

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

| 14 | 1 | 4+ , 5+hcp | 2NT | 14-15 hcp, 4+ C |
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|  | 19/4 | 4 - , 4 ¢ | 3 | inverted 5-9, 5+C |
|  | 1 NT | 8-10 hcp | 3 | splinter |
|  | 26 | 4+C, 11-14 or 18+ hcp | 34 | splinter |
|  | 2 | 10-12+, FSJ | 34 | splinter |
|  | 24 | 10-12, FSJ | 3NT | 16-17 hcp, 4+C |
|  | 24 | 10-12,FSJ | 4 bids |  |
| 1* | 19/4 | 4+ suit, 5+hcp | 3 | 10-12 FSJ |
|  | 1 NT | 6-9 hcp | 3 | $6-9,4+$ |
|  | 26 | 4+ ${ }_{\text {c }}$, 10+ hcp | $3 \%$ | splinter |
|  | 2 | 10-12, 3+ | 34 | splinter |
|  | 24 | Fit showing jump | 3 NT | to play |
|  | 21 | Fit showing jump | 4 | Minomood |
|  | 2NT | 11-13 | 4 Other |  |
| 19/4 | 1NT | 5-9 hcp | 3 | Fit showing, Step response |
|  | 20 | 4+\%, 10+hcp | 3 | Fit showing, Step response |
|  | 2 | 4+ ${ }_{\text {, }}$, 10+hcp | 3V/4 | Fit showing, Step response |
|  | 29/4 | 5-9 hcp, 3 or balanced 4 cd raise | 3NT | Fit showing, singleton e |
|  | 2NT | Fit showing, Step response | 40/4 | Fit showing, stepped singleton |
| 26 | 2* | Kokish, more than 2 Qs | 2\%/4 | 2H Kokish, weak or strong |
|  | other | $2 \mathrm{NT}=\stackrel{ }{ }$ | $3 \mathrm{NT}=$ own solid suit |  |
| 2 | 24 | to play | 3/4 | 3 =suit, $3=$ bid longer major |
|  | 21 | to play | 3\%/4 | to play |
|  | 2NT | strong enquiry | 3NT | to play |
| 2\%/4 | 2NT | strong enquiry- ogust responses | 3NT | to play |
|  | 3/4 | to play | 4*/4 | - |
|  | 3\%/4 | to play | 4V/4 | to play |
| 2NT | 36 | 5 cd puppet stayman | 4 | SA Texas Tfr to $\vee$, slam interest |
|  | 3 | transfer to ${ }^{*}$ | 4 | SA Texas Tfr to ${ }_{\text {, }}^{\text {, slamint. }}$ |
|  | 34 | transfer to s | 4 | to play |
|  | 3. | minor suit stayman | $4{ }^{4}$ | to play |
|  | 3 NT | to play | other |  |

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## Additional responses to 1 NT

3/3 singleton, with 5 other minor and 4,3 in Majors
3ヶ/3. singleton, with 3 other Major and 4,5 in minors
4
Transfer to ${ }^{\vee}$
4* Transfer to $\Phi$
4V to play with 6-7
4. to play with 6-7
Unusual NT: minors $\square \quad$ other suits $\quad \square \quad$ lower 2 unbid suits $\quad \square$


## OTHER NOTES

Transfer responses: after 1『 $\uparrow-X$ - then tfr with or without support, then support $=$ limit


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| 16 | 1* | 5+, 4 cards | 2NT | 12-14, bal |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 19/4 | 5+, 4 cards | 3 | 13+, 4 cards |
|  | 1NT | 8-10 | 3 | 3-6, 7 cards |
|  | 2 | 6-10, 4 cards | 34 | 3-6, 7 cards |
|  | 2 | 16+, 6 cards | 34 | 3-6, 7 cards |
|  | 2 | 16+, 6 cards | 3NT | 15-16, bal |
|  | 24 | 16+, 6 cards | 4 bids | 4 = RKC, others natural |
| 1 * | 19/4 | 5+, 4 cards | 3 | 16+, 6 cards |
|  | 1NT | 6-10 | 3 | 13+, 4 cards |
|  | 26 | 5+, 4 cards | 34 | 3-6,7 cards |
|  | 2 | 6-10, 4 cards | 34 | 3-6, 7 cards |
|  | 2 | 16+, 6 cards | 3NT | 15-16, bal |
|  | 2. | 16+, 6 cards | 4 | RKC |
|  | 2NT | 12-14, bal | 4 Other | natural |
| 1 1 / | 1NT | 6-11, semi- forcing | 3 | 16+, 6 cards |
|  | 2 | 10+, 4 cards | 3 | 16+, 6 cards |
|  | 2* | 10+, 4 cards | $3 \% / 4$ | 8+, 4 cards (3 with singleton) |
|  | 2\%/4 | 5-10, 3 cards | 3 NT | 15-16, bal |
|  | 2NT | 12+, 4Y/ | 4* | Splinter, 9-12, 4\%/s |
| 2 |  | 4+, neutral | 2 $\%$ / | $2 \boldsymbol{*}=0-3$, any |
|  | other | suit positives are good suits if minimun |  |  |
| 2 | $2{ }^{*}$ | 8-15,5 cards, non forcing | 3/4 | $30=15+, 5$ cards forcing |
|  | 2. | 8-15,5 cards, non forcing | 3\%/4 | 15+, 6 cards, forcing |
|  | 2 NT | enquiry (Ogust), 15+ | 3 NT | to play |
| 2\%/4 | 2NT | enquiry (Ogust), 10+ | 3NT | to play |
|  | 3*/ | 15+, 5 cards forcing | 4*/4000 | 15+, 6 cards forcing |
|  | 3\%/4 | pre-emptive | 4Y/4 | to play |
| 2NT | 3 | enquiry (Puppet Stayman) | 45 | Gerber |
|  | 3 | transfer to $3{ }^{*}$ | 4 | RKC in ${ }^{\text {' }} \mathrm{s}$ |
|  | 37 | transfer to 34 | 4 | 6 cards, mild slam invite |
|  | $3{ }^{3}$ | 5 \& 4V forcing | 4. | RKC in ${ }^{\text {es }}$ |
|  | 3NT | to play | other | $4 \mathrm{NT}=$ both minors, weak |

## Additional responses to 1 NT

3/3 natural, slam invitational, opener shows chunky suits with a fit
3\%/3. natural, forcing, opener cues with support
4. Gerber

4* both majors (5-5)
4• to play
4.
to play
Unusual NT: minors $\square \quad$ other suits $\quad \square \quad$ lower 2 unbid suits $\quad \square$

NT Checkback Priorities see "other notes"

Defence to 3NT opening
Defence to opening Two's:
RCO style 2-s
Other 2-s
Defence to strong e

## Lebensoh

$X=$ interest in penalties
Multi 2 X shows sound - opening or overcall or 19+
$2 \mathrm{NT}=15-18$, stopper. Overcalls sound, jumps better
$X=$ penalty of suit or $19+$
$2 \mathrm{NT}=15-18$, stopper. Overcalls sound, jumps better $X=$ t/out
$2 \mathrm{NT}=15-18$, stopper. Overcalls sound, jumps better X shows majors

1NT shows minors Over NT interference

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Other uses after 2nd hand double of natural 2 bid


## OTHER NOTES

## 2 way checkback after $1 N T$ rebid:

$2 \$$ relays to $2 \downarrow$, subsequent bidding is natural, invitational
2 is artificial, game forcing. Subsequent bidding natural
doubles of conventional bids are penalty or lead directing
some low level penalty doubles
forcing pass sequences after 2NT opening or game forcing sequences have been overcalled


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| 16 | 1* | 6+ hcp with 4+ | 2NT | 12-14 hcp with 4 , GF |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 19/4 | 6+ hcp with 4+ 4 $^{\text {+ }}$ | 3 | 9-11 hcp with 4 e |
|  | 1NT | 8-10 hcp, not $4 \leqslant / \vee /$ | 3 | - |
|  | 20 | $6-8$ hcp with 4+ | 34 | - |
|  | 2 | 0-5 hcp with $4+$ | 31 | - |
|  | 2 | 0-5 hcp with 4+ | 3 NT | - |
|  | 2. | 0-5 hcp with 4+ | 4 bids | - |
| 1* | 19/4 | 6+hcp 4 - | 3 | - |
|  | 1NT | 7-9 hcp, not 4 - | 3 | 9-11 hcp, 4 |
|  | 20 | 9+hcp, 4+ | 34 | - |
|  | 2* | 6-8 hcp, 4+ | 34 | - |
|  | 2 | 0-5 hcp, 6+ - | 3NT | - |
|  | 21 | 0-5 hcp, 6+ | 4 | - |
|  | 2 NT | 12-14 hcp with 4+ | 4 Other | - |
| 1/1/4 | 1NT | 6-8 hcp | 3 | 9-11 hcp, 4+ \& 4+ / |
|  | 26 | 9+hcp, 4+ | 3 | 9-11 hcp, 4+ \& $4+$ - / |
|  | 2 | 9+ hcp, 4+ | $3 \% / 4$ | 9-11 hcp, 4+ / |
|  | 2\%/4 | 6-8 hcp, 4+ / - | 3 NT | - |
|  | 2NT | 12-14 hcp, 4+ | 4*/ | Suiss |
| 26 | 2 | Negative or waiting | 2 ${ }^{1}$ | 7+ hcp, 4+ / + |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | 2 | 0-14hcp, pass or correct | 3/4 | - |
|  | 24 | 10-14 with 3+ ${ }^{\text {- }}$ | 3\%/4 | - |
|  | 2 NT | 15+ hcp | 3 NT | - |
| $2 \% / 4$ |  | Negative | 3NT | - |
|  | 3\%/4 | 7+hcp, 4+ / | 4/1/ | - |
|  | 3\%/4 | $3+\uparrow /$ \& one ace | 4Y/4 | to play |
| 2NT | 36 | forcing | 430 | - |
|  | 3 | - | 4 | - |
|  | 34 | to play | 4 | to play |
|  | 3. | to play | 4 | to play |
|  | 3 NT | to play | other | - |

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## Additional responses to 1 NT


RCO style 2-s $\quad x$ of suit opened; $2 N T=15-18$

Other 2-s $\quad$ Bid of weak option $=T / O$
Defence to strong e Brozel

## Lebensohl

Over NT interference
Other uses Over weak 2 openings and weak jumps to 2 level


OTHER NOTES

