

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

| 16 | 1* | $4+$ | 2NT | 10-12, no suit outside |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 19/4 | 1 $V=4+4$ - $12=4+$ | 3 | 8-9, 6+ |
|  | 1 NT | 5-9, no suit outside | 3 | N/A |
|  | 2 | GF in | 34 | NA |
|  | 2* | 2-6, 6+ | 34 | NA |
|  | 24 | 2-6, 6+ | 3NT | 13-15, 3343 |
|  | 24 | 2-6, 6+ | 4 bids | NA |
| 1* | 19/4 | 6+ HCP, 4+ suit | 3 | Mini/Mega Splinter |
|  | 1NT | 5-9 HCP | 3 | 6-9, 4+ |
|  | 20 | 10+ HCP, 5+ | 34 | Maxi Splinter |
|  | 2 | inverted | 34 | Maxi Splinter |
|  | 2 | Mini/Mega Splinter | 3NT | 13-15, 3334 |
|  | 21 | Mini/Mega Splinter | 4 | KCB |
|  | 2 NT | 10-12, no suit outside | 4 Other | 40=MaxiSplinter;4Major=to play |
| $19 / 4$ | 1 NT | 6-12 forcing | 3 | see notes |
|  | 26 | TF or 3 card limit | 3 | see notes |
|  | 2 | TF | 3\%/4 | see notes |
|  | 2\%/4 | TF => see notes | 3 NT | flat 13-15 |
|  | 2NT | see notes | 4* | Maxi Splinter |
| 2 |  | 0-1 king based controls | 2\%/4 | 2/3 king based controls |
|  | other | 2NT/3e/ = 4/5/6 controls; 3 | solid su | no outside controls |
| 2 | 24 | natural, non-forcing | 3/4 | natural, non-forcing |
|  |  | natural, non-forcing | 3\%/4 | natural \& forcing |
|  | 2NT | asking for strength \& shape | 3NT | to play |
| 2\%/4 | 2NT | asking for strength \& shape | 3NT | to play |
|  | 3/1/ | natural, non-forcing | 40/4 | natural \& forcing |
|  | 3\%/4 | natural, non-forcing | 4V/s | to play |
| 2NT | 3 | Puppet Stayment | 45 | natural slamtry |
|  | 3 | TF to - | 4* | natural slamtry |
|  | $3{ }^{4}$ | TF to ${ }^{-1}$ | 4V | to play |
|  | 31 | Minor Suit Stayman | 4. | to play |
|  | 3NT | to play | other |  |

CONVENTIONS

## Additional responses to 1 NT

3 Opener to bid 3NT with top honour in partner's suit
3Y/34 natural slamtry
4. NA

4- NA
$4 \checkmark$ to play
4. to play
Unusual NT: minors $\square \quad$ other suits $\quad \square \quad$ lower 2 unbid suits $\quad \square$

RCO style 2-s $\quad x=T / O$, bids natural, $2 N T=-15-18 \mathrm{HCP}$

Other 2-s if known anchor suit: $\mathrm{x}=\mathrm{T} / \mathrm{O}$, bids natural, $2 \mathrm{NT}=-15-18 \mathrm{HCP}$ no anchor suit: $x=15+$, bids natural, $2 N T=-15-18 ~ H C P$

Twerb (to 2NT, also after 1\$ pass 1 $\downarrow$ ), $1 / 2 \mathrm{NT}$ is $\$ / \mathbf{~ o r ~} \leqslant / \mathbf{4}$ bid shows either single suiter next step or two suiter next 2 steps

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 Over NT interferenceOther uses $\quad 3 N T$ does not promise stopper
Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4\$/4 T/OX
4 $\mathrm{T} / \mathrm{Ox}$
4. $\mathrm{T} / \mathrm{Ox}$

## OTHER NOTES

over 1v: $2 \mathbf{2 s}=$ TF to $\bullet(10+\mathrm{HCP}, 6+\star ; \mathrm{GF}, 4+\star$ or $3+$ limit raise $) ; 2 \uparrow=3 \uparrow, 8-9$ or $13+; 2 \vee=(10+$ HCP,6+e;GF,5+e);2S=any Splinter (now $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ ask);2NT=(15+HCP,4+ $)$;
$(-6-9 H C P, 4+\downarrow), 3=$ Bergen Style ( $-10-12 \mathrm{HCP}, 4+\downarrow$ ); $3^{\uparrow}=0-5 \mathrm{HCP}, 4+\downarrow, 34=$ Maxi Splinter over 14:2 $2=$ TF to $\downarrow(10+H C P, 6+\star ; G F, 4+\diamond$ or $3+$ limit raise $) ; 2 \downarrow=10+H C P, 6+\downarrow$ or GF, $4+\downarrow$



