

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
Usually 5+ cards at 1-level and 6-18 HCP usually.. Can be lead directing
2Level is typically sound, although may be very light if Part is PH
After 1-level overcall, super Rubens advances
Jump Cue=Mixed Raise
Jump New Suit = Fit Jump
If 3 rd hand bids, 2NT is fit bid.
1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
2 nd /4 th Live = 14+ - 18 HCP (Vul Dependent); SYS On
Reopening after 1x:9-15
Escaping from 1NT-(X):2x=natural nf, pass requests xx in order to bid a
2 suiter Dont style, or pass xx, xx is strong, forcing . Pen from both sides.
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Weak, 5-card Possible, According to VUL
(1m)-2NT=♥+om, (1M)-2NT: ♦+♣ both any strength
Reopen: INTERMEDIATE
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
(1m)-2 (m) =5+/5+ Majors; (1M)-2M=OM+m both any strength
(1x)-3x asks for stopper unless short club
(1M)-2M: 2NT=ask m POS; 3♣=P/C; 3♦=invite vs hearts,
nat vs spades; Cue=inv+ M
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
Direct x= 6(5) spades or /4S+5m or Strong any; 2c=6(5) hearts or
4h+5m;2d=M's, 2M=Muideberg; Reopening as on weak nt
Vs Weak NT: X=PEN, 2♣ = Majors, rest nat
If average is 13.33 or higher we consider opps nt Strong
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
Takeout (LEB 2NT in response); 2NT=15-18 (SYS ON)
(2♦/M WK)-3♦=ask stop, (2♦ WK) 4♣=♣+M, 4♦=majors
4m=m+OM Forcing not assuming; Non leaping Michaels
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣
1N = majors, 2n = minors, x = t/o of either minor against 1♣
X=majors, 2n= minors, rest nat against 2♣
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Transfers starting with XX from 1m ;
2NT=Raise over M; Transfers from 1NT over 1M

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3rd/5th	3 rd /5 th (ATT or SP if Raised)	
NT	2 nd /4 th	3 rd /5 th (ATT if Raised)	
Subseq	low enc ATT /std COUNT	low enc ATT / std COUNT	
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	A(+); AK+;	AKx if random suit	
King	Kx; KQ(+);AK	KQ(+),AKJ10+	
Queen	Qx; QJ(+)	Asks unblock/ count	
Jack	Jx; JT(+)	HJx; HJT(+); JT(x); Jx	
10	(H) Tx; (H)T9(+)	(H) Tx; (H)T9(+)	
Hi-X	xxSx; xxS; HxS,Sx	HSx; xSx(+),Sx	
Lo-X	Sx; HxSx(+);	HxxS(+); xxxS;	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	hi enc ATT	Count	
Suit 2	SP	SP	Low enc
3	count		
1		low enc Smith	Lavinthal
NT 2	hi enc ATT	Count	
3	Count		
Reverse Smith (high for switch);			
echoes in trumps are usually SP but may be used to obtain a ruff			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Emphasise unbid M's; Does not promise support for unbid minors			
Equal Level Conversion; Over XX, Jump = PRE			
Scrambling 2NT			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Support X's and XX's; action doubles			
1♣-(1♦): X=4+♥; 1♣-(1♥): X=4+♠			
Maximal Doubles; Responsive Doubles			

WBF CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: Red
NCBO: ROM - ROM
PLAYERS: David Calipetre - Andrei Piroi
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
5-card M; Semi-Forcing NT; Openings can be very light.
1♣=2+ may be any BAL hand incl. 6-cd ♦ Suit, 5cM - actually any hand that can be described as balanced by openers choice.
1♦-opening (4) 5+ NBAL (4 only if exactly 4441)
Open 10 bal, rule of 18 unbalanced
ART resp, TRF resp to 1♣
2♣ art GF; Frequent Non-PEN Doubles
1NT Opening 14-16 HCP red(½), 10 - 13 in green(1st/2nd) in 3rd position 12-16 , not game or M oriented
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
1M-2♣ = FG, can have fit; 1M -(any bid up to 2♣) -2N = 4 card inv+
1M - (any) - 3M- weak to mixed
1M - 3M+1 = 9-11 any SPL; step ask LMH
1M - 3M+2+ = 12-14 SPL
TRF Responses to 1♣;
Many Switch or Transfer Bids
1♣-(any)-1♠ = 0-3♠
1♣-(1♦)-2♣ =5-4+ Majors, NF
Very aggressive preempts in 1st green
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
After any GF Sequence or inviting sequence in vul
When the contract cannot be reasonably played undoubled or we have a clear good save
IMPORTANT NOTES
PSYCHICS: Sometimes

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG. DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣	X	2	6♠	10-13/17-19 BAL when vulnerable/14-19 bal when not	1♦/♥=Xfer; 1♠=no 4cM; 1N=10-12 2♦/♥=6+♥/♠ weak/GF; 2♠=both minors mixed 2N=6+ in a minor weak; 3♣/3♦/3M=mixed (7 card usually)	1♣-1R //1M=low bal 2-3fit/unbal fit 3 max 16; 2NT=Clubs 14-17, 3c=clubs 14-17 fit3 1NT=17-19 BAL; 2♦=4 way strong 1♣-1♠: 1NT=BAL; Else=Unbal	many Xfers in comp support X and XX
1♦		5(4)	6♠	Unbal or Semi-bal; 4 only if 4441 (♣ Singleton)	1NT=6-10; 2♣=3 card D fit/ clubs(bal)inv+; 2♦=Hearts; 2H=spades; 2S=C; 2nt=1m weak; 3c,3D,H,S = natural mixed	1♦-1M// 1NT-8-14 6+♦ or any 16+ 1♦-1M//2♦/♥ = Xfers 1♦-1M// 2NT=6+♦ 14-17 1♦-1M//3♦ = 6+♦, 3M, 14-17	
1♥		5	6♠	May be only 4 in 3 rd Seat or if 1444 strong	1NT=NF up to 13; 2♣=GF any, resp can relay for distribution ; 2♦ = 3+♥, 8+HCP; 2NT=4+ GF; 2♠ clubs inv; 3♣ diamonds inv; 3♦ = heart invite; 3M+1=any mini-SPL; 3M+2+SPL 12-14;	reversed gazilli style (2cl from opener shows 6M wk/15+)	2♣=Drury 4 Fit; Xfers after (X)
1♠		5	6♠	May be only 4 in 3 rd seat	1NT=NF up to 13; 2♣=GF art, resp can relay for distribution; 2NT=4+ GF; 2♦=♥xfer, 8+hcp with 6 cards or 5 cards and rebid; 3♣ = nat invite, 3♦ = nat invite, 3♥ = spade invite		
INT			6♠	14-16 in red; 10-13 in green; 5M/6m/5422 May have SGL Honor, 12-16 not game or M oriented in 3 rd /4 th	on strong nt: 2♣=STAY; 2♦=5+♥; 2♥=5+♠; 2♠=♣ 2NT=♦; 3♣minors wk; 3♦minors GF; 3H,3S=splinter;; 4♣=5+5+M; 4R Trf; 4♠= 44m SI; 4N=full Inv; on wk nt 2 way stayman, rest to play	1N-2♣-2♦-4♣/♦= 6♥4♠/6♠4♥; 3 rd /4 th seat nt treated as strong	Xfer Leb
2♣	X		6♠	Strong Art Any if Bal 22+	2♦=waiting, kokish,		
2♦				can be 5 cards	new suit = nf in green		
2♥	X			4♠+5(6)♥, (11)12-15	2N ask, 3m forcing, 3M non inviting	after 2N, 3m = singleton, 3♥ = 5422 min, 3♠ = 5422 max, 3N = 6♥	X from responder = pen, XX suggests pen if opener has at least HX
2♠				can be 5 cards	new suit = nf in green		
2NT			4♥	19+/-21 HCP; 5M/6m/5422 SGL Honor Possible	3♣=STAY; 3♦/♥=TRF; 3♠=♣ORKC 4♣=♦OKRC; 4♦/♥=TRF; 4S=44m; ;4N=full Inv;		
3♣				5+ cards aggressive when nvul first, normal otherwise	in green suits from responder are natural nf. Bid in other minor on lv 4 is 3 way: nat f/M's 2 suiter, opener will choose best M		
3♦				same as 3c	same as 3c, 4c is both M or inv fit or clubs		
3♥/♠				preempt, very aggressive in nv			
3NT	X			7+ solid ♣/♦/♥ To play in 3 rd /4 th Seats	4♣=P/C; 4♦=asks SGL; 4NT=asks 8 th card		
4♣/♦/♥/♠							
4NT				65+ minors, according to vul			
5♣/♦							
5♥/♠							
HIGH LEVEL BIDDING							
1430 RKCB, some Optional Keycards positions, Specific Kings; Italian Cuebids, lightner x. x tends to suggest higher suit against random slam.							