BASIC R	ESPONSES	ARC	AUSTRALIAN E	BRIDGE FEDERATION				
Jump raises - minors limit forcin	g Other:		•	INCORPORA	TED ©			
Jump raises - majors limit ☑ forcin	g Other:		CTANDADD C	YSTEM CARD				
Jump shifts after minor opening Wea	ak	Names: John Hanse		Ruth Hansen				
Jump shifts after major opening Wea	ak	ABF Nos: 124303		182443				
Responses to strong 2 suit opening nex	t suit=relay; others natural	Basic System:		102443				
Responses to 2NT opening 3 ◆ forcing	g, others to play (correctable)	Classification: Green	Blue 🗆	Red  Yellow				
PLAY CO	NVENTIONS	Oldssindation. Green		IG BIDS				
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S'	Versus Suit = Both	Describe strength, minimum le			Canape $\Box$			
Sequence leads: Overlea	d all All except AK x (x)	1♣ 3+ 11+ hcp	1♦ 4+ 11+ hcp	1 <b>♥</b> 4+ 11+ hcp	1 <b>♠</b> 4+ 11+ hc			
Underlead Other:		1 NT 12 - 14		may contai	n 5 card major $\Box$			
Four or more with an honour 4th h	nighest attitude	2♠ Stayman: simp	ole extend	led Other:				
3rd/5th Other:		Transfers 2♦ => 2♥	2♥ =	=> 2♠	=> 3 <b>♣</b>			
From 4 small 2nd highest	ther: 4th highest in NT, attitude in suit	2 NT => 3♦	Other: Sup	er accept in minors				
From 3 cards (no honour) top	middle bottom	2 <b>♣</b> GF or 23+ hcp						
Signal on partner's lead: high encoura	age low encourage 🗸	2♦ Weak or strong major, strong minor or 19 - 22 balanced						
Other:		2♥ 2 suits same rank, 5	- 5+, 7 - 11 hcp					
Signal on declarer's lead		2♠ 2 suits same colour,	5 - 5+, 7 - 11 hcp					
Discards McKenney high e	encourage low encourage	2 NT 2 suits same odd rank & colour, 5 - 5+, 7 - 11 hcp						
odd/even Other:		3 NT 2 suits same rank, 5 - 5+, 12+ hcp						
Count natural reverse	if necessary	PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED						
CONVE	ENTIONS	MEA	NING/S OR REQUI	RE SPECIAL DEFEN	E			
4NT: Blackwood R	KCB 🗸 Other:	Occasional psyches						
4♣ Gerber ☑ when? over	direct NT only	All suit doubles = T/O (unle	ess obvious penalty)					
Other Convent	,							
5 card Stayman	SOAP(2♣=5♥; 2♦=5♠; 2♥=4♥+a/n; 2♠=4♠+5Suit		COMPETITI	VE BIDDING				
Cue and Advance cues	SWINE (pass=non touching; bid=touching;	Negative doubles through	2 <b>♠</b> R	esponsive doubles through	4 ♠			
Hansen 2-suit o/calls (jump in C, D and NT)	XX=single)	Jump overcalls weak/	inter Unusual N	two lowest unbid su	its			
Lavings (after any rebid of 2NT)	TEXAS (4 minor = solid major, no outside Aor K)	1NT overcall (immediate)	15 - 18	(re-opening) 10 -1	3			
Lebensohl (vs 1NT(x), and x of weak two's)	Trial Bids )asks for help in suit	Immed cue of minor	Forcing					
A DELL'		Immed cue of major	Forcing					
©ABF Marketing PO Box 397	J	Over opponent's 1NT (weak)	SOAP					
Fyshwick ACT 2		Over opponent's 1NT (strong)	SOAP					
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		RESPONSES TO	OPENI	NG BIDS		
		Describe strength, minimum length or s	specific mea	nning	Additional respo	onses to 1
1 <b>♣</b>	1♦	natural	2NT	9-11 or 18+ and fit	3♣/3♦	GF, bio
	1 <b>♥</b> /♠	natural	3♣	15 - 17, fit	3♥/3♠	GF, bio
	1NT	6 - 8, fit	3♦		4♣	
	2♣	weak, fit	3♥		4♦	
	2♦	15+, fit, 1st rnd ctrl (See Notes)	3♠		4♥	
	2♥	15+, fit, 1st rnd ctrl (See Notes)	3NT	12 -14, fit	4♠	
	2♠	15+, fit, 1st rnd ctrl (See Notes)	4 bids	4 clubs = RKCB	Unusual NT:	
1 <b>♦</b>	1 <b>♥</b> /♠	natural	3♣	forcing, good suit	other	
	1NT	6 - 8, no major	3♦	15 - 17, fit		
	2♣	natural	3♥		Other slam bidd	ing
	2♦	weak, fit	3♠		4th Suit Forcing	
	2♥	15+, fit, 1st rnd ctrl (See Notes)	3NT	12 - 14, fit	NT Checkback	
	2♠	15+, fit, 1st rnd ctrl (See Notes)	4♦	RKCB	Defence to 3NT	opening
	2NT	9 - 11, or 18+, fit	4 Other		Defence to open	ing Two's
1 <b>♥</b> /♠	1NT	6 - 8	3♣	15+, fit, 1st rnd ctrl (See Notes)	DCO etul	0.20
	2♣	natural	3♦	15+, fit, 1st rnd ctrl (See Notes)	RCO styl	e 2-S
	2♦	natural	3 <b>♥</b> /♠	Please Ask	Other 2-s	
	2 <b>♥</b> /♠	Please Ask	3NT	12 - 14, fit	Other 2-S	)
	2NT	9 - 11, or 18+, fit	4♣/♦	RKCB in ♥/♠	Defence to stror	na 📤
2♣	2♦	relay	2 <b>♥</b> /♠	natural, 5+ in suit	Defende to stroi	ig <del>z</del>
	other	3♣/♦ long solid suit			Lebensohl	
2•	2♥	to play, correctable	3♣/♦	8 playing tricks	Other use	es a
	2♠	to play, correctable	3♥/♠	8 playing tricks	Take out of 4 lev	el pre-en
	2NT	forcing relay	3NT	to play		4
2 <b>♥</b> /♠	2NT	forcing relay	3NT	to play, correctable		
	3♣/♦	to play, correctable	4♣/♦	to play, correctable		
	3 <b>♥/</b> ♠	to play, correctable	4♥/♠	to play, correctable	Jump in new sui	•
2NT	3♣	to play, correctable	4♣		Jump in new sui	it (with in
	3♦	to play, correctable	4♦			
	3♥		4♥	to play, correctable		
	3♠	forcing relay	4♠	to play, correctable		
	3NT	to play	other			

	CON	VENTIONS							
n	ses to 1NT								
GF, bid 3NT or RKCB if 3+ cars in suit bid									
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	minors	other suits	lower 2 unbid suits						

3 <b>♥</b> /3 <b>♠</b> GF,	GF, bid 3NT or RKCB if 3+ cars in suit bid								
4♣									
4♦									
4♥									
4♠									
Unusual NT:	minors		other	suits		low	er 2 unbid suits		
other									
Other slam bidding		Cue Bids			Asking Bids				
4th Suit Forcing	(	One round $\Box$	7				Game force		
NT Checkback		Priorities							
Defence to 3NT opening	g	Natural							
Defence to opening Two	o's:	Multi 2♦	double :	= 15+	hcp, others natu	ıral			
RCO style 2-s	dou	ıble = 15+ hc	p, other	s natu	ıral				
Other 2-s	dou	double = 15+ hcp, others natural							
		·							
Defence to strong <b>♣</b>	dou	double = clubs, 1NT = any two suits							
Lebensohl	C	ver NT interfer	ence						
Other uses	after dou	uble of weak 2	2's						
Take out of 4 level pre-	empts		4 <b>♣</b> /4	<b>•</b> x	a = takeout				
	4♥ dou	ble = t/out	4♠	doub	le = t/out				

## OTHER NOTES

Jump in new suit (no interference)=15+ fit, 1st round control	
Jump in new suit (with interference)=weak, 6-card suit	

## **BASIC RESPONSES** AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEDERATION limit forcing $\Box$ Other: inverted Jump raises - minors limit 🗹 forcing $\Box$ Other: 10-12 hcp, 4-card support Jump raises - majors Jump shifts after minor opening weak if major < 6hcp else splinter mini splinter 6-8 4+ fit Jump shifts after major opening Responses to strong 2 suit opening 3c 5-card major ask, 3d, 3h transfers 3s - both minors 5-5 Responses to 2NT opening **PLAY CONVENTIONS** = Both 'S' Versus Suit Versus Notrump Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x) Other: A attitude, K count, 10 from interior sequence Underlead 4th highest attitude Four or more with an honour 3rd/5th Other: Other: From 4 small 2nd highest middle 🔽 From 3 cards (no honour) top bottom Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage count, may include encourage Other: Signal on declarer's lead high encourage Discards McKenney low encourage odd/even Other: Count natural reverse **CONVENTIONS** Blackwood 4NT: Other: Gerber when? Other Conventions Lebensohl, ROPI, DOPI negative free bids,2H/S - 3H/S preemptive DONT (1NT) X: 2NT > 17+: 2S 15+: 3x strong 2/1 forcing to 2NT, mini splinter 6-8 4-card support Super accepts, Puppet Stayman over 2NT Truscott over 1H/1S X 2NT - 3S minor suit slam try Flip Flop - 1C/D 2NT - bid 3 of minor ©ABF Marketing PO Box 397 Fyshwick ACT 2609 Tel: 02 6239 2265 FAX: 02 6239 1816 Copyright © BCC 6.3.20.1 Over opening threes X t/o



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		STAND	ARD	SYS	TEM C	ARD				
Names:	Cynthia Belo	nogoff		Caro	I Combes					
ABF Nos:	118966			1204	72					
Basic System:	Standa	rd								
Classification:	Green	□ В	lue $\square$	I	Red $\square$	Yello	ow $\square$			
		(	OPEN	NG	BIDS					
Describe streng	gth, minimum le	ngth, or specif	fic meanin	g				Canap	е 🗆	
1♣ 3, 11+	1	<b>3</b> , 11+		1	<b>♥</b> 5, 11+		1♠	5, 11+	,	
1 NT 15-1	7					may co	ntain 5 ca	rd major		
2♣ Stayman:	simp	le 🗌	exte	nded		Other:				
Transfers	2 <b>♦</b> 2h		2♥	2s			2♠ 30			
2 NT	3d	Ot	ther: su	iper ad	ccepts in mi	nors				
2 <b>♠</b> gf										
veak 6-	-10, 6 card sui	it								
2♥ weak 6-	-10, 6 card sui	it								
2♠ weak 6-	-10, 6 card sui	it								
2 NT 20-22	2 may contain	5-card majo	r							
3 NT Spec	ific ace ask - 4	4C none, 4N	T Ace C							
	PRE-ALE	RTS: CAL	LS TH	AT N	AY HAV	E UNE	XPECT	ED		
		NING/S OF								
nverted mino	rs			MS	SST after 21	NT open	ing or rel	oid		
Negative free	bids			35	S: both mino	rs, 3NT	= 4C/D N	ISKC,		
2/1 forcing to				els	se cue					
•		COM	PETIT	IVE	BIDDIN	IG				
Negative double	es through	4h			nsive double			4h		
Jump overcalls	ŭ	411	Unusual		lower 2			411		
1NT overcall (ir		16+			(re-opening)		1-14			
mmed cue of n							1-14			
		Spades an								
mmed cue of n	•	Hearts and		- wide	ranging					
Over opponent			DONT							
Over opponent			DONT							
Over weak two:	S		X with Le	ebenso	onl					

		RESPONSES TO (	PENI	NG BIDS
		Describe strength, minimum length or sp	pecific mea	aning
<b>.</b>	1♦	6+ 4-cards	2NT	11-12 no 4-card major
	1 <b>♥</b> /♠	6+ 4-cards	3♣	inverted 5-9 5+C
	1NT	6-9 no 4-card major	3♦	splinter
	2♣	10+ 4-card support	3♥	splinter
	2♦	weak 0-4 6+ cards	3♠	splinter
	2♥	weak 0-4 6+ cards	3NT	13-15 flat
	2♠	weak 0-4 6+ cards	4 bids	4C MSKC 4H/4S to play
<b>•</b>	1 <b>♥</b> /♠	6+ 4-cards	3♣	mini-splinter 6-8 4-card support
	1NT	6-9 no 4-card major	3♦	inverted 6-9 4+D
	2♣	10+ 4-card suit	3♥	splinter
	2♦	10+ 4-card support	3♠	splinter
	2♥	weak 0-4 6+ cards	3NT	13-14 no 4-card major
	2♠	weak 0-4 6+ cards	4♦	MSKC
	2NT	11-12 no 4-card major	4 Other	4C splinter, 4H/S to play
•//♠	1NT	6-9	3♣	mini splinter
	2♣	10+	3♦	mini splinter
	2♦	10+ 4+ D	3 <b>♥/</b> ♠	10-12 4-card support
	2 <b>♥</b> /♠	6-9 no 3+	3NT	13-15 2-card support
	2NT	4-card support gf	4♣/♦	splinter
<b>.</b>	2♦	relay	2 <b>♥</b> /♠	5+ card suit, 2 of top 3
	other			
<b>*</b>	2♥	forcing 5+ card suit	3♣/♦	forcing 5+ card suit
	2♠	forcing 5+ card suit	3 <b>♥/</b> ♠	forcing 5+ card suit
	2NT	Ogust	3NT	to play
<b>♥</b> /♠	2NT	Ogust	3NT	to play
	3♣/♦	Forcing 5 card suit	4♣/♦	MSKC
	3 <b>♥/</b> ♠	preemptive	4 <b>♥</b> /♠	to play
NT	3♣	5 card major ask	4♣	MSKC
	3♦	transfer to H	4♦	MSKC
	3♥	transfer to S	4♥	to play
	3♠	MSST	4♠	to play
	3NT	to play	other	4NT Quantitative

# CONVENTIONS

Additional respon	ises to TNT										
3♣/3♦	weak/strong minor 2-suiter										
3 <b>♥</b> /3♠	weak/strong major 2-suiter										
4♣	mskc										
4♦	mskc	mskc									
4♥	to play										
4♠	to play										
Unusual NT:	mi	inors	other suit	s 🗌	lower	2 unbid suits					
other											
Other slam biddin	ıg	Cue Bids		Asking Bids							
4th Suit Forcing		One round				Game force					
NT Checkback	$\square$	Priorities	2C is	checkback							
Defence to 3NT o	pening	4c is t/0, X	( penalties	5							
Defence to opening Two's:		Multi 2◆									
RCO style	2-s	X t/o with Lebensohl									
		2NT 16-19 system on									
Other 2-s											
Defence to strong	<b>.</b>	2C = C otherwise	e natural								
Lebensohl		Over NT interfere	ence [	2							
Other uses	over	2-level opening b	y oppone	nts							
Take out of 4 leve	l pre-empts		4♣/4♦	x t/o							
	4♥	X optional	4 <b>♠</b> X	penalty oriented							
			ED NO								

## OTHER NOTES

Opening 4C/4D transfer to 4H/4S solid suit. Opening 4H/4S preemtive, broken suit
3NT spec ace ask 4C=0, 4D=AD, etc, 4NT=AC,5C=AC,AD
Long suit trial bids
2C after 1NT rebid is 10+ looking for 3 card support
RKCB with a void:with 2KC and void not in partner's first bid suit leapt to 5NT.
1 or 3 jump to 6 of void suit or agreed suit whichever is lower

BASIC RESPONSES	AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEDERATION
Jump raises - minors limit ☑ forcing □ Other:	INCORPORATED ©
Jump raises - majors limit ☑ forcing □ Other:	STANDARD SYSTEM CARD
Jump shifts after minor opening Strong	
Jump shifts after major opening n/a	Names: D. Greenfeld S. Shilbury ABF Nos: 129127 129429
Responses to strong 2 suit opening n/a	Basic System: Standard
Responses to 2NT opening	Classification: Green  Blue  Red Yellow  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♠ 3 11+ 1♦ 3 11+ 1♥ 5 11+ 1♠ 5 11+
Underlead Other:	1 NT 15 - 17 may contain 5 card major
Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude	2♣ Stayman: simple ☐ extended ☐ Other: Lavings
3rd/5th Other:	Transfers 2♦ to 2♥ 2♥ to 2♠ 2♠ to ♠
From 4 small 2nd highest Other:	2 NT to ♦ Other:
From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom	2♣ Game Force or balanced 23+
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage  low encourage	2♦ Weak 6 card Major or 20 - 22 balanced
Other: In NT second highest	2♥ Weak 5+/5+ ♥ & a minor
Signal on declarer's lead Count where necessary	2♠ Weak 5+/5+ ♠ & another
Discards McKenney NT high encourage low encourage	2 NT Both Minors, weak
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:	Multi 2◆
4♠ Gerber ☐ when?	Blue Club O/Calls
Other Conventions	
Blue Club overcalls Cue Raises	COMPETITIVE BIDDING
Drury Truscott	Negative doubles through 3♠ Responsive doubles through 4♠
5NT Grand Slam Ask	Jump overcalls Intermediate Unusual NT Lower Suits
DOPI & ROPI	1NT overcall (immediate) 15 - 18 (re-opening) 10 - 12
Trial Bids	Immed cue of minor Extremes
@ADE Madades	Immed cue of major Extremes
©ABF Marketing PO Box 397	Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Cappelletti; 2NT = minors or strong 2 suiter
Fyshwick ACT 2609	Over opponent's 1NT (strong) Cappelletti; 2NT = minors or strong 2 suiter
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		RESPONSES TO	OPENII	NG BIDS		CONVENTIONS
		Describe strength, minimum length o	r specific mea	ning	Additional responses to 1	NT
1 <b>♣</b>	1•	4 card 6+ pts	2NT	11 hcp flat	3♣/3♦ Slam ii	nvitation
	1 <b>♥</b> /♠	as above	3♣	9 - 11 4+♣	3♥/3♠ as abo	ve
	1NT	8 - 10 no major	3♦	Splinter	4 <b>♠</b> RKCB	
	2♣	Weak	3♥	Splinter	4♦ as abo	ve
	2♦	Strong sets the suit	3♠	Splinter	4♥ To play	y
	2♥	as above	3NT	12 - 15 flat	4 <b>♠</b> To play	<b>y</b>
	2♠	as above	4 bids	4♣ = RKCB	Unusual NT:	minors  other suits
1 <b>♦</b>	1 <b>♥</b> /♠	4 card 6+ pts	3♣	Strong	other	
	1NT	8 - 10 no major	3♦	9 - 11 and support		/
	2♣	11+	3♥	Splinter	Other slam bidding	Cue Bids 🖂
	2♦	Weak	3♠	Splinter	4th Suit Forcing	One round
	2♥	Strong sets the suit	3NT	12 - 15 flat	NT Checkback	Priorities strength
	2♠	as above	4♦	RKCB	Defence to 3NT opening	Double for takeout (Option
	2NT	11 hcp flat	4 Other	4♣ = Splinter	Defence to opening Two's	S: Multi 2♦ Double = 16+
1 <b>♥</b> /♠	1NT	6 -9	3♣	Ace ♣ or Void	DCO etulo 2 o	an ab au
	2♣	10+	3♦	Ace ♦ or Void	RCO style 2-s	as above
	2♦	10+	3 <b>♥/</b> ♠	Splinter	Other 2-s	aa ahaya
	2 <b>♥</b> /♠	Weak	3NT	na	Other 2-5	as above
	2NT	12 - 15 & 4 card support, flat	4♣/♦	Splinter	Defence to strong ♣	Disco 1NT = majors, 2NT = mino
2♣	2♦	0 - 7	2 <b>♥</b> /♠	5 card 8+	Deterior to strong &	$2\clubsuit$ = blacks, $2\blacktriangledown$ = $\blacktriangledown$ &♠, $2♠$ = $\spadesuit$ &·
	other	2NT flat 8+ no 5 card suit			Lebensohl	Over NT interference
2•	2♥	Weak relay	3♣/♦	Natural	Other uses (	Over opponents' weak 2's
	2♠	Prefer ♥	3 <b>♥/</b> ♠	Preemptive	Take out of 4 level pre-em	pts 4♣/4♦ Optio
	2NT	Forcing	3NT	n/a	4	▼ X Optional 4♠ 4NT =Ta
2 <b>♥</b> /♠	2NT	Relay	3NT	To Play		OTHER NOTES
	3♣/♦	N/A	4♣/♦	N/A		OTHER NOTES
	3♥/♠	Weak Raise	4 <b>♥</b> /♠	To Play		
2NT	3♣	To play	4♣	RKCB		
	3♦	To play	4♦	RKCB		
	3♥	Good suit N/F	4♥	To play		
	3♠	Good suit N/F	4♠	To play		
	3NT	To play	other			

Additional respons	ses to 1NT								
3♣/3♦	Slam invitation								
3♥/3♠	as above								
4♣	RKCB								
4♦	as above								
4♥	To play								
4♠	To play								
Unusual NT:	mi	inors	others	suits [		lower	2 unbid suits	$\Box$	
other									
Other slam bidding	g	Cue Bid	s 🗹		Asking Bids				
4th Suit Forcing		One round	$\supset$				Game force		
NT Checkback		Priorities	stre	ngth					
Defence to 3NT op	ening	Double f	for takeou	ut (Opti	onal)				
Defence to openin	g Two's:	Multi 2♦	Double :	= 16+					
RCO style 2	2-s	as above							
Other 2-s		as above							
Defence to strong	•	Disco 1NT = m	najors, 21	NT = m	inors, 2♦ = red	S,			
		2♣ = blacks, 2	<b>/</b> = <b>∀</b> & <b>♠</b> ,	2♠ = ₫	<b>&amp;</b> ♦				
Lebensohl		Over NT interfe	erence						
Other uses	Ove	r opponents' we	ak 2's						
Take out of 4 level	pre-empts		4♣/4	Or	otional Double				
	4♥	X Optional	4♠	4NT =	Takeout				