

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors	limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	forcing <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: distributional limit
Jump raises - majors	limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	forcing <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: " "
Jump shifts after minor opening	splinters		
Jump shifts after major opening	splinters		
Responses to strong 2 suit opening	2C--2D= neg or waiting other = positive, AK		
Responses to 2NT opening	pupp stayman, transfers;3S= both minors 3nt to play		

PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump	'S' Versus Suit	✓ = Both
Sequence leads:	Overlead all <input type="checkbox"/>	All except AK x (x) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Underlead <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: Ace for attitude, king for count	
Four or more with an honour	4th highest <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	attitude <input type="checkbox"/>
3rd/5th <input type="checkbox"/>	Other:	
From 4 small	2nd highest <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other:
From 3 cards (no honour)	top <input type="checkbox"/>	middle <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> bottom <input type="checkbox"/>
Signal on partner's lead:	high encourage <input type="checkbox"/>	low encourage <input type="checkbox"/>
Other:	natural count except hi enc on the A	
Signal on declarer's lead	natural count	
Discards	McKenney <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	high encourage <input type="checkbox"/> low encourage <input type="checkbox"/>
odd/even <input type="checkbox"/>	Other:	first discard McK style
Count	natural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	reverse <input type="checkbox"/>

CONVENTIONS

4NT:	Blackwood <input type="checkbox"/>	RKCB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other: 0314
4♣	Gerber <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	when? after NT only	Q ask =reply in steps

Other Conventions

cue first second round controls	Landy
crowhurst after 1nt/2nt rebids	5NT asks for number of outside K
	RKC in agreed or last bid nat suit.



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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

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Basic System:	4 card acol	Brown Sticker <input type="checkbox"/>
Classification:	Green <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Blue <input type="checkbox"/> Red <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow <input type="checkbox"/>



OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning				Canape <input type="checkbox"/>							
1♣	4	11	1♦	4	11	1♥	4	11	1♠	4	11
1 NT			12-14			may contain 5 card major			<input type="checkbox"/>		
2♣ Stayman:		simple <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		extended <input type="checkbox"/>		Other:					
Transfers		2♦ H		2♥ S		2♠		C super ac 2nt			
2 NT		D supr acc 3C		Other:		in major 3M=min; max bid 2nd suit or NT					
2♣		at least 8.5 PT Mjr; 9 minor or 23+balanced									
2♦		weak 6-10 non vul; 8-10 vul 2nt ask feature show									
2♥		weak " "									
2♠		weak " "									
2 NT		20-22 bal; can have 5cd major; puppet stayman									
3 NT		gambling minor									

PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through	4H	Responsive doubles through	4H
Jump overcalls	weak	Unusual NT	Lowest 2 unbid suits
1NT overcall (immediate)	15-18	(re-opening)	10-14
Immed cue of minor	both majors 5-5 shape		
Immed cue of major	other major and a minor 5-5 shape		
Over opponent's 1NT (weak)	2C=both majors; other nat; 2nt=minors X=pen		
Over opponent's 1NT (strong)	as above		
Over weak twos	X = TO lebensohl		
Over opening threes	x=TO		

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS				
Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning				
1♣	1♦	6+ 4+ D	2NT	10-12 or 16+ 4+D
	1♥/♠	6+ 4cd major+	3♣	distrib limit raise
	1NT	6-9 no 4 cd major	3♦	splinter
	2♣	6-9 raise	3♥	splinter
	2♦	splinter	3♠	splinter
	2♥	splinter	3NT	13-15 bal club raise
	2♠	splinter	4 bids	splinter
1♦	1♥/♠	6+ points; 4+ major	3♣	splinter
	1NT	6-9 no major	3♦	distrib limit raise
	2♣	natural 10 +	3♥	splinter
	2♦	6-9 4+ D	3♠	splinter
	2♥	splinter	3NT	13-15 bal raise
	2♠	splinter	4♦	
	2NT	10-12 or 16 + D raise	4 Other	splinter
1♥/♠	1NT	6-9	3♣	splinter
	2♣	natural 10+	3♦	splinter
	2♦	natural 10+	3♥/♠	distributional limit
	2♥/♠	6-9 single raise	3NT	13-15 flat raise
	2NT	10-12 or 16+ raise	4♣/♦	splinters
2♣	2♦	neg or waiting	2♥/♠	positive, AK 5cd suit
	other			
2♦	2♥	nat fcg	3♣/♦	3C= nat forcing
	2♠	nat fcg	3♥/♠	
	2NT	enquiry ; feature show	3NT	to play
2♥/♠	2NT	enquiry; feature show	3NT	to play
	3♣/♦	nat fcg	4♣/♦	
	3♥/♠	preemptive	4♥/♠	
2NT	3♣	puppet	4♣	gerber
	3♦	tfr H	4♦	
	3♥	tfr S	4♥	
	3♠	both minors	4♠	
	3NT	to play	other	

CONVENTIONS	
Additional responses to 1NT	
3♣/3♦	slam try sets suit
3♥/3♠	" "
4♣	gerber
4♦	
4♥	
4♠	
Unusual NT:	minors <input type="checkbox"/> other suits <input type="checkbox"/> lower 2 unbid suits <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
other	
Other slam bidding	
	Cue Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Asking Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4th Suit Forcing	One round <input type="checkbox"/> Game force <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
NT Checkback	Priorities up the line
Defence to 3NT opening	X= take out
Defence to opening Two's:	Multi 2♦ X immed 15+; after relay = opening hand
RCO style 2-s	
	doubles 1= values 2= take out -- 3= penalty
Other 2-s	
	if opps suits not known
	if suits known, first X= take out subsequent = penalty
Defence to strong ♣	
	X majors NT minors
Lebensohl	
	Over NT interference <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> after TO x of weak 2's
Other uses	
Take out of 4 level pre-empts	4♣/4♦ X= TO
4♥	X= TO
4♠	X=pen

OTHER NOTES	
3 suits bid over 1nt X= pen	
no neg free bids; no cue raise	
after a strong XX, next X= TO	
cue first and 2nd round controls	
after major suit agreement; 2nt, 3nt forcing	
they X our NT XX=fcg 2C shows 5cd minor; other = sys on	