| OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening) |
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| Sound on the 2-level |
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| $2^{\text {nd }}$ hand: $15-18$ |
| Responses: system on |
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| $4^{\text {th }}$ hand: 11-14 |
| Responses: system on |
| JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT) |
| 2NT $=5-5$ in the two lowest |
| Over short 1C openings $\rightarrow 2 \mathrm{D}=5-5 \mathrm{M}$ |
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| Reopen: |
| DIRECT \& JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen) |
| 1M-2M : 5-5 other major and a minor |
| $1 \mathrm{~m}-2 \mathrm{~m}: 5-5$ majors |
| (1x)-3x : asking for stopper |
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| VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH) |
| DBL: Penalty |
| 2clubs: Both majors |
| 2diamonds = 1 Major (bad overcall) |
| 2M = natural (good overcall) |
| DBL by passed hand $=5+\mathrm{m}$ and 4M |
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| VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids) |
| After major preempt : $4 \mathrm{~m}=$ leaping michaels ( $5+\mathrm{m}, 5+$ ther major) |
| After minor preempt : $4 \boldsymbol{N}=5-5 \mathrm{M}$ majors |
| $4 \star=$ one suited major |
| $4 \mathrm{M}=5+\mathrm{M}$ and 5+ other minor |
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| Transfer when opponents double our 1M-opening |
| Transfers after negative double |



| $\begin{aligned} & \text { OPENI } \\ & \text { NG } \end{aligned}$ | TICK IF AR <br> AL | min <br> No. OF CARDS | NEG.DBLTHRU | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT ACTION | COMPETITIVE \& PASSED HAND BIDDING |
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| 12 | x | 2 |  | (10)12+ | Inverted minor (GF), $2 \star$ = invite, WJS, optional walsh, responses on 1-level may be weaker than normal | ```\(1 m-2 m-2 / 3 x\) (no jump) \(=\) single \(1 \mathrm{~m}-2 \mathrm{~m}-3 / 4 \mathrm{x}\) (with jump spring) \(=\) void \(1 \mathrm{x}-1 \mathrm{y}-1 \mathrm{z}=\) unbal \(1 \mathrm{~m}-2 \mathrm{~m}-3 \mathrm{~m}=4+\mathrm{m}\) (semi-bal/bal with 'low' doubleton) \(1 \mathrm{~m}-2 \mathrm{~m}-3 \mathrm{nt}=\) bad minimum \(1 \mathrm{~m}-1 \mathrm{M}-2 \mathrm{nt}=16+6 \mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{M}\) or \(16+4 \mathrm{M}\) 12-1M-2-2 = art GF``` | $\begin{aligned} & 12-(\mathrm{dbl})-2=\text { invit }+5+5 \\ & (1 \mathrm{~m})-\mathrm{P}-(1 \mathrm{nt})-2 \boldsymbol{2}=\text { landy } \end{aligned}$ |
| 1 |  | 4 |  | With 4-4 we (usually) open 1* | Inverted minor (GF), 3e invite, WJS <br> Responses on 1-level may be weaker than normal |  | $1 \downarrow-(\mathrm{dbl})-3 \mathrm{l}=$ invit+, (4)5+* |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1 ष \\ & 1 \varphi \end{aligned}$ |  | 5 |  | (10) $12+$ ( $3^{\text {rd }}$ seat can be light) |  | $\begin{array}{ll} 1 \mathrm{M}-3-3 & =\text { asking good 5-card suit } \\ 1 \mathrm{M}-3-3 n t & =\text { suggestion } \\ 1-3-3 & =\text { short } \\ 1-3-3 & =\text { asking for shortness } \\ 1-3 & =\text { asking for shortness } \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 M-(2 x)-3 x=10+, 3 M \\ & 1 M-(2 x)-2 N T=10+, 4 M \\ & 1 M-(2 x)-4 x / y=\text { void } \\ & \text { Transfers after } 1 M-(d b l) \\ & \text { Transfers after }(1 x)-1 M-(d b l) \end{aligned}$ |
| INT |  |  |  | (14)15-17 (5M and 6m possible) | Stayman, transfer, smolen, 2sp= size ask/clubs $2 \mathrm{nt}=\stackrel{3}{\mathrm{c}}=$ puppet, $3 \star=10$ cards m , $3 \mathrm{M}=(31)(54)$ <br> $4 \boldsymbol{*}=$ hearts, $4 \star=$ spade, $4 M=$ natural |  | Transfer-lebensohl |
| 23 | x | 0 |  | a) (19)20-21nt/25+nt <br> b) GF | $\begin{aligned} & 2=\text { relay } \\ & 2 \mathrm{M} / 3 \mathrm{~m}=\text { to play opposite } 20-21 \mathrm{NT} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2-2 \mathrm{M}-3 \mathrm{M}=1-2 \text { controls } \\ & 2-2 \mathrm{M}-3 \mathrm{nt}=3+\text { controls } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} 2-(2 \mathrm{M})-\text { pas } & =\text { negative } \\ & - \text { dbl } \end{aligned}=\operatorname{art} \mathrm{GF} \text {. }$ |
| 2 | x | 2 |  | 18-19 bal | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \boldsymbol{\vee}=5+\boldsymbol{\wedge}, 2 \boldsymbol{\wedge}=\text { transfer to } 2 \mathrm{nt}, 2 \mathrm{nt}=6+\boldsymbol{\aleph}, 3 \boldsymbol{*}=6+ \\ & 3 \star=5-5 \mathrm{M} \text { GF, } 3 \mathrm{M}=\text { splint } 5-4(5) \mathrm{m}, 4 \boldsymbol{*}=\text { hearts } \\ & 4 \star=\text { spades } \end{aligned}$ | After transfer 2 $\uparrow=2 \mathrm{nt}$-system on | $2-(2 \mathrm{M})-\mathrm{dbl}=\mathrm{T} / \mathrm{O}$ <br> Transfer-lebensohl after overcalls $3 \mathbf{A}=$ transf to 3 nt after interference |
| 2M |  | (5)6 |  | Weak: ca. (2)4-9 | $2 \mathrm{nt}=$ asking for shortness <br> New suit is only forcing when we are vulnerable |  | Transfers after 2M - (dbl) |
| 2NT |  |  |  | (21)22-24 balanced | Stayman, transfer, smolen, $3 \boldsymbol{a}=$ both minors $4 \boldsymbol{*}=5-5$ major (SI), $4 \star=$ pick a major, $4 \boldsymbol{\varphi}=$ clubs, $4 \boldsymbol{=}$ diamonds |  |  |
| 32 |  | (5)6 |  | Depending on position and | $4 *=$ ace asking |  |  |
| 3 |  | (5)6 |  | vulnerability. Normally around | 4* = ace asking |  |  |
| 3 ${ }^{\text {¢ }}$ |  | 6 |  | (0)4-9hp, however after a | 42 = ace asking |  |  |
| 34 |  | 6 |  | passed hand it can be up to opening strength. | 4* = ace asking |  |  |
| 3NT | x |  |  | 1st + 2nd pos: solid 7(8)-card major suit <br> 3.+4. pos: gamble | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \boldsymbol{\&}=\text { asking for shortness, } 4=\text { bid your major } \\ & 4 \mathrm{M}=\text { to play } \end{aligned}$ | Shortness is shown up the line |  |
| 4\% |  | (6)7 |  | Depending on position and vulnerability. Normally around (2)4-9hp, however after a passed hand it can be up to opening strength. |  |  |  |
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| 4* |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4NT | X |  |  | Both minors (weak), 6-6+ |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING: RKCB 1430, Voidwood 0314, D0P1, R0P1, PUDL |  |

