BASIC RESPONSES
Jump raises - minors limit
Jump raises - majors limit
Jump shifts after minor opening Fit showing jump
Jump shifts after major opening Fit showing jump
Responses to strong 2 suit opening
Responses to 2NT opening 3♣ = 5 cd stayman. Transfers
PLAY CONVENTIONS
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both
Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x)
Underlead other Ace (attitude), K (count)
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
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage
other count primarily, if attitude, then low encourage
Signal on declarer's lead count
Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage
odd/even other
Count natural reverse
CONVENTIONS
4NT: Blackwood □ RKCB ⊠ other
4♣ Gerber when?
Other Conventions
Swine with weak NT
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STAI	NDARD SYSTEM CARD
Names: Gavin Bailey	Kirsten Bailey
ABF Nos:	
Basic System: Acol	
Classification: Green	Blue ⊠ Red □ Yellow □
	OPENING BIDS
Describe strength, minimum len	ngth, or specific meaning Canape
1♠ 3 cds 11+ 1♦ 4	1 cds 11+ 1♥ 4 cds 11+ 1♠ 4 cds 11+
1 NT 12-14(1st,2nd);15-17	7(3rd,4th) may contain 5 card major
2♠ Stayman: simple	extended U other
transfers 2♦ to 2♥	2♥ to 2♠ 2♠ Enquiry
2 NT to 3♣	other 3♣ to 3♦
2♣ Strong	
2♦ Both Majors, 6 - 11 hc	p
2♥ plus minor, 6 - 11 hcp	p
2♠ plus minor, 6-11 hcp	
2 NT 21-22, balanced	
3 NT Both minors, < 12 hcp	р
	ALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE
4♣ /4♦ = 7cd minor + 4 cd n	najor
Skewed take out in 4th seat	
cmobdor over preempts	
CO	MPETITIVE BIDDING
Negative doubles through	3♠ Responsive doubles through 3♠
Jump overcalls Roman	Unusual NT Strong - two unbid suits
1NT overcall (immediate)	15-18 (re-opening) 10-14
Immed cue of minor Ron	nan
Immed cue of major Ron	nan
Over opponent's 1NT (weak)	X = penalty, and TWERB(4th seat X=12+)
Over opponent's 1NT (strong)	TWERB (incl. X=♠ or reds)
Over weak twos	2NT = 15-18 ; various takeouts
Over opening threes	CMOBDOR

		RESPONSES TO C	PEN	ING BIDS
		Describe strength, minimum length	h or spec	cific meaning
1♣	1•	4+ cds & 6+ hcp	-	12+ with fit
	1 ♥ /♠	4+ cds & 6+ hcp	3♠	10-11 limit raise
	1NT	8 - 10 hcp	3♦	♠ fit & asking bid
	2♣	5+ ♣ & 6-9 hcp	3♥	♠ fit & asking bid
	2♦	FSJ	3♠	♠ fit & asking bid
	2♥	FSJ	3NT	To play
	2♠	FSJ	4 bids	
1•	1 ♥ /♠	4+ cds & 6+ hcp	3♣	FSJ
	1NT	6-9 hcp	3♦	10-11 limit raise
	2♣	4+cds & 10+ hcp	3♥	fit & asking bid
	2♦	♦ fit & 6-9 hcp	3♠	fit & asking bid
	2♥	FSJ	3NT	To play
	2♠	FSJ	4♦	To play
	2NT	♦ fit & 12+ hcp	4 Other	4♥ 4♠ = To play
1 ♥ /♠	1NT	6-9 hcp	3♣	FSJ
	2♣	4+cds & 10+ hcp	3♦	FSJ
	2♦	4+cds & 10+ hcp	3♥/♠	fit & 10-11 hcp
	2 ♥ /♠	fit & 6-9 hcp	3NT	To play
	2NT	fit & 13 + hcp	4 ♣/ ♦	Splinter
2♣	2•	no Aces	2 ♥ /♠	1 Ace / 2 Aces
	other	2NT = 6-8 hcp 4333;	31	IT = 9-11 hcp 4333
2•	2♥	To play	3♣/♦	To play
	2♠	To play	3 ♥/ ♠	To play
	2NT	Forcing	3NT	To play
2 ♥ /♠	2NT	Forcing enquiry	3NT	To play
	3 ♣/ ♦	Correctable / To play	4 ♣/ ♦	Correctable / To play
	3 ♥/ ♠	To play	4 ♥ /♠	To play
2NT	3♣	Puppet Stayman	4♣	Slam Try
	3♦	Tfr to ♥	4♦	Slam Try
	3♥	Tfr to ♠	4♥	To play
	3♠	shows 4 ♥ & 5 ♠	4♠	To play
	3NT	To play	other	

			CON	VEN.	TIO	NS					
Additional responses to 1NT											
3♣/3♦	good sui	good suit with one Ace									
3 ♥ /3♠	good sui	ood suit with one Ace									
4♣	good sui	ood suit with one Ace									
4♦	Long ♦ v	ong ♦ with 4 cd major									
4♥	to play										
4♠	to play										
Unusual NT:	mino	rs [] o	ther sui	ts	\boxtimes	lower 2	unbid suits			
other											
Other slam bid	ding	Cı	ue Bids		ļ	Asking Bi	ds 🛚				
4th Suit Forcing	g C	One rou	und 🛭					Game force			
NT Checkback	\boxtimes	ı	Priorities								
Defence to 3NT	opening										
Defence to ope	ning Two	's: N	Multi 2♦	2NT =	14-17	' natural					
				X =	Tak	e-out of	♠ ; 2♥	= t/o of ♥			
RCO styl	e 2-s	X = St	trong t/o	l							
Other 2-s	5										
Defence to stro	ng ♣	TWE	RB								
Lebensohl	Ov	or NT	interferer	200	\boxtimes						
Other use	-	** ***	ole of we								
Take out of 4 le	7 1110		JIE UI WE	2 ak 2 S 4 ♣ /4•							
Take out of 4 ic	ενει μια-ει 4 ♥	пріз		4 ★	Y						
	7 7			72							
			OTH	ER N	IOT	ES					

		BAS	C RE	SPO	NSE	3		
Jump raises - r	minors limit	\boxtimes	forcing		other			
Jump raises - r	majors limit		forcing		other	Bergen		
Jump shifts after	er minor opening	9	Exclu	usion				
Jump shifts after	er major opening	9	Exclu	usion/E	Bergen			
Responses to s	strong 2 suit ope	ening	After	2C - 2	2D relay			
Responses to 2	2NT opening	30	C asking					
	P	LAY	CON	VEN	ITION	S		
'NT' Ver	sus Notrump		'S' V	ersus S	Suit		= Bo	oth
Sequence lead	s:	Ove	erlead all			All except A	AK x (x)	
	Underlead	othe	r					
Four or more w	ith an honour		4th highe	st [✓ att	itude		
3rd/	5th	other	,					
From 4 small	2nd highe	st 🗔	∠ other					
From 3 cards	(no honour)	to	p	mida	lle 🔽	bottom		
Signal on pa		Ŭ	ncourage		lo	w encoura	ige [
	other revers	ed cou	nt					
Signal on dec	-	coun	•					
			nigh enco	urage		low end	courage	LS
	odd/even [other					
Count	natural		everse					
		CC	NVE	NTIC	ONS			
4NT:	Blackwood		RKCB	\boxtimes	ot	her		
4♣	Gerber 🗆 v	vhen?						
		Other	Conven	tions				
SWINE				Broze	el			
Gladiator					suit forci	ng		
Lebensohl				DOP	I-ROPI			
Crohurst								
Michael's cue	<u>,</u>							
	RQ		Marketin ox 397	g				



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STANDA	ARD SYSTEM CARD
Names: Hilton Francis	Lech Kaszubski
ABF Nos: 161756	311464
Basic System: ACOL	
Classification: Green ⊠ Blu	ue 🗆 Red 🗆 Yellow 🗆
0	PENING BIDS
Describe strength, minimum length, o	or specific meaning Canape
1♠ 3/10+ 1♦ 4/10+	1♥ 4/10+ 1♠ 5/10+
1 NT 12-14	may contain 5 card major
2♠ Stayman: simple 🗵	extended Other
transfers 2♦ to H	2♥ to S 2♠ Range probe
2 NT to 3C/3D of	iher
2♠ Game force	
2 ◆ 6 card H/S 6-10 or 8PT in M	inor or 21-21 flat (may have 5 card suit)
2♥ H & minor/6-10	
2 ★ S & minor/6-10	
2 NT H & S/6-10	
3 NT Gambling	
	LS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE
Lebesohl	Crohurst
Gladiator	
Brozel	
COMP	ETITIVE BIDDING
Negative doubles through 4H	Responsive doubles through 3S
Jump overcalls Weak	Unusual NT Lower two unbid suits
1NT overcall (immediate) 15-	18 (re-opening) 10-11
Immed cue of minor for major	s/0-10 or 15+
Immed cue of major other ma	jor and the minor/0-10 or 15+
Over opponent's 1NT (weak)	Gladiator
Over opponent's 1NT (strong)	Brozel
Over weak twos	x; 2NT - opening hand with the stopper
Over opening threes	х

		RESPONSES TO (DPEN	IING BIDS
		Describe strength, minimum lengt	h or spe	cific meaning
1♣	1•	4/4+	2NT	5/12+
	1 ♥ /♠	4/4+	3♣	5/10-11
	1NT	no four card major/9-10	3♦	
	2♣	4/4-8	3♥	
	2♦	exclusion	3♠	
	2♥	exclusion	3NT	to play
	2♠	exclusion	4 bids	
1•	1 ♥ /♠	4/4+	3♠	exclusion
	1NT	no four card major/5-9	3♦	4/10-11
	2♣	4/10+	3♥	
	2♦	3/4-9	3♠	
	2♥	exclusion	3NT	to play
	2♠	exclusion	4♦	
	2NT	4/12+	4 Othe	
1 ♥ /♠	1NT	no 3 card support/5-9	3♠	4/3-8
	2♣	4/10+	3♦	4/9-11
	2♦	4/10+	3 ♥/ ♠	3/10-11
	2 ♥ /♠	3 card support/4-9	3NT	
	2NT	4/12+	4 ♣/ ♦	cue
2♣	2•	relay	2 ♥ /♠	weak
	other	weak		
2•	2♥	correctable	3♣/♦	to play
	2♠	can stand 3H	3 ♥/ ♠	correctable
	2NT	positive inquire	3NT	to play
2 ♥ /♠	2NT	positive inquire	3NT	to play
	3♣/♦	correctable	4♣/♦	
	3 ♥/ ♠	invitational	4 ♥/♠	
2NT	3♣	positive inquire	4♣	
	3♦	no major preference	4♦	
	3♥	to play	4♥	to play
	3♠	to play	4♠	to play
	3NT	to play	other	

		C	NVI	ENTIC	DNS					
Additional resp	onses to	1NT								
3♣/3♦	6 card su	uit with 2 c	of the to	op 3 hon	ours/6-9					
3♥/3♠	6 card su	card suit with 2 of the top 3 honours/6-9								
4♣	Gerber	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·								
4♦										
4♥	To play									
4♠	To play									
Unusual NT:	mino	rs \square	othe	er suits		lower 2	unbid suits	\boxtimes		
other										
Other slam bide	ding	Cue B	ids 🛭	\leq	Asking Bi	ds \square				
4th Suit Forcing	g (One round	\boxtimes				Game force			
NT Checkback	\boxtimes	Prior	ities	4 card	major nex	kt 3 card	support			
Defence to 3NT	opening	opti	onal X							
Defence to ope	ning Two	's: Multi	2 ♦ 2N	IT/12-15	; X 16+					
		X 16+								
RCO style	e 2-s	2NT/12-15; X 16+								
		Bid 5 card suit								
Other 2-s		2NT/12-15; X 16+								
Defence to stro	ng 🕭									
Lebensohl	Ov	er NT inter	ference							
Other use	es wea	ak jump ov	ercall							
Take out of 4 le	vel pre-e	mpts		4 ♣ /4♦	Χ					
	4♥	Χ		4 ♠ 4N7	Γ					
		0		R NO	TES					
				110						

	В	BASIC RESPONSES	
Jump raises	- minors limit	☐ forcing ☒ other	
Jump raises	- majors limit		
Jump shifts a	ıfter minor opening	16-18	
Jump shifts a	ıfter major opening	16-18	
Responses to	o strong 2 suit oper	ning 2D Negative	
Responses to	2NT opening	Baron + Transfers	
	PI	LAY CONVENTIONS	
'NT' V	ersus Notrump	'S' Versus Suit	= Both
Sequence lea	ads:	Overlead all All except A	AK x (x)
	Underlead	other	
Four or more	with an honour	4th highest	
3r	rd/5th	other	
From 4 small	2nd highes	st other	
From 3 cards	(no honour)	top NT middle S bottom	
Signal on p	partner's lead: h	high encourage	ge 🔲
	other		
Signal on d	eclarer's lead	Natural count	
Discards	McKenney _	high encourage low enc	ourage
	odd/even	other	
Count	natural	v reverse v reverse	
		CONVENTIONS	
4NT:	Blackwood		
4♣	Gerber ⊠ wh	hen? over NT	
		Other Conventions	
Jacoby 2N7	-		
Lebensohl			
Ogust			
Splinters			
4th suit force	ing		
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Names: Robert Tysor		Phil I				
ABF Nos:						
Basic System: Standard	d 4-card ma	jors				
Classification: Green	⊠ Blue	Re	d □ Yel	low \square		
	OPE	NING	BIDS			
Describe strength, minimum	length, or sp	ecific mear	ning		Canape	
1♠ 3,11+ 1♦	4, 11+	1	4, 11+	1 ♠	4, 11+	
1 NT 15-18			may con	tain 5 card n	najor	\boxtimes
2♣ Stayman: simple		extended	□ oth	ier		
transfers 2♦ Hearts		2♥ Spac	les	2 ♠ Cli	ubs	
2 NT Invit.	other	3C to D	iamonds			
2♣ Strong						
2♦ Weak, 6 card suit						
2♥ Weak, 6 card suit						
2♠ Weak, 6 card suit						
2 NT 21-22						
3 NT Gambling						
PRE-ALERTS						
MEANING	/S OR RE	QUIRE	SPECIAL	DEFENC	Έ	
	COMPE	TITIVE	BIDDIN	G		
Negative doubles through	2S	Respo	nsive doubles	through	4H	
Jump overcalls Weak	Uni	usual NT	Lower unk	oid suits		
1NT overcall (immediate)	15-18	1)	re-opening)	12-15		
Immed cue of minor	Michaels					
Immed cue of major	Michaels					
Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Ca _l	ppelletti				
Over opponent's 1NT (strong	g) Bro	zel				
Over weak twos	Χw	vith Leben	sohl			
Over opening threes	Χ					

	RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS							
		Describe strength, minimum lengt	h or spe	cific meaning				
1♣	1•	6+, 4+ cards	2NT	12-15				
	1 ♥ /♠	6+, 4+ cards	3♣	GF				
	1NT	6-9	3♦	Splinter				
	2♣	6-9	3♥	Splinter				
	2♦	16-18, 5+ cards	3♠	Splinter				
	2♥	16-18, 5+ cards	3NT	16-18 bal				
	2♠	16-18, 5+ cards	4 bids	To play				
1•	1 ♥ /♠	6+, 4+ cards	3♣	16-18, 5+ cards				
	1NT	6-9	3♦	GF				
	2♣	10+, 4+ cards	3♥	Splinter				
	2♦	6-9	3♠	Splinter				
	2♥	16-18, 5+ cards	3NT	16-18 bal				
	2♠	16-18, 5+ cards	4♦	Pre-empt				
	2NT	12-15	4 Othe	r 4C Splinter, 4H,S To play				
1 ♥ /♠	1NT	6-9	3♣	16-18, 5+ cards				
	2♣	10+, 4+ cards	3♦	16-18, 5+ cards				
	2♦	10+, 4+ cards	3♥/♠	Limit				
	2 ♥ /♠	Weak	3NT	16-18 bal				
	2NT	12-15 with 4-card support	4♣/♦	Splinter				
2♣	2♦	negative	2 ♥/ ♠	8+ natural				
	other	2 NT second negative after 2 N	/lajor re	bid by opener				
2•	2♥	Natural, forcing	3♣/♦	3C forcing, 3D To play				
	2♠	Natural, forcing	3♥/♠	N/A				
	2NT	Ogust	3NT	To play				
2 ♥ /♠	2NT	Ogust	3NT	To play				
	3♣/♦	Natural, forcing	4♣/♦	N/A				
	3♥/♠	To play	4 ♥ /♠	To play				
2NT	3♣	Baron	4♣	Gerber				
	3♦	Transfer	4♦	Natural				
	3♥	Transfer	4♥	To play				
	3♠	Transfer	4♠	To play				
	3NT	To play	other					

		СО	NVENTI	ONS						
Additional res	ponses to									
3♣/3♦		3C = Transfer, 3D = Natural GF								
3♥/3♠		Natural GF								
4♣	Gerber									
4♦	N/A									
4♥	To play									
4♠	To play									
Unusual NT:	mino	ors \square	other suits		lower 2	unbid suits	\boxtimes			
other										
Other slam bio	lding	Cue Bid	s 🛛	Asking Bid	s \square					
4th Suit Forcir	ng (One round				Game force				
NT Checkback		Prioriti	es							
Defence to 3N	T opening	J								
Defence to op	ening Two	o's: Multi 2	→ X = Taked	out of S, 2H	= Takeo	out of H				
RCO sty	le 2-s	X = 16+								
Other 2-	S									
Defence to str	ong 뢒	Natural bid	ding							
Lebensohl	_	ver NT interfe								
Other us		-			nd after	X of opp wea	k N			
Take out of 4 I	•		4♣/4♦							
	4♥	X	4 ♠ 4N							
		ОТ	HER NO	TES						