 1 🛦
                                                                X
                                                                          2
                                                                                    X
                                                         - 1 🖍
                                                                X
                                                                          3(4)
                                                                                    Χ
                                                                                            (but no forcing)
                                                         - 1 🚓
                                                                1 🛦
                                                                          X
                                                          Χ
                                                                Pass
                                                                        Pass
                                                         - 1 🛦
                                                          2
                                                                X
                           c) Informative doubles
                                                         - Double of some artificial bids as
                                                                                            - 1NT
                                                                                                   Pass
                                                                                                              2*
                                                                                                                        X
                                                                                                              2∨*
                                                                                                                        X
                                                                                            - 1NT
                                                                                                    Pass
                                                                                            - 1 &
                                                                                                    4♥
                                                                                                              Pass
                                                                                                                        Pass
                                                                                             4x
                                                                                                    X
                                                                                            - Double of Cue-Bid
                                                         - Double from the opener when overcall, or when defense is fitted or when preempt
                                                         - When overcall on 1NT or 2NT opening
                                                         - When overcall on 2♣ or 2♦ opening
                                                                                Double
                                                         - 1x 1NT
                                                                      2y
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X

Pass

2*

- 1NT

g) Doubles asking for a lead

Pass

3NT- Against slam, double asks for an unusual lead