BASIC RESPONSES	AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEDERATION
Jump raises - minors limit \Box forcing \Box other Preemptive	INCORPORATED ©
Jump raises - majors limit \Box forcing \Box other Preemptive	STANDARD SYSTEM CARD
Jump shifts after minor opening Weak	
Jump shifts after major opening Bergen/Limit raise	2 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3
Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2♦ negative or waiting	
Responses to 2NT opening 5 card stayman, transfers, 3♠ = 4/5 ♥/♠	Basic System: Kaplan Sheinwold with Weak 2s 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♠ 10+, 3+♠ 1♦ 10+, 3+♦ 1♥ 10+, 5+♥ 1♠ 10+, 5+♠
Underleadother A=Attitude, K=Count	1 NT (11) 12-14 may contain 5 card major
Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude	2♣ Stayman: simple 🛛 extended 🗆 other
3rd/5th other	transfers 2♦ ->♥ 2♥ ->♠ 2♠ ->♠
From 4 small 2nd highest other	2 NT ->♦ other
From 3 cards (no honour) top NT middle S bottom	2♠ Game Force or 23+ balanced or 19-21 6+M
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage	2♦ 6-9pts, (5)6♦
other	2♥ 6-9pts, (5)6♥
Signal on declarer's lead Reverse Count	2♠ 6-9pts, (5)6♠
Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage	2 NT 21-22, may contain a 5 card major
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 dother	Bergen Raises
4♣ Gerber □ when?	Inverted Minors
Other Conventions	
	COMPETITIVE BIDDING
	Negative doubles through 3♠ Responsive doubles through 3♠
	Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT Lowest 2 unbid suits
	1NT overcall (immediate) (15)16-18 (re-opening) 11-14
	Immed cue of minor 5+/5+ ♥/♠, 0-9 or 16+
@ADE Madution	Immed cue of major 5+/5+ other major and a minor, 0-9 or 16+
©ABF Marketing PO Box 397	Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Modified Cappelletti
Fyshwick ACT 2609	Over opponent's 1NT (strong) DONT
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		RESPONSES TO	OPE	NING BIDS				
		Describe strength, minimum ler	ngth or s	pecific meaning				
1♣	1•	6+, 4+♦ (Walsh) 2NT 10-11, No 4CM						
	1 ♥ /♠	6+, 4+ ♥ /♠ (Walsh)	3♣	0-7, (4)5+♣				
	1NT	6-9, no 4CM	3♦	Splinter				
	2♣	10+, 4+♣	3♥	Splinter				
	2♦	0-6, 6+•	3♠	Splinter				
	2♥	0-6, 6+♥	3NT	To Play				
	2♠	0-6, 6+♠	4 bids					
l ♦	1 ♥ /♠	6+, 4+♥/♠	3♣	0-6, 7+♦				
	1NT	6-9, No 4CM	3♦	0-7, (4)5+•				
	2♣	10+, 4+♣	3♥	Splinter				
	2♦	10+, 4+♦	3♠	Splinter				
	2♥	0-6, 6+♥	3NT	To Play				
	2♠	0-6, 6+♠	4♦	Preemptive				
	2NT	10-11, No 4CM	10-11, No 4CM 4 Other					
1 ♥ /♠	1NT	6-11/6-9	3♣	6-9, 4 card support				
	2♣	12+/10+ 4+♣	3♦	10-11, 4 card support				
	2♦	12+/10+ 4+•	3 ♥/ ♠	0-5, 4 card support				
	2 ♥ /♠	6-9, exactly 3 card support	3NT	To Play				
	2NT	Game force raise	4♣/♦	Splinter				
2♣	2•	Negative or waiting	2♥/♠	at least A + K, natural				
	other	at least A + K, natural						
2•	2♥	Natural, forcing 1	3♣/♦	3 card preemptive raise				
	2♠	Natural, forcing 1	3 ♥/ ♠	Natural, forcing 1				
	2NT	OGUST	3NT	To Play				
2♥/♠	2NT	OGUST	3NT	To Play				
	3 ♣/♦	Natural, forcing 1	4♣/♦	Splinter				
	3 ♥/ ♠	Preemptive raise	4 ♥ /♠	To Play				
2NT	3♠	5 card stayman	4♣	->♥				
	3♦	->♥	4♦	->♠				
	3♥	->♠	4♥	To Play				
	3♠	5♠/4♥	4♠	To Play				
	3NT	To Play	other					

		CONVENTIONS						
Additional responses to 1NT								
3♣/3♦ 5	Slam try							
3♥/3♠ 5	Slam try							
4♣ -	-> ♥ (Milo	slam try)						
4• -	-> ♠ (Milo	slam try)						
4♥	To play (weak)						
4♠	To play (weak)						
Unusual NT:	mino	rs \square other suits \square	lower 2 unbid suits $\ oxedsymbol{oxtime}$					
other								
Other slam bide	ding	Cue Bids 🗵 Asking I	Bids 🗆					
4th Suit Forcing	g (ne round \Box	Game force $\ oxtimes$					
NT Checkback		Priorities 3 Card support						
Defence to 3NT	openin	3						
Defence to ope	ning Tw	o's: Multi 2♦						
RCO style								
Defence to stro	ong 뢒	DONT style 2 bids						
Lebensohl	O۱	er NT interference						
Other use	s Afte	r Wk 2:X:Pass						
Take out of 4 le	vel pre-	empts 4♣/4♦ X: takeo	ut					
	4♥	X: takeout 4♠ X: optional						
		OTHER NOTES						
		OTHER NOTES						

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Jump raises - minors limit ☐ forcing ☐ other	INCORPORATED ©
Jump raises - majors limit \Box forcing \Box other	
Jump shifts after minor opening	STANDARD SYSTEM CARD
Jump shifts after major opening	Names: Anil Sharma Anita Sharma
Responses to strong 2 suit opening	ABF Nos: 616265 616273
Responses to 2NT opening	Basic System: ACOL
PLAY CONVENTIONS	Classification: Green ⊠ Blue □ Red □ Yellow □ 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♠ 11+ 4♠ 1♦ 11+ 4♦ 1▼ 11+ 4♦
Underlead other A = attitude, K = count	1 NT 12-14 Bal may contain 5 card major
Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude	2♠ Stayman: simple ⊠ extended □ other Correctable to 2NT
3rd/5th other	transfers 2♦ ♥ 2♥ ♠ 2♠ ♠
From 4 small 2nd highest other	2 NT ♦ other
From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom	2♠ 23+
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage	2♦ 6-10, 6♦
other	2♥ 6-10, 6♥
Signal on declarer's lead	2♠ 6-10, 6♠
Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage	2 NT 21-22 Bal
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 BW in NT, RKCB 3014	Ogust
4♣ Gerber □ when?	Lebensohl
Other Conventions	Super-accepts Super-accepts
	COMPETITIVE BIDDING
	Negative doubles through 2♠ Responsive doubles through
	Jump overcalls weak Unusual NT Michael's
	1NT overcall (immediate) 16+ Bal (re-opening) 15-17
	Immed cue of minor Michael's
	Immed cue of major Michael's
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Fyshwick ACT 2609	Over opponent's 1NT (strong) Modified Cappelletti
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		RESPONSES TO	OPEN	NING BIDS	
		Describe strength, minimum le	ngth or s	pecific meaning	
1♣	1•	6+ 4♦	2NT	11-12 bal	
	1 ♥ /♠	6+ 4♥/♠	3♣	10+ 4+♣	
	1NT	6-9 Bal	3♦	6-9 7♦	
	2♣	6-9 4♣	3♥	Splinter	
	2♦	6-9 6♦	3♠	Splinter	
	2♥	6-9 6♥	3NT	13+ bal	
	2♠	6-9 6♠	4 bids	◆ Splinter	
 	1 ♥ /♠	6-9 4♥/♠	3♠	6-9 6♣	
	1NT	6-9 Bal	3♦	10+ 4+♦	
	2♣	10+ 5♣	3♥	Splinter	
	2♦	6-9 4◆	3♠	Splinter	
	2♥	6-9 6♥	3NT	13+ Bal	
	2♠	6-9 6♠	4♦	game ask	
	2NT	11-12 Bal	4 Othe	er♣ Splinter	
♥/♠	1NT	6-9 Bal	3♣	6-9 6♣	
	2♣	10+ 5♣	3♦	6-9 6♦	
	2♦	10+ 5♦	3 ♥ /♠	10+ 4+♥/♠	
	2 ♥ /♠	6-9 4+ ♥/♠	3NT	13+ Bal	
	2NT	11-12 Bal	4♣/♦	Splinter	
.	2•	5♦	2 ♥ /♠	5♥/♠	
	other	2NT Balanced			
2	2♥	12+ 5♥	3♣/♦	12+ 5♣/10-11 2♦	
	2♠	12+ 5♠	3 ♥ /♠	14+ 6♥/♠	
	2NT	14-15 Bal	3NT	16+ Bal	
2♥/♠	2NT	14-15 Bal	3NT	16+ Bal	
	3♣/♦	12+ 5♣/♦	4♣/♦	6+♣/♦	
	3 ♥/ ♠	12+ 2♥/♠	4 ♥ /♠	Game signoff	
2NT	3♠	Stayman	4♣		
	3♦	transfer 💙	4		
	3♥	transfer ★	4♥		
	3♠	∳	4♠		
	3NT	signoff	other		

CONVENTIONS
Additional responses to 1NT
3♣/3♦
3♥/3♠
4♠
4♦
4♥
4♠
Unusual NT: minors \square other suits \square lower 2 unbid suits \square
other
Other slam bidding Cue Bids \square Asking Bids \square
4th Suit Forcing One round 🛛 Game force 🗆
NT Checkback Priorities
Defence to 3NT opening
Defence to opening Two's: Multi 2◆
RCO style 2-s
Other 2-s
Defence to strong ♣
Lebensohl Over NT interference ⊠
Other uses Over weak 2 bids
Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4♣/4♦
4♥ 4♠
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OTHER NOTES

BASIC RESPONSES	ARC AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEDE
Jump raises - minors limit ☐ forcing ☐ other Strong	INCORPO
Jump raises - majors limit □ forcing □ other Weak	
Jump shifts after minor opening Strong	STANDARD SYSTEM CARD
Jump shifts after major opening Weak	Names: Nic Matich Jane Reynolds
Responses to strong 2 suit opening Negative Double	ABF Nos: 549584 666701
Responses to 2NT opening Staymen & Transfers	Basic System: Standard American with Optimal two's Classification: Green □ Blue □ Red ☒ Yellow
PLAY CONVENTIONS	Classification: Green ☐ Blue ☐ Red ☐ Yellow OPENING BIDS
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both	Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning
Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x)	1♠ 3+♠,11+ HCP 1♦ 3+♦,11+ HCP 1♥ 5+♥,11+ HCP
Underlead other	1 NT 15 - 18 may contain 5
Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude	2♠ Stayman: simple \square extended \square other L
3rd/5th other	transfers 2♦ Hearts 2♥ Spades 2
From 4 small 2nd highest other	2 NT Diamonds other
From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom	2♣ 23+/Gameforce
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage	2♦ 6♥ or 5,5 in ♠ & ♦ or ♠ & ♠
other Ace Attitude, King Count	2♥ 6♠ or 5,5 in ♥ & ♠ or ♥ & ♦
Signal on declarer's lead Reverse Count	2♠ 6♠ (2 of top 3 honours) or 5,5 in ♠ & ♥ or ♠ & ♦
Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage	2 NT 21-22 HCP's flat
odd/even other	3 NT Gambling
Count natural reverse	PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UN
CONVENTIONS	MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DE
4NT: Blackwood □ RKCB ☒ other	None
4♣ Gerber ☐ when? Minor Suit Key Card (Minor or NT sequence)	
Other Conventions	
Modified Blue Club (ELU), Splinters, Key CaMinor Suit Key Card	COMPETITIVE BIDDING
	Negative doubles through 3♠ Responsive doubles through
	Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT ELU
	1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 12-
	Immed cue of minor ELU
©ADE Marketing	Immed cue of major ELU
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Fyshwick ACT 2609	Over opponent's 1NT (strong) Dont
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	STANDA	RD SYSTEM	I CARD	
Names: Nic N	Matich	Jane Reyno	olds	
ABF Nos: 5495	584	666701		
Basic System:	Standard America	n with Optimal two	's	
Classification:	Green 🗆 Blue	\square Red \boxtimes	Yellow	
	OP	ENING BID	S	
Describe strength	, minimum length, o	or specific meaning		Canape \Box
1 ♣ 3+ ♣ ,11+ HC	P 1♦ 3+♦,11-	+ HCP 1♥ 5+♥	,11+ HCP 1♠	5+ ♠ ,11+ HCF
1 NT 15 - 18		m	ay contain 5 card	l major 🛛
2♣ Stayman:	simple \square	extended \square	other Laving	JS
transfers 2♦	Hearts	2♥ Spades	2 ♠ C	lubs
2 NT Diam	onds other	er		
2♣ 23+/Gamefo	orce			
2♦ 6♥ or 5,5 in	♣ & ♦ or ♣ & ♠		6-10 H	ICP
2 ♥ 6 ♠ or 5,5 in	♥ & ♠ or ♥ & ♦		6-10 H	lCP
2 ♠ (2 of top	3 honours) or 5,5	in ♠ & ♥ or ♠ & ♦	6-10 H	HCP
2 NT 21-22 HC	P's flat			
3 NT Gambling				
PRE-ALE	ERTS: CALLS	THAT MAY F	AVE UNEX	PECTED
MEA	NING/S OR R	EQUIRE SPE	CIAL DEFEN	ICE
None				
	COMPE	TITIVE BID	DING	
Negative develop				2.4
Negative doubles			doubles through	3♠
Jump overcalls		Inusual NT ELU	10.14	
1NT overcall (imm		3 (re-oper	ning) 12-14	
Immed cue of min				
Immed cue of maj				
Over opponent's 1		ont		

		RESPONSES TO (DPEN	NING BIDS
		Describe strength, minimum len	gth or s	pecific meaning
1♣	1♦	4+ ♦ , 6+ HCP	2NT	10-12 HCP flat
	1 ♥ /♠	4+ ♥ /♠, 6+ HCP	3♠	
	1NT	6-10 HCP, flat (Deny's 4♥/4♠)	3♦	
	2♣	4+♣, 6+ HCP (Deny's 4♥/4♠)	3♥	
	2♦	5+ ♦ , HCP	3♠	
	2♥	5+♥, 6-10 HCP	3NT	12-14 HCP, flat
	2♠	5+ ♠ , 6-10 HCP	4 bids	
1•	1 ♥ /♠	4+ ♥ /♠, 6+HCP	3♠	6+ ♣ , 6-10 HCP
	1NT	6-10 HCP, flat	3♦	
	2♣	4+ ♣ , 10+ HCP	3♥	
	2♦	4+♦, 6-10 HCP	3♠	
	2♥	5 +♥ , 6-10	3NT	12-14 HCP, flat
	2♠	5+♠, 6-10	4♦	Game Force, Key Card Ask
	2NT	10-12 HCP, flat	4 Othe	rTo Play
1 ♥ /♠	1NT	6-10, flat	3♣	6+ ♣ , 6-10 HCP
	2♣	4+ ♣ , 10+ HCP	3♦	6+♦, 6-10 HCP
	2♦	4+ ♦ , 10+ HCP	3 ♥/ ♠	4+ ♥ /♠, 6-10 HCP
	2 ♥ /♠	3+ ♥ /♠, 6-10 HCP	3NT	12-14 HCP, flat
	2NT	Limit Raise	4♣/♦	Game Force (Splinter)
2♣	2•	Negative	2 ♥ /♠	8+ HCP natural
	other			
2•	2♥	Pass or Correct	3♣/♦	Pass or Correct
	2♠	Pass or Correct	3 ♥/ ♠	Pass or Correct
	2NT	Strong Relay (10+ HCP)	3NT	Pass or Correct
2 ♥/ ♠	2NT	Strong relay (10+ HCP)	3NT	Pass or Correct
	3♣/♦	Pass or Correct	4♣/♦	Pass or Correct
	3 ♥/ ♠	Pass of Correct	4 ♥ /♠	Pass or Correct
2NT	3♠	Stayman	4♣	Minor Suit Key Card
	3♦	Transfer to ♥ (5+♥)	4♦	Minor Suit Key Card
	3♥	Transfer to ♠ (5+ ♠)	4♥	To Play
	3♠		4♠	To Play
	3NT	4-8 HCP, flat	other	-

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Additional res	ponses t	o 1NT						
3♣/3♦								
3 ♥ /3♠								
4♣	Minor su	uit Key Card						
4♦	Minor du	Minor duit Key Card						
4♥	To Play							
4♠	To Play							
Unusual NT:	mino	ors \square	other su	uits		lower 2	unbid suits	
other								
Other slam bio	dding	Cue Bid	ls 🛛		Asking Bid	ls 🗆		
4th Suit Forcir	ng (One round	Ask	ing fo	r Stopper		Game force	
NT Checkback	(🛛	Prioriti	es					
Defence to 3N	T openin	ng Natur	al					
Defence to op	ening Tw	vo's: Multi 2	Negati	ive D	ouble of lo	ng suit		
RCO sty	le 2-s							
Other 2-	S							
Defence to str	ong 🕭	Optimal 2's	and Nat	ural				
Lebensohl	Oı	ver NT interfe	erence		Double o	f a Wea	k two	
Other us								
Take out of 4 I		empts	4♣/4	4♦				
	4♥		4♠					
		ОТ	HER N	TOV	ΓES			