

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING	
<b>OVERCALLS (Style; Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening)</b>	
Natural 5+c. (rarely 4c, in M)	
Michaels and Leaping Michaels	
Cuebid: forcing; may be fitted	
<b>INT OVERCALL (2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Live; Responses; Reopening)</b>	
In 2nd: 15-18 bal (system on)	
In 4th: 11-13 bal (responses natural)	
<b>JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)</b>	
2 suits or weak	
Reopen:	
<b>DIRECT &amp; JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)</b>	
Direct jump = weak	
<b>VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)</b>	
Over INT strong: Multi Landy in 2nd and Landy in 4th	
Over INT weak: Landy and transfers in 2nd and 4th	
<b>VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)</b>	
Take out X, cuebids showing 2 suits; jumps.	
Over 2♦♥♠ weak= 2NT Gladiator(16+pts). Responses:3♣=transfer for ♦; 3♦= Stayman; 3♥= 5c.♠; 3♠= 5c.♥; 3NT= defense in both M	
<b>VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1( or 2(</b>	
X= shows suit of opener or lead in that suit; new suit = natural.	
<b>OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE</b>	
When M opening: XX=10+pts, may have fit; 1NT= 6-9 pts w/defense in other M; 2♠=3c.,8-10 pts; 2NT= 4c.+; 7+pts	
Over minor opening: natural responses, 1NT= 6-10 pts.	

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
<b>OPENING LEADS STYLE</b>			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	1,3,5 or top of sequence	1,3,5 or top of sequence	
NT	1,2,4 or top of sequence	1,2,4 or top of sequence	
S ubseq	1,3,5 or top of sequence	1,3,5 or top of sequence	
Other:			
<b>LEADS</b>			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	A(X), AK(X), AKQ	A(X), AK(X), AKQ	
King	KQ10, KQV10	KQ, K(X), AK	
Queen	QJ9X(X)	QJ9X(X)	
Jack	J10X(X)	J10X(X)	
10			
9			
Hi-X			
Lo-X			
<b>SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY</b>			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1			
Suit 2			
3			
1			
NT 2			
3			
Signals (including Trumps):			
<b>DOUBLES</b>			
<b>TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)</b>			
<b>SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL &amp; COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS</b>			
X over artificial bid asks for lead			
X,XX : support in p suit			

W B F CONVENTION CARD	
<b>Country: Portugal</b>	
<b>PLAYERS: Maria-Jose Calamaro (#3651)</b>	
<b>Cristina Pouseiro (#3620)</b>	
<b>EVENT: WBF Women's Teams 2025</b>	
<b>SYSTEM SUMMARY</b>	
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE	
2/1 GF	
5 card Majors	
Better minor	
1NT response = forcing (not forcing after Pass)	
3♣♦♥♠: 7c. (exceptionally 6), weak	
1NT opening = 15-17 (may have a 5 card major)	
2NT opening = 20-21 (may have a 5 card major)	
Checkback, Smolen, Lebensohl, Dury	
<b>SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE</b>	
2♣: 3 to 5 looser hands	
2♦ Multi: 6c.in major weak; 2nt (22-23 pts)	
2♥/♠: Muiderberg (5c.in M + 5c.♣ or ♦. preempt)	
Puppet Stayman, Gerber	
3NT Gambling	
2NT Multi	
Multi Landy	
Inverted minors	
Landik	
Gladiator	
<b>SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES</b>	
<b>IMPORTANT NOTES</b>	
<b>PSYCHICS:NO</b>	

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIF	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG. DBL THRU

	ICI AL		DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		3	Better minor	Natural except when inverted minors		
1♦		3	Better minor	Natural except when inverted minors		
1♥		5		Multi 2nt (4c+,7+pts); Checkback; 3/4M= weak w/4c.+; 1NT forcing for 1 round (not F after P)		Drury with 3c. 2NT multi w/4+c., 7+pts
1♠		5		Multi 2nt (4c+,7+pts); Checkback; 3/4M= weak w/4c.+; 1NT forcing for 1 round (not F after P)		Drury with 3c. 2NT multi w/4+c., 7+pts
INT			15-17 bal.(may have 5c.M)	2♣ Stayman; 2♦/♥= transfer for ♥/♠; 2♠= minors 5/5+; 2nt=long suit in m. (say 3♠); 4♠= Gerber; 4♦=5/5 M	After 2♦ Smolen	
2♣	✓		3 to 5 looser hands	2♦ relay	2♥/♠=5+c.(GF); 3♥♠=5+c. (not F); 2NT= 24+pts (system on)	
2♦	✓		Multicolor	2♥/♠=6c.weak 2NT= 22-23 pts (system on)	2NT asks for strength of hand Puppet Stayman	
2♥		5	Muiderberg 5M+5m	2NT = give m and strength 3♦ invite to game; 3♥/♠= continue preempt	3♠/♦=min w/♣♦; 3♥= max w/♠; 3♠= max w/♦	
2♠		5	Muiderberg 5M+5m	2NT = give m and strength 3♦ invite to game; 3♥/♠= continue preempt	3♠/♦=min w/♣♦; 3♥= max w/♠; 3♠= max w/♦	
2NT			20-21 bal (may have 5c.M)	3♠= Puppet Stayman; 3♦/♥= transfer for ♥/♠ 3♠=5/5 minors.		
3♣		7	Preempt			
3♦		7	Preempt			
3♥		7	Preempt			
3♠		7	Preempt			
3NT	✓	7	Long suit in minor			
4♣		8	Preempt			
4♦		8	Preempt			
4♥		8	Tendency less than opening hand			
4♠		8	Tendency less than opening hand			
4NT						
5♣		8+	Tendency less than opening hand		<b>HIGH LEVEL BIDDING</b>	
5♦		8+	Tendency less than opening hand		Roman Key cards (30/41); specific kings DOPI,ROPI; Gerber	
5♥					Splinters	
5♠					Minorwood	
					Exclusion Blackwood	
					Conrols	