BASIC RESPONSES

| Jump raises - minors limit <br> Jump raises - majors limit <br> Jump shifts after minor opening  | forcing $\square$ | Other: |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Jump shifts after major opening | Weak - less than 6 HCP |  |
| Responses to strong 2 suit opening | $2 \checkmark$ negative or waiting |  |



## Other Conventions

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| COMPETITIVE BIDDING |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Negative doubles through | 4 |  | Responsive doubles through |  | 4 |
| Jump overcalls Variable |  | Unusual NT | Minors or 2 lower unbid suits |  |  |
| 1NT overcall (immediate) | 15-18 |  | (re-opening) | 10-1 |  |
| Immed cue of minor | Michaels |  |  |  |  |
| Immed cue of major | Michaels |  |  |  |  |
| Over opponent's 1NT (weak) | Cappelletti |  |  |  |  |
| Over opponent's 1NT (strong) | Cappelletti |  |  |  |  |
| Over weak twos | Double |  |  |  |  |
| Over opening threes | Double |  |  |  |  |

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS
Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning

| 120 | 1 | 4+ *, 6+ HCP | 2NT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 19/4 | $4+$ - / $4,6+\mathrm{HCP}$ | 30 |
|  | 1NT | 6-9 HCP, denies a major | 3 |
|  | 20 | Natural, 6-9 HCP | 34 |
|  | 2 | 0-5 HCP, 6+ | 34 |
|  | 24 | 0-5 HCP, 6+ ${ }^{+}$ | 3NT |
|  | 2. | 0-5 HCP, 6+ | 4 bids |


| 1) | 19/4 | $6+\mathrm{HCP}, 4+\mathrm{P}$ | 31 | 0-5 HCP, 6+ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1NT | 6-9 HCP, denies major | 3 | 10-11 HCP |
|  | 28 | 10+ HCP, 4+ | 34 |  |
|  | 2 | 6-9 HCP, 4+ | 34 |  |
|  | 24 | 0-5 HCP, 6+ ${ }^{+}$ | 3NT | 12-14 HCP, denies major |
|  | 2 | 0-5 HCP, 6+ | 4* |  |
|  | 2NT | 10-11 HCP, denies major | 4 Oth |  |


| 19/4 | 1NT | 6-9 HCP, denies 4+ | 3\% | 0-5 HCP, 6+ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 20 | 10+ HCP, natural | 3 | 0-5 HCP, 6+ |
|  | 2 | 10+ HCP, natural | 3\%/4 | Limit raise |
|  | 2\%/4 | 6-9 HCP, 3+ | 3 NT | 12-14 HCP |
|  | 2NT | 10-11 HCP, natural | 40/10 |  |
| 26 | 2 | Negative or waiting | 2\%/4 | Natural positive 5+ suit |
|  | other | 2NT = Double negative |  |  |


| 2 | 24 | Negative or waiting | 3\%/4 | Natural positive, 5+ suit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 24 | Natural positive, 5+ | 3\%/4. |  |
|  | 2NT | Nat positive, denies 5-card Suit | 3NT |  |
| 2\%/4 | 2NT | Feature Ask | 3NT | To Play |
|  | 30/4 | Natural, non-forcing | 49/4 |  |
|  | 3\%/4 | Invitational | 4Y/4 | To Play |
| 2NT | 30 | Puppet Stayman | 40 |  |
|  | 3 | Transfer to * | 4 |  |
|  | 37 | Transfer to | 4 |  |
|  | 34 |  | $4{ }^{4}$ |  |
|  | 3 NT | To Play | other | 4NT = Simple Blackwood |

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to $\mathbf{1 N T}$
$34 / 3$
$3 \varphi / 34$
$4 \varphi$
4
4
4

Unusual NT:
minorsother suitslower 2 unbid suits other

| Other slam bidding | Cue Bids $\square$ | Asking Bids $\square$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 4th Suit Forcing | One round |  |
| NT Checkback | $\square$ | Priorities |
| Defence to 3NT opening | Double = Penalties (always optional) |  |
| Defence to opening Two's: | Multi 2 |  |

RCO style 2-s

Other 2-s

## Defence to strong

Capelletti

## Lebensoh

## Over NT interference

Other uses

Take out of 4 level pre-empts
4 Double = T/O

OTHER NOTES


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RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS
Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning

| 19 | 1 | 6 points plus 4 d plus | 2NT | 10-12 hcp denies major |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 19/4 | 6 points plus 4 h plus | 3 | 10-12 hcp c support denies major |
|  | 1NT | 8-10 hcp | 3 | cue bid in c |
|  | 26 | 5-9 hcp 4 plus c | 37 | cue bid in c |
|  | 2 | less than 6 hcp 6 plus d | 34 | cue bid in c |
|  | 24 | less than 6 hcp 6 plus h | 3NT | 13 plus hcp to play |
|  | 24 | less than 6 hcp 6 plus s | 4 bids | c invitational to game other same as 3 |
| 1 | 17/4 | hcp plus 4 plus $\mathrm{h} / \mathrm{s}$ | 3 | cue bid in c agreeing d |
|  | 1NT | 6-9 hcp denies 4 card major | 3 | 10-12 hcp 4 plus d |
|  | 20 | 10 plus hap 5 plus c | 37 | cue bid in h agreeing d |
|  | 2 | 6-9 hcp 4 plus d denies major | 31 | cue bid in s agreeing d |
|  | 2* | less than 6 hcp 6 plus h | 3 NT | 13 hcp to play |
|  | 21 | less than 6 hcp plus 6 plus s | 4* | invitational to game in d |
|  | 2NT | 10-12 hcp denies 4 major | 4 Other | to play in their suit |
| 19/4 | 1NT | 6-9 hcp less than 4 in h less 3 in s | 3 | cue bid in c agreeing $\mathrm{h} / \mathrm{s}$ |
|  | 26 | 10 plus hap 4 plus c | 3 | cue bid in d agreeing $\mathrm{h} / \mathrm{s}$ |
|  | 2 | 10 plus hap 4 plys d | 3\%/4 | 10-12 hcp |
|  | 29/4 | 6-9 hcp | 3NT | 13 plus denying support to play |
|  | 2NT | 10-12 hcp flat type hand | 49/4 | cue bid game try |
| 28 |  | waiting | 2\%/4 | n/a |
|  | other | n/a |  |  |
| 2 | $2{ }^{*}$ | reply to multi pass or correct to s | 3\%/ | n/a |
|  | 24 | agrees $h$ pass or correct $h$ | 3\%/4 | n/a |
|  | 2NT | enquiry re majors | 3NT | big hand to play |
| 29/4 | 2NT | enquiry | 3NT | to play |
|  | 39/4 | pass | 49/4 | pass |
|  | 3\%/4. | quantative | 4Y/4 | pass |
| 2NT | 36 | bid 4 card suits up the line | 40 | natural |
|  | 3 | transfer to h | 4* | natural |
|  | 37 | transfer to s | 4 | to play |
|  | 34 | transfer to minor | $4{ }^{4}$ | to play |
|  | 3NT | to play | other |  |

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to $\mathbf{1 N T}$

| 3/3* | slamtry |
| :---: | :---: |
| 39/34 | slamtry |
| 4 | natural |
| 4 | natural |
| $4 \%$ | to play |
| 4. | to play |

Unusual N minorsother suitslower 2 unbid suits other


RCO style 2-s as above

Other 2-s

Defence to strong e
2c, shows c and sp 2d shows $d$ and $h$ 1nt majors 2 nt minors

Lebensoh

Over NT interference

Other uses
Take out of 4 level pre-empts
4) $x$

## OTHER NOTES

michaels
blackwood
natural carding
natural signals
capelletti over opps nt


RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS
Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning

| 19 | 1 | 4 6+ | 2NT | 10-12 / 16+4C flat hand |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 19/4 | 4 6+ | 36 | less than 9 points 5+clubs |
|  | 1NT | 6-9 | 3 | splinter |
|  | 20 | 5-9 4C no other 4 card suit | 37 | splinter |
|  | 2 | splinter | 34 | splinter |
|  | 2 | splinter | 3NT | 13-15 4C flat hand |
|  | 21 | splinter | 4 bids |  |
| 1* | 19/4 | $4 \mathrm{H6}+\mathrm{p}$ | 34 | splinter |
|  | 1NT | 6-9 no 4card spade | 3 | less than 9 points 5+ diamonds |
|  | 26 | 10+ 5+clubs | 37 | splinter |
|  | 2 | 5-9 4D | 31 | splinter |
|  | 27 | splinter | 3NT | 13-15 4 Diamonds flat hand |
|  | 21 | splinter | 4 | key card |
|  | 2NT | 10-12 16+4D flat hand | 4 Other |  |
| 1\%/4 | 1NT | 6-9 not 4 spades | 36 | splinter |
|  | 26 | 10+ 5+clubs | 3 | splinter |
|  | 2 | 10+5+diamonds | 3\%/4 | less than 9 points 5+ HS |
|  | 2\%/4 | 5-9 4 HSS | 3NT | 13-15 4HS flat hand |
|  | 2NT | 10-12/16+4HVS flat hand | 4* | splinter |
| 26 | 2) | waiting bid - less than A and K | 2\%/4 | positive 5 H/S |
|  | other | 2NT no 5 card suit - at least $A$ and $K$ |  |  |


| 2* | 27 | pass or correct | 3/4 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | positive in hearts | 3\%/4 |  |
|  | 2NT | enquiry | 3NT |  |
| 29/4 | 2NT | enquiry | 3NT |  |
|  | 314 | pass or correct | 49/4 |  |
|  | 3\%/4 | raise | 4Y/4 |  |
| 2NT | 34 | pass or correct | 430 | invitational |
|  | 3 | better diamonds | 4* | invitational |
|  | $3{ }^{4}$ | forcing | 4 | to play |
|  | 3. | forcing with S suit | 4. | to play |
|  | 3NT | to play | other |  |

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to $\mathbf{1 N T}$

| 3 | slamtry |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $3 \% / 34$ | slamtry |
| 4 |  |
| 4 |  |
| 44 | to play |
| 4 | to play |

Unusual N minorsother suitslower 2 unbid suits
other


RCO style 2-s

Other 2-s

## Defence to strong ecappaletti

Lebensohl Over NT interference

Other uses
Take out of 4 level pre-empts

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40/4 X
4. 4NT
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