

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING		
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)		
Standart – New suits: F1, cue: invite+ with support		
Jump cue: mixed raise		
3nt: good gambling, 2nt: (in comp.only) good support better than jump cue		
1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)		
Standart – Same developments as 1NT opening		
Reopening – 10-14(15), 2♣: limit asking stayman		
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)		
Standart – preemptive bids, (1x)-2NT: 2 lowest		
Reopen: medium		
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)		
(1♣)-2♣: 5-5M NV weak or strong, V opening val.		
(1M)-2M: OM+5m, NV weak or strong, V opening values + (1x)-3x: asking stopper		
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)		
DBL: 4M-5+m or 1-suiter M strong or 18+balanced		
2♣: M’s, 2♦: 1-major, 2M: 5M-4+m, 2NT: minors		
Reopening: same		
Vs Weak NT: DBL: opening values, 2♣: M’s, others: transfer		
Reopening: same		
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)		
Vs 2M – 3M: minors, 4m: OM+m, Vs 3M – 4m: 5m-5OM		
Vs 3m – 4Om:Om+any major, cue: M’s		
Vs Multi – 3♥: m’s, 3♠: 5♣-5m, 4♣: 5♣-5♥, 4♦: 5♥-5♦		
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♠ or 2♣		
Vs 1♠ – DBL: 1-suiter, 1♦: M’s, 1M: M+m, 1NT: 4M-5+m		
Vs strong 2♣ – dbl: both majors, 2NT: both minors		
Vs Polish 2♣ – 3♣: M’s, 3♦: ♥, 3♥: ♠, 3♠: 5♥-5♦, 3nt: 5♣-5♦		
OVER OPPONENTS’ TAKEOUT DOUBLE		
Rdbl: strength – subsequent dbls penalty		
New suits: 1 st level natural, 2 nd level natural NF		
1M-(DBL)-2NT: support inv+, 1m-(DBL)-2NT: support inv+		
Jump support: preemptive		
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OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG. DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		3	4♠	10-21hcp	2♣: 12+hcp Inverted, 2♦: Inv Supp3x: preemptive	2-way Check-back, 3 rd suit F, 4 th suit F	
1♦						Transfer after 2NT rebid	
		3	4♠	10-21hcp	Same as 1♣ opening, 1♦-3♣: Support invite	Same as 1♣ opening	
1♥		5	4♠	10-21hcp	1NT: 4-12hcp NF, 2♣: FG 2+cards 2NT: 3+Supp GF, 3m: 6+cards invite	1M-1NT-2NT: GF 6+Suit or 19-21Splinter 1M-1NT-2NT-3♣: relay, 3x/4♣: nat. 6+	
1♠		5	4♥	10-21hcp	8-11 Mini Splinters 3♣/♦ Bergen	1M-1Nt-3x: 5-5, 1M-2NT-3♣: asking bid	
1NT			4♠	(14)15-17hcp balanced	Stayman, 4-way Transfer, standart Texas	1NT-2♣-2M-2/3OM: no shortness slam	Rubensohl
				Semi-balanced	4♣: Both M's, 3M: minors with shortness	splinter	
2♣	x			22+ any or 16+ unbalanced	2♦: 4+hcp, 2♥: 0-3hcp, 2NT: 8+hcp 5+♥	2♣-2♦-2nt: unlimited, same as 2NT dev. 2♣-2♦-3♦: no 4M, 3♥: 4♥-5+♦, 3♣: 4♣-5+♦	
2♦	x	-		18-19 bal. May have 5cM	2♥/♠: xfer to 2NT, 2NT/3♣ xfer 3♦: ask 5cM 3♥/♠ shortness	Stayman Transfer/SA Texas Rubensohl	
2♥		6		Weak ♥	2♣: nat F1, 2NT: asking relay, 3m: nat NF		
2♠		6		Weak ♠	3♥: nat F1, 2NT: asking relay, 3m: nat NF		
2NT			4♠	20-21hcp balanced	Puppet Stayman, transfer, 3♠: transfer 3nt	2NT-3♦-3♥: support, 3♣/NT: no support	
				Semi balanced	Both minors, 4♣: both majors		
3♣		6	3♦	Standart pre-empt	New suit: F1, 3NT: possible weak hand w sup.		
3♦		6	3♥	Standart pre-empt	New suit: F1, 3NT: possible weak hand w sup.		
3♥		6	3♠	Standart pre-empt	3♠: nat. F1, 4m/4♣: CAB		
3♠		6	4♣	Standart pre-empt	4♥: nat. NF, 4m/5♥: CAB		
3NT	x		4♣	Solid minor no A/K outside	4♣: P/C, 4♦: ask for shortness, 4M: SO		
4♣		7		Preemptive 8+			
4♦		7		Preemptive 8+			
4♥		7		Standart pre-empt			
4♠		7		Standart pre-empt			
4NT	x			Both minors 6-5 or more		HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♣		8		Standart pre-empt		1403 – after 4nt, first step ask for Q of trump, 2 nd step ask for Kings,	
5♦		8		Standart pre-empt		5nt: ask for extras if possible to ask Kings earlier	
5♥		8		Standart pre-empt		After exclusion – 0/1/1+Q/2/2+Q	
5♠		8		Standart pre-empt		Splinter bids generally shows minimum strength	
						Directly 5NT: pick a slam, 5♠: invite for grand	