BASIC RESPONSES	A BC AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEDERATION				
Jump raises - minors limit 🖌 forcing 🗆 other	INCORPORATED ©				
Jump raises - majors limit 🔽 forcing 🗆 other	STANDARD SYSTEM CARD				
Jump shifts after minor opening 16+ HCP after 1♦ opening					
Jump shifts after major opening 16+ HCP					
Responses to strong 2 suit opening N/A					
Responses to 2NT opening Baron and Jakoby transfers	Basic System: PRECISION Classification: Green □ Blue ✓ Red □ Yellow				
PLAY CONVENTIONS					
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both	Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape ${f abla}$				
Sequence leads: Overlead all 🔲 All except AK x (x) 🗹	1 ▲ 16+ HCP, 0 1 ◆ 11-15 HCP, 3 1 ♥ 8-15 HCP, 5 1 ▲ 8-15 HCP, 5				
Underlead other	1 NT 12-15 HCP may contain 5 card major				
Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude s	2€Stayman: simple □ extended 🗹 other				
3rd/5th other to NT, 3rds or lowest	transfers 2♦ to 2♥ 2♥ to 2● to 3●				
From 4 small 2nd highest S other	2 NT to 3♦ other superaccepts				
From 3 cards (no honour) top middle s bottom	2♠ 11-15 HCP, 5+ ♠ and 4-card major, else 6+ ♠				
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage 🗌 low encourage 🔲	2◆ 11-15 HCP, 0 or 1 ♦, no 5-card major, no 6+ ●				
other odd encourage	2♥ 7-10 HCP, 6+ ♥				
Signal on declarer's lead natural count	2♠ 7-10 HCP, 6+ ♠				
Discards McKenney in high encourage is low encourage in the second secon	2 NT 22-23 HCP				
odd/even 🗹 other even: suit directing McKenney style	3 NT 27+ HCP				
Count natural reverse	PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE				
CONVENTIONS	1♠ 3♠ overcalls				
4NT: Blackwood RKCB dother 30,41					
4	2				
Other Conventions					
D0P1	COMPETITIVE BIDDING				
Swine	Negative doubles through 2• Responsive doubles through 2•				
Lebensohl	Jump overcalls 7-10, exc 3 Unusual NT 5/5 other rank (5/4 rare)				
Grand slam force	1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 HCP (re-opening) 9-14 HCP				
	Immed cue of minor 5/5 other colour; 3♠ shows 2 odd suits (5/4 rare)				
	Immed cue of major 5/5 other colour.				
PO Box 397	Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Capp				
Fyshwick ACT 2609	Over opponent's 1NT (strong) Capp				
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Over opening threes

X = take-out

		RESPONSES TO C Describe strength, minimum lengt					
1.							
		Natural, forcing	21\1 3 ⊕	16+, balanced - PH 9+, suppor			
	1 ₩ ≜ 1NT	Natural, forcing		9-11, 5+ card support			
	1NT	8-10, not forcing	3	splinter raise			
	2 ≜	5-9, 4+ cards	3♥	splinter raise			
	2	15+, 5+ cards,	3 ≜	splinter raise			
	2♥ 2▲	15+, 5+ cards,	3NT 4 bids	12-15, support, balanced			
	2♠	15+, 5+ cards,	4 DIUS				
1♦	1♥♠	Natural, forcing	3♣	15+, 5+ cards, natural			
	1NT	6-9, not forcing	3•	9-11, 4+ card support			
	2♣	9+, natural	3♥	splinter raise			
	2♦	6-9, 4+ cards, no major	3♠	splinter raise			
	27	15+, 5+ cards	3NT	12-15 balanced, 4 card suppor			
	2♠	15+, 5+ cards	4♦	pre-emptive			
	2NT	16+ balanced, PH 9+ support	4 Other Natural				
1♥♠	1NT	6-9, not forcing	3♠	15+, 5+ cards			
	2♣	9+, natural, forcing	3♦	15+, 5+ cards			
	2♦	9+, natural forcing	3♥♠	9-11, invitational raise			
	2♥♠	5-9, support	3NT	12-15, support, balanced			
	2NT	16+, balanced, PH 9+ support	4 ≇ ♦	splinter raise			
2♣	2♦	Negative	2♥♠	Natural responses			
	other	Responses other than 2+show	2+ con	itrols, 7+ hcp			
2♦	27	0 or 4 controls	3 ≇ ♦	2 or 6 controls			
	2♠	1 or 5 controls	3♥♠	3 or 7 controls			
	2NT	7+ hcp, at most 1 control	3NT				
2♥♠	2NT	Ogust	3NT	To Play			
	3 ≇ ♦	Natural	4 ≇ ♦				
	3♥♠	Pre-emptive	4♥♠				
2NT	3♣	Enquiry	4 ♣				
	3♦	Correctable	4♦	Correctable			
	3♥	Correctable	4♥	Correctable			
	3♠	Correctable	4 ♠	Correctable			

CONVENTIONS								
Additional responses to 1NT								
3∉3♦	Game try, 6+ card suit to two top honours							
3♥3♠	Slam invitational, opener may cue with support							
4 ♠	Gerber							
4♦								
4♥	To play							
4♠	To play							
Unusual NT:	minor	rs 🗆	other suits	\checkmark	lower 2 unbid suits			
other								
Other slam bidd	Other slam bidding Cue Bids 🗹 Asking Bids 🗆							
4th Suit Forcing	j C	One round	Game f	orcing on r	responder Game force			
NT Checkback		Prioritie	S					
Defence to 3NT	opening							
Defence to opening 2-s: Multi X shows values (14+), suit bids & 2NT natural						ral		
X for takeout if suit bid is natural								
RCO style 2-s		X shows values (14+), suit bids & 2NT natural						
		X for takeout if suit bid is natural						
Other 2-s		X shows values (14+), suit bids & 2NT natural						
		X for takeout if suit bid is natural						
Defence to stro	ng 뢒	X for Majors	, 1NT for M	inors				
Lebensohl	Ov	er NT interfer	ence 🔽					
Other use								
Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4#4• x shows values, partner may pass								
	4♥	x shows valu	ues 4≜ x s	hows value	es, partner may bid or p	bass		
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OTHER NOTES

Crowhurst after 1NT rebid, Truscott raises after opponents takeout double In response to partner's 1NT overcall a cue of the opponent's suit is Stayman, all other 2 level calls natural and non-forcing.

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Jump raises - minors limit forcing d other 1+- 3+only 1+- 3+limit	INCORPORATED ©
Jump raises - majors limit 🛛 forcing 🗆 other only	STANDARD SYSTEM CARD
Jump shifts after minor opening 19+	
Jump shifts after major opening 19+	
Responses to strong 2 suit opening various sequences	
Responses to 2NT opening 3∉3♦best minor 3♥asking other natural	Basic System: Standard American Classification: Green □ Blue □ Red ✓ Yellow
PLAY CONVENTIONS	
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit	Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape
Sequence leads: Overlead all 🔲 All except AK x (x) 🗹	1♠ 13+ 2 1♦ 13+ 4 1♥ 13+ 5 1♠ 13+ 5
Underlead other	1 NT 16 - 18 may contain 5 card major
Four or more with an honour 4th highest interview attitude attitude interview attitude attitu	2€Stayman: simple 🗹 extended 🗆 other or weak ●
3rd/5th 🗹 other	transfers 2♦ 2♥ (or weak ♦) 2♥ 2♠ 2♠ show minor
From 4 small 2nd highest inter	2 NT invitational other 4€Gerber 4€4♥ 4♥4€ super accepts
From 3 cards (no honour) top 🗔 middle 🗹 bottom 🗔	2
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage 🔲 low encourage 🔲	2♦ Weak 2♠(6 cards+ up to opener) or 4441/544- (13+ vul) or 9 tricks in either or both 💜
other odd encourage even discourage revolving	2♥ Majors 5/5+ 7 loser or better
Signal on declarer's lead odd encourage even discourage revolving	2 Spades & a minor 5/5+ 7 loser or better
Discards McKenney 🗌 high encourage 🗌 low encourage 🔲	2 NT Minors 5/5+ 7 loser or better
odd/even 🗹 other	3 NT Gambling
Count natural 🗹 reverse 🗔	PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED
CONVENTIONS	MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE
4NT: Blackwood 🗹 RKCB 🗆 other Roman CRO	3€ 5♥& 5€ 7 loser or better 3♥ 6♥& 4€ 6 loser or better
4 Gerber when? over 1NT only	3♦ 5♥& 5♦ 7 loser or better 3♠ 6♠& 4♥ 6 loser or better
Other Conventions	4€transfer to 4♥ strong after passed partner 4€transfer to 4€ strong after passed partner
PODI	COMPETITIVE BIDDING
Positive Slam Doubles	Negative doubles through Responsive doubles through
Splinter Bids	Jump overcalls Weak/Michaels Unusual NT Unbid suits or Michaels
Ogoust	1NT overcall (immediate) 16-18 balanced (re-opening) 12+
	Immed cue of minor Michaels both reds or both blacks NB except 1.
	Immed cue of major Michaels both reds or both blacks
ABF Marketing PO Box 397	Over opponent's 1NT (weak) (X penalty) / Capelletti
Fyshwick ACT 2609	Over opponent's 1NT (strong) (X penalty) / Capelletti
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	Over opening threes Next suit takeout X penalty

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		RESPONSES TO C	PEN	IING BIDS			
		Describe strength, minimum lengt	h or spe	cific meaning			
1 ≜	1♦	6-18 5•or 6-8pts 3334/3343	2NT	12-15 no 4 card major			
	1♥♠	6-18 4♥/4♠	3♠	9-15 6🛳			
	1NT	9-11 not 4 ♥or 4♠ (2♦asking)	3♦	preemtive			
	2♠	6-8 5♠	3♥	preemtive			
	2♦	19+ 5♦	3♠	preemtive			
	2♥	19+ 4♥	3NT	16-18 may contain 4♥or 4♠			
	2♠	19+ 4	4 bids	4 € 16+&6 € 4 ∜∜ ≰preempt			
1♦	1♥♠	6-18 47	3♣	19+ 5 ♣ or 3334			
	1NT	6-10 no 4 card major	3♦	9 max 5♦			
	2♠	10-18 5 or 11-12 and 3334	3♥	Splinter game force 7 loser+			
	2♦	10+ 4♦no 5 card major	3♠	Splinter game force 7 loser+			
	2♥	19+ 4♥	3NT	16-18 may contain 4♥or 4♠			
	2♠	19+ 4♠	4♦	Ace asking 30/41 CRO prog			
	2NT	13-15 no 4 card major	· · · ·				
1♥♠	1NT	6-9 denies 3 card support	3♠	19+ 4♣			
	2♣	10+ 4 ♠ if 3 ♥ ♠11-12 or 17-18	3♦	19+ 4			
	2♦	10+ 4♦ if 3♥♠11-12 or 17-18	3♥♠	13-16 3♥ or splinter			
	2♥♠	6-10 3♥♠	3NT	16-18 if support very flat			
	2NT	13-15 denies 3 card support	4 ≇ ♦	Splinter 7 loser+			
2♣	2♦	Asking (various sequences)	2♥♠	To play 2NT 5 loser in			
	other	To play (losing trick raises in	compet	tition assuming 6 card ♥suit)			
2♦	2♥	Asking (various sequences)	3≇♦	To play			
	2♠	To play	3♥♠	To play			
	2NT	5 loser in 💙	3NT	To play			
2 \	2NT	Asking (3. € min/max etc)	3NT	To play			
	3∰♦	Natural or pass/correct	4 ∯♦	Control Cue bid			
	3♥♠	Natural, invitation or competitive	e 4 ∜ ♠	Control Cue bid or to play			
2NT	3♣	Best minor	4 ♠	Invitation or competitive			
	3•	Best minor	4♦	Invitation or competitive			
	3♥	Asking (3#NT min/max etc)	4♥	To play			
	3♠	Natural	4♠	Control Cue bid			
	3NT	To play	other	4NT Ace ask 5 € to play			

dditional responses to 1NT						
3 ∉ 3♦ Natural & Forcing						
3♥3 5+♥ Slam interest						
4 Gerber 30/41 CRO progressive						
4♦ transfer 4♥						
4♥ transfer 4♠						
4♠ transfer 5♠ 5♣ transfer 5♦						
nusual NT: minors 🗆 other suits 🗹 lower 2 unbid suits						
other Michaels (modified) Cue/2NT/3 2 suited CRO						
ther slam bidding Cue Bids 🗹 Asking Bids 🗆						
h Suit Forcing One round Game force						
T Checkback D Priorities						
efence to 3NT opening Natural						
efence to opening 2-s: Multi						
RCO style 2-s X/Next suit is also 2 suited Majors/Minors Blacks/Reds						
2NT 18+						
Other 2-s						
efence to strong All bids over 1 are as normal opening bids						
X shows a 1eopening						
ebensohl Over NT interference						
Other uses						
ake out of 4 level pre-empts 444						
4♥ 4♠						

OTHER NOTES

BASIC RESPONSES	A BC AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEDERATION				
Jump raises - minors limit of forcing other inverted	INCORPORATED ©				
Jump raises - majors limit 🗹 forcing 🗆 other tht					
Jump shifts after minor opening weak	STANDARD SYSTEM CARD				
Jump shifts after major opening mini-splinter	Names: Sharyn Birrer John Morris ABE Naci: 4/4/3E 2/5/411				
Responses to strong 2 suit opening	ABF Nos: 464635 265411				
Responses to 2NT opening 3♣/ ♦ to play, 3♥ inquiry, 3♠ 5/5 majors	Basic System: Standard American Classification: Green □ Blue ✓ Red □ Yellow				
PLAY CONVENTIONS	OPENING BIDS				
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both	Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape				
Sequence leads: Overlead all 🗹 All except AK x (x) 🔲	1 2+ 11+ hcp 1 4+ 11+ hcp 1 5+ 11+ hcp 1 5+ 11+ hcp				
Underlead other	1 NT 15 - 18 hcp may contain 5 card major				
Four or more with an honour 4th highest 🗔 attitude 🗹	2 € Stayman: simple □ extended 🗹 other				
3rd/5th other	transfers 2 V V 2				
From 4 small 2nd highest s other	2 NT other				
From 3 cards (no honour) top NT middle S bottom	2♠ (8 playing tricks ♥ or ♠) or (game force) or (23 - 24 hcp & balanced)				
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage 🔲 low encourage 🗹	2♦ (6+ ♥ or ♠ & weak 6-9 hcp) or (20-22 hcp & bal) or (25-26 hcp & bal)				
other odd/even (occasionally)	2♥ 5+ ♥ & 4+ another (6-10 hcp)				
Signal on declarer's lead	2				
Discards McKenney in high encourage in low encourage in the second secon	2 NT 5+ / 5+ minors (6-10 hcp) or strong				
odd/even 🗹 other even - McKenny	3 NT kabel				
Count natural reverse	PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED				
CONVENTIONS	MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE				
4NT: Blackwood CRKCB other 14/30	jump raises - majors (mini-splinter) - minors (weak)				
4● Gerber ☑ when? over NT & when obvious	unusual 1NT				
Other Conventions					
help suit trials	COMPETITIVE BIDDING				
unassuming cue bids	Negative doubles through 3 Responsive doubles through 3				
super accept of transfers	Jump overcalls 6 - 11 hcp Unusual NT 2 lowest unbid suits				
	1NT overcall (immediate) 15 - 18 hcp (re-opening) 10 - 12 hcp				
	Immed cue of minor both majors (may be only 4 ♠)				
	Immed cue of major other major + minor (could be 5/4)				
© ABF Marketing PO Box 397	Over opponent's 1NT (weak) pottage (X for single suit, 2+ for 15+ hcp)				
Fyshwick ACT 2609	Over opponent's 1NT (strong) pottage (X for single suit, 2 for 15+ hcp)				
Tel: 02 6239 2265 FAX: 02 6239 1816	Over weak twos X				
	Over opening threes X				
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			PONSES TO (5	
Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning							
1 ≜	1♦	4+	6+ hcp	2NT	balanced	11-12 hcp	
	1♥♠	4+	6+ hcp	3♠	5+	5-8 hcp	
	1NT	balanced	6-9 hcp	3♦	7+	0-5 hcp	
	2♠	4+	10+ hcp	3♥	7+	0-5 hcp	
	2♦	6+	0-5 hcp	3♠	7+	0-5 hcp	
	2♥	6+	0-5 hcp	3NT	balanced	13-15 hcp	
	2♠	6+	0-5 hcp	4 bids	4♦	gerber	
1♦	1♥♠	4+	6+ hcp	3♣	6+	5-8 hcp	
	1NT		6-9 hcp	3♦	4+	5-8 hcp	
	2♠	4+	10 + hcp	3♥	7+	0-5 hcp	
	2♦	4+	10+ hcp	3♠	7+	0-5 hcp	
	2♥	6+	0-5 hcp	3NT	balanced	13-15 hcp	
	2♠	6+	0-5 hcp	4♦	6+	0-5 hcp	
	2NT	balanced	11-12 hcp	4 Other	4♣	gerber	
1♥♠	1NT		6-9 hcp	3♠	3+ ♥♠(mini-splinter) 6+ hcp		
	2♠	3+	10+ hcp	3♦	3+ ♥ ♠(mini-	-splinter) 6+ hcp	
	2♦	5+	10+ hcp	3♥♠	4 💙/ 🛳	6-9 hcp	
	2♥♠	3	6-9 hcp	3NT	3 ♥♠(no honour) 13-15 h		
	2NT	jacoby	12+ hcp	4 ∉ ♦	void	game force	
2♣	2♦	< (A,K) or (3K) or (10+ hcp)		2♥♠	5+ positive		
	other	2NT/3♣ positive & 5+ ♣/ ♠, 3♦ p		positive	ive & no 5 card suit		
2♦	27	weak	pass or correct	3≇♦	5+	forcing	
	2♠	poor 🛦 su	pport	3♥♠	pre-emptive pass or correct		
	2NT	inquiry		3NT			

3NT

4**⊈**♦

4♥♠

4**♠**

4♦

4♥

4♠

other

to play

4**♣** (bid)

to play

to play

to play

to play

pre-emptive

2♥♠ 2NT inquiry

2 **d**3**d**(bid) pass or correct

pre-emptive

to play

to play

inquiry

to play

5/5 majors

3≇♦

3♥♠

3♦

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3♠

3NT

2NT 3♣

gerber

CONVENTIONS									
Additional responses to 1NT									
3 ⊈ 3♦	good suit & slam interest								
3♥3♠	good sui	good suit & slam interest							
4 ♣	gerber	- -							
4♦									
4♥	to play								
4 ♠	to play								
Unusual NT:	mino	rs 🗆	other suits		lower 2 unbid suits				
other									
Other slam bid	lding	Cue Bid	s 🗹	Asking Bid	s 🗆				
4th Suit Forcin	ig (One round			Game force	\checkmark			
NT Checkback		Prioritie	es						
Defence to 3N	T opening	X for	15+ hcp						
Defence to opening 2-s: Multi (X for t/o) or									
			(2NT 12-	14 hcp & s	stopper & 1/2)				
RCO sty	le 2-s	X for take o	out						
Other 2-s	S	X for take out							
Defence to stro	ong 뢒	pottage							
Lebensohl	Ov	ver NT interfe	rence 🔽						
Other us	es resp	oonses to X	of weak 2's						
Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4#4• X co-operative									
	4♥	X co-operat	tive 4 X c	o-operative	9				

OTHER NOTES