BASIC RESPONSES	
Jump raises - minors limit □ forcing □ other Weak	
Jump raises - majors limit \Box forcing \Box other Bergen (Weak)	
Jump shifts after minor opening Weak - 6 card suit	
Jump shifts after major opening 1♠ - 3♥,1♥-2♠ Limit Raise (3trumps)	
Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2 ♥ Negative or Waiting	
Responses to 2NT opening ♣/♦ Natural and non-forcing,♥/♠ Forcing	
PLAY CONVENTIONS	
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both	
Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x)	
Underlead other	
Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude	
3rd/5th other	
From 4 small 2nd highest other	
From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom bottom	
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage]
other	
Signal on declarer's lead Reverse Count	,
	$\overline{\mathcal{L}}$
odd/even other Reverse Count	
Count natural reverse	
CONVENTIONS	
4NT: Blackwood \square RKCB \boxtimes other	
4♣ Gerber □ when?	
Other Conventions	
Splinters Lebensohl	
Cue Bids Leaping Michaels	
RKCB 4-1-3-0 Minorwood	
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STANDA	ARD SYSTEM CARD						
Names: Berenice Folkard	Marlene Watts						
ABF Nos: 20303	270350						
Basic System: ACOL							
Classification: Green \Box Blue	e 🗆 Red 🖾 Yellow 🗆						
OF	PENING BIDS						
Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape							
1♠ 3+♠,11+pts 1♦ 4+♦,11							
1 NT (11) 12- 14 points	may contain 5 card major						
2♠ Stayman: simple 🗵	extended U other						
transfers 2♦ ♥, 5+	2♥ ♠, 5+ 2♠ ♠, 5+						
2 NT ♦, 5+ oth	ner						
2♠ Weak 2 in ♥ or ♠, or ACOL 2	in any suit, or 20-22,or 25-26 bal						
2♦ Game Force Un bal or 23-24	bal, or 27-28 bal						
2♥ 5♥+ / 4+ Another - weak							
2♠ 5♠+ / 4+ Minor - weak							
2 NT 5+♣ and 5+♦, weak or stro	ng						
3 NT Gambling in Minor with no	outside control						
	S THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE						
Bergen Raises							
Inverted Minor Raises							
Multi 2♣							
COMP	ETITIVE BIDDING						
Negative doubles through 4 •	Responsive doubles through 4♥						
Jump overcalls Weak	Unusual NT Lower Unbid Suits,5/5, wk or str						
1NT overcall (immediate) 15 -	18 pts (re-opening) (10) 11 - 14pts						
Immed cue of minor Majors, 5	+ /5+ weak or strong						
Immed cue of major Other Maj	Immed cue of major Other Major and a Minor, 5+/5+, weak or strong						
Over opponent's 1NT (weak)	=str,2 \$= SS,2 ♦=♥ + \$,2M=5M+4m						
Over opponent's 1NT (strong)	X= ♣ +♦,2 ♣ =SS,2♦=♥+ ♠ ,2M=5M+4+m						
Over weak twos	X = takeout, Opening Hand						
Over opening threes	C = takeout Opening Hand						

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS							
		Describe strength, minimum length	n or spe	cific meaning			
1 ♣	1♦	4+ ♦ , 5+ hcp	2NT	10 - 12 balanced			
	1 ♥ /♠	4+ ♥ /♠, 5+ hcp	3♠	5+ ♣ , 0 - 7 hcp			
	1NT	6 - 9, no 4 card major	3♦	3 - 7 seven ◆			
	2♣	4+ ♣ , 10+ hcp	3♥	3 - 7 seven ♥			
	2♦	6+♦, 3 - 7 hcp	3♠	3 - 7 seven ★			
	2♥	6+♥, 3 - 7 hcp	3NT	13 - 15 balanced			
	2♠	6+ ♠ , 3 - 7 hcp	4 bids	4♣RKCB others natural, NF			
1•	1 ♥ /♠	4+ ♥ /♠, 5+ hcp	3♣	6+ ♣ , 3 - 7 hcp			
	1NT	6 - 9, no 4 card major	3♦	4+♦, 0 - 7 hcp			
	2♣	4+ ♣ , 8+ hcp	3♥	Splinter, 11+ hcp			
	2♦	4+♦, 10+ hcp	3♠	Splinter, 11+ hcp			
	2♥	6+♥, 3 - 7 hcp	3NT	13 - 15 balanced			
	2♠	6+ ♠ , 3 - 7 hcp	4♦	RCKB			
	2NT	10 - 12 balanced	4 Other Natural and Non Forcing				
1 ♥ /♠	1NT	6 - 10 hcp	3♠	6 - 9 hcp, 4 card support			
	2♣	4+ ♣ , 10+hcp	3♦	Limit raise			
	2♦	4+ ♦ , 10+hcp	3 ♥ /♠	0 - 6 hcp, 4 card support			
	2 ♥ /♠	6 - 9 hcp, 3 card support	3NT	13 - 15 bal with 3 card support			
	2NT	Game Force raise, 4 card supp	4♣/♦	Splinter, 8 - 11, 4 card support			
2♣	2♦	Relay	2 ♥ /♠	Pass or Correct			
	other	2NT asking range and definition	1				
2•	2♥	Negative, 0 - 7	3♣/♦	Natural,(6+ card), Positive			
	2♠	Natural (5+ card), Positive	3 ♥ /♠	Natural, (5+ card), Positive			
	2NT	8+ balanced	3NT				
2 ♥ /♠	2NT	Asking	3NT	To Play			
	3 ♣/♦	Pass or Correct	4 ♣/ ♦	Correctible			
	3♥/♠	To Play	4 ♥ /♠	To Play			
2NT	3♣	To Play	4♣	Natural and Invitational			
	3♦	To Play	4♦	Natural and Invitational			
	3♥	Natural and Forcing	4♥	To Play			
	3♠	Natural and Forcing	4♠	To Play			
	3NT	To Play	other				

		CC	NVENTI	ONS					
Additional resp	ponses to	1NT							
3 ♣ /3♦	Slam Try	lam Try, Suit must be solid							
3♥/3♠	Singleto	ingleton ♥/♠, interest in Minor Slam, 3 of other Major							
4♣	Pre-emp	-emptive							
4♦	Pre-emp	-emptive							
4♥	To Play	Play							
4♠	To Play								
Unusual NT:	mino	rs \square	other suits		lower 2	unbid suits	\boxtimes		
other									
Other slam bid	lding	Cue Bi	ds 🛛	Asking Bid	ls 🛛				
4th Suit Forcin	ıg (One round				Game force	\boxtimes		
NT Checkback		Priori	ties Two-	way Checkb	oack				
Defence to 3N	T opening	X =	Pen, 4 ♣=♥ +	♠ , 4 ♦ = ♥ +	better ♠,	4 ♥ /♠ natural			
Defence to ope	ening Two	's: Multi	2♦ X = Suit E	Bid					
RCO styl	le 2-s	X = Suit B	id						
Other 2-s	S								
Defence to stro	ong 뢒	Hamilton							
Lebensohl	-	er NT interf							
Other us	es Ove	er opponen	ts' two level b						
Take out of 4 le	•	•		X = Takeo					
	4♥	X = Takeo	ut 4 ♠ X :	= Penalty, 4	INT = 2 s	suited Takeou	t		
		ОТ	HER NO	TES					
1 ONT	01				0-145	10 41- 11			
1 ♥ /♠ - 2NT	3 level bi	a = shortag	je, 3 Major ->	Cue, 3NT	tiat 15 -	19, 4 level Na	tural		

		BASIC R		ES
Jump raises	s - minors limit	forcing		Inverted
Jump raises	s - majors limit	☐ forcing	⊠ other	Bergen
Jump shifts	after minor openir	ng We	eak, long suit	
Jump shifts	after major openir	ng Be	rgen or limit ra	iise
Responses	to strong 2 suit op	ening n/a		
Responses	to 2NT opening	3 ♣ =Pup	pet Stayman,	3♦/♥=txfrs, 3♠=5♠+4♥
	F	PLAY CO	NVENTIO	NS
'NT'	Versus Notrump	'S'	Versus Suit	= Both
Sequence le	eads:	Overlead a		All except AK x (x)
	Underlead	other		
Four or mor	re with an honour	4th high	nest 🔽	attitude
;	3rd/5th	other		
From 4 sma	all 2nd high	est 🔽 oth	er	
From 3 card	ds (no honour)	top	middle	bottom
Signal on	partner's lead:	high encourag	е	low encourage
	other			
Signal on	declarer's lead			,
Discards	McKenney	high end	courage	low encourage
	odd/even	other	,	
Count	natural	reverse		
		CONV	ENTIONS	
4NT:	Blackwood	RKC	:B ⊠	other
4♣	Gerber 🖂	when? Afte	r 1NT opening	and strong 2NT
		Other Conve	entions	
4th suit for	rcing (to game)		Lebensohl	(when overcall after 1NT
Long suit t	trials		opening, o	r partner X opps' weak 2)
Bergen				
Checkbac	k		TWERB (a	fter opps open strong 2♣/♦ or
DOPI, RO	PI, DEPO		strong 1♣)	
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STANDARD	SYSTEM CARD				
Names: Nevena Djurovic	Carolyn Molloy				
ABF Nos: 497916	43656				
Basic System: Standard American					
Classification: Green $oximes$ Blue $oximes$	Red Yellow				
OPEN	NING BIDS				
Describe strength, minimum length, or spec	-				
1♠ 11+ pts, 3+ 1♦ 11+ pts, 3+					
1 NT 15-18	may contain 5 card major				
2♠ Stayman: simple ☐ ext	ended U other Lavings				
transfers 2♦ txfr to ♥ 29	▼ txfr to ♠ 2♠ txfr to ♠				
2 NT txfr to ♦ other	super accept				
2♠ GF or bal 23-24 or bal 25-26					
2♦ weak major or bal 21-22 or any Ac	col 2				
2♥ weak, 5+5+ same RANK					
2♠ weak, 5+5+ same COLOR					
2 NT weak, 5+5+, ODD suits					
3 NT minor pre-empt					
	HAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED QUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE				
4♣/♦ = 8-8.5 playing tricks in ♥/♠	Jump overcalls = intermediate if partner				
Bergen raises	is a passed hand, otherwise weak				
Inverted minors					
COMPETI	TIVE BIDDING				
Negative doubles through 3♠	Responsive doubles through 3♠				
Jump overcalls weak/interm Unus	ual NT 1♣/♦-2NT=majors, 1♥/♠-2NT=minors				
1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18	(re-opening) 11-14				
Immed cue of minor another minor	+ a major (weak or strong)				
	+ a minor (weak or strong)				
,	Rank, 2♦=Color, 2NT=Odd, X=14+				
	Rank, 2♦=Color, 2NT, X=Odd				
Over weak twos X					
Over opening threes X					

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS							
		Describe strength, minimum lengt	h or spe	cific meaning			
1♣	1•	6-9 pts, 4+	2NT	11-12 pts, bal, < 4 ♥/ ♠			
	1 ♥ /♠	6-9 pts, 4+	3♣	6-9 pts, 5+♣			
	1NT	6-9 pts, < 4 ♦/♥/♠	3♦	Splinter			
	2♣	10+ pts, <5+ ♣	3♥	Splinter			
	2♦	weak, long suit	3♠	Splinter			
	2♥	weak, long suit	3NT	13-15 pts, bal, < 4 ♥/ ♠			
	2♠	weak, long suit	4 bids	4♣ = to play, 4♦ = RKB			
1•	1 ♥ /♠	6-9 pts, 4+	3♠	weak, long suit			
	1NT	6-9 pts, < 4 ♥/♠	3♦	6-9 pts, 5+♦			
	2♣	10+ pts, 5+ ♣	3♥	Splinter			
	2♦	10+ pts, 5+◆	3♠	Splinter			
	2♥	weak, long suit	3NT	13-15 pts, bal, < 4 ♥/ ♠			
	2♠	weak, long suit	4♦	to play			
	2NT	11-12 pts, bal, < 4 ♥/ ♠	4 Othe	r 4♣ = RKB			
1 ♥ /♠	1NT	6-9 pts	3♠	6-9 pts, 4 trumps			
	2♣	10+ pts, 5+♣	3♦	10-12 pts, 4 trumps			
	2♦	10+ pts, 5+◆	3♥/♠	0-6 pts, 4 trumps			
	2 ♥ /♠	6-9 pts, 3 trumps	3NT	13-15 pts, any 4333			
	2NT	15+ pts, usually 4 trumps	4♣/♦	Splinter			
2♣	2♦	negative response	2 ♥/ ♠	8+ pts, natural			
	other						
2•	2♥	POC	3♣/♦	natural, denies any major fit			
	2♠	POC	3♥/♠	POC			
	2NT	enquiry	3NT	n/a			
2♥/♠	2NT	enquiry	3NT	n/a			
	3♣/♦	POC	4♣/♦	POC			
	3♥/♠	POC	4 ♥ /♠	POC			
2NT	3♣	POC	4♣	POC			
	3♦	enquiry	4♦	POC			
	3♥	POC	4♥	POC			
	3♠	POC	4♠	POC			
	3NT	n/a	other				

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Additional res	sponses to	1NT							
3 ♣ /3♦	slam try	am try in that suit							
3♥/3♠	slam try	am try in that suit							
4♣	Gerber	rber							
4♦	n/a								
4♥	To play								
4♠	To play								
Unusual NT:	mino	rs \square	othe	er suits		lower	2 unbid suits		
other ;	2 suits of th	ne opposite	e rank	of the o	pponen	t's suit			
Other slam bi	dding	Cue Bi	ds [\leq	Asking	Bids [
4th Suit Forci	ng C	One round					Game force	\boxtimes	
NT Checkbac	k 🛛	Priori	ties	points,	then 3-	card fit wi	th partner's suit		
Defence to 3N	NT opening	X =	penalt	y, other	bids are	e natural			
Defence to op	ening Two	's: Multi	2 ♦ X :	= 16+ pt	s, other	bids are	natural,		
		2NT=15-1	8 pts						
RCO st	yle 2-s	X = 16 + p	ts, oth	er bids	are natu	ral			
Other 2	-S								
Defence to st	rong 뢒	TWERB							
Lebensohl		er NT interf							
Other u		r partner X				o opening			
Take out of 4		•		4♣/4♦					
	4♥	X, 4NT		4 ♠ 4N	T				
OTHER NOTES									

BASI	CRESPONSES
Jump raises - minors limit	orcing O other
Jump raises - majors limit \Box for	orcing other bergen or CUE (strong)
Jump shifts after minor opening	game force, cue
Jump shifts after major opening	bergen or CUE (strong) ABF Nos: 29092
Responses to strong 2 suit opening	2N forcing, other pass or correct Basic System: S
Responses to 2NT opening ma	jor: forcing Classification: G
PLAY	CONVENTIONS
'NT' Versus Notrump	'S' Versus Suit = Both Describe strength, n
Sequence leads: Over	lead all S All except AK x (x) NT 1♣ 3, 11+ HCP
Underlead other	1 NT 15-18
Four or more with an honour 4	th highest
3rd/5th other	transfers 2• t
From 4 small 2nd highest	3 /
From 3 cards (no honour) top	
Signal on partner's lead: high end	
other	2♥ H+other, 5-1
Signal on declarer's lead	2♠ S+minor, 5-1
•	gh encourage
	her MCKenney sometimes 3 NT KABEL (ac verse sometimes, on A lead against NT PRE-AL
	MEA
	NVENTIONS
4NT: Blackwood	RKCB Oliner 3041,Q ask,MKCB,GSF
4♣ Gerber ☐ when?	denial cues(bivi), exclusion cues, mod DOPI&ROPI
	Conventions
4SF	check back
negative free bids	lebensohl Negative doubles th
long suit trials	cue raises of overcalls Jump overcalls 1NT overcall (immediately)
DAB (2nd cue)	balancing X 1NT overcall (immediately baron (not 1 level NT bid/overcall) Immediately im
michaels (not 1 level)	baron (not 1 level NT bid/overcall) Immed cue of minor Immed cue of major
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	STAND	ARD SY	STEM	CARD			
Names: Rasm	a Liepins	N	afi Bashar				
ABF Nos: 29092) -						
Basic System: st	tandard						
Classification: G	reen 🛛 B	lue 🗆	Red \square	Yellow			
	C	PENIN	G BIDS				
Describe strength, m	ninimum length,	or specific m	eaning		Canape \square		
1 ♠ 3, 11+ HCP	1♦ 3, 11	+ HCP	1♥ 5,11+	HCP	1 ★ 5,11+ HCP		
1 NT 15-18			may	y contain 5	card major		
2♠ Stayman: s	imple \square	extended	ı 🛛	other			
transfers 2♦ to	э Н	2♥ to	S	2	2♠ to C		
2 NT to D	(other TEX	AS, supera	ccept (su	it: 4 card, NT: 3 card		
2♣ GAME FORC	E (23+ HCP (or 4 LOSER	S) (positive	NT or 5+	- suit: A+A, A+K)		
2♦ 6+S or 6+H, !	5-11 or 20-22	HCP					
2♥ H+other, 5-11	1 HCP						
2 ★ S+minor, 5-1	2♠ S+minor, 5-11 HCP						
2 NT minors (we	ak or strong)						
3 NT KABEL (ac	e ask)						
PRE-ALE	ERTS: CAL	LS THAT	MAY HA	VE UN	EXPECTED		
	NING/S OR						
KABEL			defence to	multi 2D			
2 suited overcalls							
Bergen with CUES	and 2N short	age ask					
	COM	PETITIV	F BIDD	ING			
Negative doubles thr			sponsive do		ıah		
ů .	weak or 2 suite				or strong)		
1NT overcall (immed		5-18	(re-openin	•	-14		
Immed cue of minor		(weak or st		9) 10	-14		
Immed cue of major		-	٠.				
Over opponent's 1N		(weak or st	~	N. minoro	ar atrana 2 auitar)		
			Hamilton (modified: 2N minors or strong 2 suiter) Hamilton (modified: 2N minors or strong 2 suiter)				
Over upper types	i (sirong)			in Hillors	or strong 2 suiter)		
Over weak twos		X, michael	-				
Over opening threes		x, cue of r	C, cue of minor is majors				

		RESPONSES TO C	PEN	ING BIDS	
		Describe strength, minimum lengt	h or spe	cific meaning	
1♣	1♦	4+D, 5+ HCP	2NT	11-12, denies 4 card major	
	1 ♥ /♠	4+H, 5+ HCP	3♣	limit raise 9-11	
	1NT	5-9 denies 4H	3♦		
	2♣	4+C, 5-8 HCP	3♥		
	2♦	C game force, D cue	3♠		
	2♥	C game force, H cue	3NT	to play	
	2♠	C game force, S cue	4 bids	natural	
1•	1 ♥ /♠	4+H/S, 5+ HCP	3♣	D game force, C cue	
	1NT	5-9 denies 4H	3♦	limit raise 9-11	
	2♣	4+C, 10+ HCP	3♥		
	2♦	4+, 5-8 HCP	3♠		
	2♥	D game force, H cue	3NT	to play	
	2♠	D game force, S cue	4♦	natural, limit	
	2NT	11-12, denies 4 card major	4 Other	natural	
1 ♥ /♠	1NT	5-9 HCP	3♣	bergen(4+ H/S,5-8) or CUE	
	2♣	4+C, 10+ HCP	3♦	bergen(4+ H/S,9-11)or CUE	
	2♦	4+D, 10+ HCP	3♥/♠	bergen	
	2 ♥ /♠	5-8raise,oth:3c limit raise or Cl	уĝΝΤ	to play	
	2NT	GF, shortage ask	4♣/♦		
2♣	2♦	negative (no A+A, A+K)	2 ♥ /♠	5+H/S, positive (A+A, A+K)	
	other	2N/3C/3D positive (suit bid is 5	+cards)	3N scattered values	
2•	2♥	pass/correct (may be strong in	S3) 4 /•	3C/D=natural	
	2♠	pass/correct (may be strong in	H3)♥ /♠	4+4+H,S	
	2NT	strong, ask	3NT	to play	
2 ♥ /♠	2NT	strong, ask	3NT	to play	
	3♣/♦	pass or correct (also 2S to 2H)	4♣/♦	pass or correct	
	3♥/♠	10-11 raise	4 ♥ /♠	to play	
2NT	3♣	to play	4♣	limit	
	3♦	to play	4♦	limit	
	3♥	5+H, forcing	4♥	to play	
	3♠	5+S, forcing	4♠	to play	
	3NT	to play	other	opener bids shortage if strong	

CONVENTIONS

Additional resp	onses to	1NT					
3♣/3♦	slam try						
3♥/3♠	slam try						
4♣	texas=H						
4♦	texas=S						
4♥	to play						
4♠	to play						
Unusual NT:	mino	rs \square	other su	its \square	lowe	r 2 unbid suits	
other 2	suiter (we	eak or stror	ng): cue: 2	2 up, NT: 2 o	down, JS	5: 2 around	
Other slam bid	ding	Cue Bio	$_{ds}$ $oxtimes$	Asking	Bids		
4th Suit Forcing	-	One round				Game force	\boxtimes
NT Checkback	\boxtimes	Priorit	ties 1.fi	t,2.other ma	ajor,3.stre	ength	
Defence to 3NT	opening						
Defence to ope	ning Two	's: Multi 2	2◆ H=5+S	5,S=5+H			
RCO styl	e 2-s						
Other 2-s	5	over 2N m	inors:C=g	ood H, D=g	lood S		
Defence to stro	ng ♣	over 2C: X	(=clubs, 2	N=minors,3	C=major	S	
Lebensohl	-	er NT interf		⊠ X neg	j if suit, s	shows artificilal, p	/c suit
Other use		r weak 2 op					
Take out of 4 le	•	•	4•/4				
	4♥	Χ	4♠	X,4N=two	suiter		
		OT	HER N	IOTES			

without interference: change of suit forcing (opener or responder)
minor suit slam tries (D=either,H=C,S=D) after extended stayman response
1N overcall (no 5c major) or opps 2c overcall: system on (also opps x, but simple stayman)
2D opening cannot have 5 card major, has all suits stopped if minimum
2N+: baron, transfers D/H/S/C
NT rebid does not deny 4 card major