

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
<b>OVERCALLS (Style; Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening)</b>
Sound, Jump raise is pre emptive, Cue bid is forcing raise, New suit is forcing. 2 LEVEL OVERCALL SOUND 1H x2D is raise in partners suit 8-10pts 1SP X2H is raise in partners suit 8-10pts 1SP 2SP 3SP 3 card (Courtsey Raise)6-9 pts 1SP 2C 3C 3 cards 11-12 p 1SP 2C 2NT 10-11pts 4 carder 1SP (2NT minors)3D cue bid raise10-11 pts
<b>INT OVERCALL (2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Live; Responses; Reopening)</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> position opening 15-18, response as 1NT opening 4 <sup>th</sup> position 12-14, responses are natural
<b>JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)</b>
One suit natural, Responses new suit forcing.
<b>DIRECT &amp; JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)</b>
Leaping micheals / No Leaping Micheals
Ghestem-
<b>VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)</b>
DON'T
<b>VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)</b>
Take out double through 4♥
<b>VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣</b>
<b>Natural</b>
<b>OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE</b>
JORDAN, Newsuit forcing at one level

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
<b>OPENING LEADS STYLE</b>			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3 <sup>rd</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup> with no honor higher	
NT	2 <sup>nd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup>	
Subseq	Same as above	Same as above	
Other: 3 <sup>RD</sup> OR 5 <sup>th</sup>			
<b>LEADS</b>			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AK Ax	Journalistic lead and Strong 10	
King	KQ KQJ AKJ		
Queen	QJ QJ10x QJx		
Jack	J109 J10		
10	109x or 2High cards above	109xx	
9	Same as above		
Hi-X	Top of the sequence		
Lo-X	3 <sup>rd</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup>		
<b>SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY</b>			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	UDCA		UDCA
2			
3			
1			
NT 2			
3			
Signals			
<b>DOUBLES</b>			
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<b>TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)</b>			
May be light with classic shape.			
Cue bit forcing.			
New suit one round forcing.			
<b>SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL &amp; COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS</b>			
Responsive X , Maximal X, Support X. Snapdragon x			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
<b>CATEGORY: Green</b>
<b>Country: UAE</b>
<b>PLAYERS: Manju Law &amp; Ruby Kochar</b>
<b>Event: VENICE CUP 2023</b>
<b>SYSTEM SUMMARY</b>
<b>GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE</b>
2/1, 1NT opening 14-17 5 card major, better minor, 1NT Forcing Reverse Flannery Inverted Minors Criss Cross minors SPLINTERS
<b>SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE</b>
2♣ opening strong-
2♦ Multi (weak in major, strong 20-21 points, 17+ unbalanced hand 4441)
2♦-2♥-relay; Pass or bid 2♠
2♦-2♠; Can pass or bid 3♥ to play
2♦-2nt Forcing
3♣-♥ suit-8-10 p
3♦-♠ suit-8-10 p more details in supp sheets
2♥2♠ Tartan(2Suitors)
2NT both Minors
Ghestem
3 way Bergen ( Details in summary)
Negative double to 3♠
Namyats
Help Suit Game Try Kokish
<b>SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES</b>
<b>IMPORTANT NOTES</b>
XYZ Splitter, Minor wood 1430, Jordan, Drury, Puppet, Stayman, DON'T, Spiral Raises
<b>PSYCHICS: Rare</b>



Open 5332

Hands with Major 5 carder

Open 2452 (4♥ + 5 C minor )

Open 6331 With 6 Carder Minor ( if no other bid availbale)

4332 Hands 8 points PASS

4332 Hand 8 + 5 Card INVITE

5332 Hand 9 Pts go GAME

Crawling & Garbage Stayman 0-4 Pts

**Smolen 3 Way** 5/4 weak , 5/4 Strong, 6/4 Strong

8-9 Pts

1NT- 2♦ Transfer

2♥ - 2♠ showing 5/4 Invite 8-9 pts

1NT - 2♥

2♠ - 4♥ with 5/5 in both partner can choose

**Strong Smolen 10+** 1NT- 2♣

2♦ - 3♥ Jumps in shorter suit

3NT- 4♥ Transfer want to play in Spades

4♠- PASS

1NT-2♣

2♦ - 3♠ Jump showing 4♠ + 5♥

4♥- PASS

1NT-2♣

2♦ - 3♠ Jump 5♥ - 4♠

3NT-4♦ ReTransfer to ♥

4♥ with 6/4 hand can go asking slammish

1NT- 2♣

2♦ - 3♥ 4♥/5♠

3NT- 4♥ Transfer

4♠ - 4NT Asking 6/4

**Super Accept**

1NT-2♦ Transfer

2NT - S.A 4 carder 17Pts + 5 controls( A-2, K-1)

Only accept with 5 controls

Worthless xx Dia

Kx,Ax,Qx are not worthless. Jx is worthtless

## Supplementary Notes

1NT- 2♥

2NT - 4 Carder, 5 controls 17 Pts

Xx worthless in ♥

**Range Asking** 1NT- 2♠

2NT, 15 pts

3♣- 17 Pts

3♣- 3♦,3♥,3♠ all singleton slam interest in club or can go 3NT

1NT- 3♣ Transfer to Diamond

3♦ - 4♦ Key cards on Diamond 100% without shortage

**Puppet Stayman** 1NT- 2NT 10-14 Pts

3♥/3♠ 5 Carder

3♣ no 6 carder minor-3♦-4/4 Majors

3♥-4♠

3♠- 4♥

3NT To Play

3♦ one 6 carder minor- 3♥ which minor

3♠ which is ♣

3NT- ♦

1NT-3♦ 4441 10-12 Pts GF

3♥ Asking - 3♠- singleton

3NT- ♥ singleton

Over this can bid 4♥, 4♠,5♣ and 5♦

1NT-3♥ Single ♥- 3154 or 3145 4/5 in minors

1NT-3♠ Single ♠- 1354 or 1345 4/5 in minors

1NT-2NT

3NT To PLAY

**S.A Transfers**

**Setting suit after 2** 1NT- 4♣ Transfer to ♥ 6 carder

4♦ suit agreed 5 controls partner can go 4♥ or asking

1NT- 4♦ transfer to ♠ 6 Carder

4♥ - suit agreed 5 controls can play slam partner can go 4♠ or asking

1NT-2♣

2♠-3♥ (bidding the other major sets the suit)

3♠ Mild Slam interest

4♠ no slam interest

**After Jacoby Transfer (2 level)** 4NT is QB

**After SA Transfer** 4NT is RKC

**QB by Responder** 1NT- 4♥ = 15+5 Carder Minor

1NT- 4♠ = 16 W/O 5 carder

1NT-4NT = 16+5 or 17 100% Slam

**Responder can Invite Quanti with**

15 +5

16 w/o a 5 card

17 w/o a 5 card

**Opener hand which can accept QB**

15 +5 Carder

16 with or without 5 card

17 all

**5NT** Pick a Slam

**RKC** 4NT- 5NT 2KC with a VOID with Even number of Cards

4NT - 6♣/ 6♦ VOID with 3KC or Odd number of Cards

4♣♥ RELAY 4♦ BY RESPONDER

4♦♠ RELAY 4♥ BY RESPONDER

4♥ 4NT By Responder asking

4♠ 4NT By Responder asking

**Bergen RAISES 3 WAY**

1♥-2♥-6-9 pts 3 card

1♥-3♥ 6-9 pts 4 card

1♥-X-2♦ 8-10 pts 3 carder

1♥-2♠ (NoShortness)3/4 carder 10-11p

2NT- asking 3♣-3carder

How many carder 3♦4 carder

3♥4 carder

1♥-3♣-singleton somewhere 10-11 p+4 carder

3♦ asking- 3♠

4♣

4♦

Singleton+4 card

1♥-3♦-VOID somewhere 10-11 p-4 carder

3♥

Relay 3♠

4♣

4♦

VOID

1♠-2♠ 6-9 pts 3carder

1♠-3♠ 6-9 pts 4 carder

1♠ X-2♥--8-10 pts 3 card support

1♠-3♣3/4 carder10-11 ps 3♦ relay to ask

1♠-3♦-singleton +4 carder3♥ relay to ask

Or bid 4♠(no extra values)

1♠-3♥-VOID

3NT ask- 4♣

4♦

4♥

VOID

Or just bid 4♠ to play

**OPP X Our 1NT for Penalty**

We play DON'T run outs

Ignore all artificial X's

**MULTI**

We play 3 Way Multi

Weak 6 carder,Strong 20-21 pts, Strong Imbalanced hand

**Strong 20-21 Points**

2♦-2NT

4NT 20-21 P

ALL SYSTEMS ON

**OUR DEFENCE TO MULTI**

2♦-X-balanced 13-16 HCP any dustrubution

2♦-2♥- Is 5 carder NF

2♦-2♠ is 5carder NF

2NT-16-118 HCP balanced (all systems on)

2♦-3♣-6 carder NF

2♦-3♦ 6 carderNF

2♦-3♥-6 carder NF

2♦-3♠ 6 carder NF A 4♥ response by

partner is cue bid

2♦-4♣ leaping michaels ♣+higher suit 4♦ ask

2♦-4♦-leaping Michaels♦+higher Suit

2♦-pass-pass-X take out of ♦

2♦-pass-2♥-X

2♠-Pass - Pass -X for penalty  
3♥ 6carder NF  
3♠ asking for ♠ stopper  
If not partner can bid his long suit

2♦ -Pass - 2♥-Pass -Pass

2♠ - Pass - Pass X- takeout of ♠

Tartan

Opening 2NT

2 SUITOR HANDS

2♥-♥+ any other suit-2NT asking suit

3♥-♠suit

2♥-2♠ not game force no fit in ♥either pass or show other suit

2♥-2NTasking other suit

3♣/3♦ can pass or bid 4♣/4♦ minorwood

BOTH MINORS

2nt-4♣/4♦-MINORWOOD (Not to be Passed)

Drury 3<sup>rd</sup> Seat/4th Seat

Pass - Pass 1♠ Pass

2♣ (11 pts 3 card support)

2♦ (11 pts 4 card support)

HELP SUIT GAME TRY

ONLY ON MAJORS 17+

1♥-2♥ 8-10 pts

2♠ Help-2NT,3♣,3♦

3♥ no help

3♦-can u help-3♥ no

4♥ yes

1♠-2♠ 8-10 pts

2NT help-3♣,3♦,3♥

3♥ can u help-3♠ no

4♠ yes

SPLINTER

INVERTED MINORS

11-14 points

1♦-2♦-GAME FORCE(denying 4 c Major) 13 p

2NT -If stoppers in both Majors-3NT by responder if other Minor Stopped

1♦-1NT 6-9 points

1♦-3♦ weak

1♦-3♣-Criss Cross-10-11 p

1♣-2♦-Criss Cross 10011 p

1♣-1NT (by opp) 2♦ by partner shows both majors 4-4 6-8 p over opp 1NT X BY

Partner is 9-10 pts1

1♣/♦-2♥ shows 4 carder♥ n 5 carder♠ 6-8 p

-2♠ shows 5carder ♠-4carder♥ 9-10 p

XYZ- All bids at 1 level

KOKISH Over 2♣ 2♣-22+

2♣-2♥ bust 0-3 pts no K in hand

2♣-2♦ waiting

2NT 20-21 Either via Multi or 2♣

2NT-3♣ (Puppet Stayman)

3♥/3♠

5 Carder

3♦ 4♣ 5/5 both majors

No 5/4 carder (slam interest)

3♥ 4♦ both majors no slam

4♣-both majors slam interest

1 or both majors

3NT to play or bid the 1 I don't have

2NT-4♣ Transfer to ♥

2NT-4♦ Transfer to ♠

2NT-3♦ Transfer

3♥-4NT 11 +5 Carder QB

6♥

2NT-3♥

3♠-5NT (12 or 12+5 Carder) partner pick

Your slam

If no fit opener will go 6NT

2NT-3♣ (Puppet)

3NT

5 Carder-♥-4♥ is to play any Cue4♣,4♦ bid is slam interest

2NT-3♣ puppet Stayman

3♠-4♠ to play any Cue bid 4♣,4♦,4♥ is slam interest

(5 carder)

SMOLEN OVER 2NT

2NT-3♣

3♦-3♥ (4♥-5♠)

3NT-4♥ RETRANSFER TO ♠6/4 MAYB SLAM INTEREST4♠

2NT-3♣

3♦-4♦ (6 carder♥)

4♥ to play

Sequences on 2NT-3♠ Puppet to 3NT

2NT-3♠

3NT-4♥-singleton 5/5 in minors6-9 p

Game invite in minors choose

2NT-3♠

3NT-4♠ singleton 5/5 in minors 6-9p

Game invite in minors choose

2NT-3♠

3NT-4NT pick ure slam in minors 10+

6/6 6/5

2NT-3♠ puppet to

3NT-4♣ Slam interest in ♣ KC on ♣

2NT-3♠ puppet to

3NT-4♦ Slam interest in ♦ KC on ♦

2NT-3♠ puppet to

3NT-4NT-5/5 in Minors Slam Interest in Minors

**QB on 2NT**

2NT-4♥ Direct 10 pts +5 Carder Minor

2NT-4♠ 11 + 5 Carder Minor

2NT-4NT 12 Without 5 Carder or 11+5 in a major transfer and bid 4NT Invite

2NT-5NT 12 +5 Carder (pick a Slam)

**S.A Transfers on ♥**

2NT-3♦ **TRANSFER TO ♥**

4♥ 3-4 carder 2 Key Cards or less to play

2NT-3♦

3♠ 4 Card support +5 Key Card

2NT-3♦

3NT 4 Card support +4 Key Card

2NT-3♦

4♣ 4 card support +3 key card

**Without above sequence bid 3♥**

2nt-3♦ Transfer to ♥

3♥-3nt

If opener now bids

4♣ 3 card support +5 key card

2NT-3♦

3♥-3NT

4♦ - 3 card support +4 key card

2NT-3♦

3♥-3NT

4♥ Max hand 3 card support +3 key card

**S.A Transfers on ♠**

2NT-3♥ Transfer to ♠

4♠ less than 2 Key cards To Play

2NT-3♥

3NT 4 card support +5 key card

2NT-3♥

4♣ 4 card support +4 key card

2NT-3♥

4♦ 4 card support +3 key card

2NT-3♥

3♠-3NT

4♣ 3 card support +5 key card

2NT-3♥

3♠-3NT

4♦ 3 card support +4 key card

2NT-3♥

3♠-3NT

4♥ 3 card support +3 key card

If I bid direct 4♠ 3 cards support less than 3 key cards