

## BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit  forcing  Other: weak

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Jump shifts after minor opening weak 6M 3-6; slam interest if jump in om

Jump shifts after major opening Bergen

Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2D waiting

Responses to 2NT opening 3C puppet; tfrs to H/S; 3S relay to 3NT; 3NT weak 5/5ms

## PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit  = Both

Sequence leads: Overlead all  All except AK x (x)

Underlead  Other: except A asks for attitude, K for count

Four or more with an honour 4th highest  attitude

3rd/5th  Other:

From 4 small 2nd highest  Other: may be highest

From 3 cards (no honour) top  middle  bottom

Signal on partner's lead: high encourage  low encourage

Other:

Signal on declarer's lead Reverse count

Discards McKenney  high encourage  low encourage

odd/even  Other: at first discard only

Count natural  reverse

## CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood  RKCB  Other: 1430

4♣ Gerber  when?

### Other Conventions

Bergen & Jacoby

2C/D checkback



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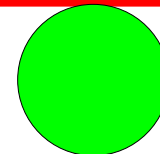
## STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

Names: Tony ONG Tina ZINES

ABF Nos: 46876 68497

Basic System: 2/1 GF mostly Brown Sticker

Classification: Green  Blue  Red  Yellow



## OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape

1♣ 10-20 2+ 1♦ 10-20 4+ 1♥ 10-20 5+ 1♠ 10-20 5+

1 NT 15-17 may contain 5 card major

2♣ Stayman: simple  extended  Other:

Transfers 2♦ Hs 2♥ Ss 2♠ Range probe

2 NT Ds Other: 3C puppet; 3M = s'ton, 3OM, 5/4 ms not GF

2♣ GF 23+ if bal

2♦ 3-8 6-card Major

2♥ 8-11 5 or 6 Hs

2♠ 8-11 5 or 6 Ss

2 NT 20-22

3 NT gambling - 7 solid minor no outside K

## 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 lower 2 suits

1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 10-14 + stopper

Immed cue of minor Michaels - both majors weak or strong

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Over opponent's 1NT (weak) X = pen; 2C = both Ms; 2D = 1M; 2M = 5M & 4+m; 2NT

Over opponent's 1NT (strong) same

Over weak twos X (over multi 2D X = t/o of Ss, 2H = t/o of Hs)

Over opening threes X

## RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning				
1♣	1♦	3+	2NT	12-15 no 4M
	1♥/♠	4+	3♣	pre-emptive
1NT		8-11 no 4M	3♦	splinter GF
2♣		5Cs 10-15	3♥	splinter GF
2♦		5Cs artificial, slam interest	3♠	splinter GF
2♥		weak 6 cards 3-6	3NT	
2♠		same	4 bids	4D/H/S to play
1♦	1♥/♠	4+	3♣	5Ds artificial, slam interest
1NT		5-11 no 4M	3♦	pre-emptive
2♣		4+, GF unless 3C rebid	3♥	splinter GF
2♦		6-11	3♠	splinter GF
2♥		weak 6 cards 3-6	3NT	
2♠		same	4♦	pre-emptive
2NT		12-15 no 4M	4 Other	to play
1♥/♠	1NT	5-10	3♣	4 Hs/Ss 6-9
	2♣	4+ GF unless 3C rebid	3♦	4 Hs/Ss 10-11 can bid on
	2♦	4+ GF unless 3D rebid	3♥/♠	4 Hs/Ss 3-6
	2♥/♠	3 trumps 5-9	3NT	4 Hs/Ss bal 12-14
	2NT	Jacoby	4♣/♦	splinter 9-13
2♣	2♦	waiting	2♥/♠	
	other			
2♦	2♥	p/c	3♣/♦	nf
	2♠	p/c	3♥/♠	p/c
	2NT	inquiry, invit +	3NT	to play
2♥/♠	2NT	inquiry	3NT	to play
	3♣/♦	nf	4♣/♦	splinter
	3♥/♠	invitational	4♥/♠	to play
2NT	3♣	puppet	4♣	6 Cs slam interest
	3♦	transfer to hearts	4♦	6 Ds slam interest
	3♥	transfer to spades	4♥	to play
	3♠	forces 3NT - to play or 4m slam int	4♠	to play
	3NT	weak 5-5 minors	other	

## CONVENTIONS

### Additional responses to 1NT

3♣/3♦	3C puppet; 3D 6+ Ds slam interest
3♥/3♠	s'ton H/S, 3 OM, 5/4 minors not GF
4♣	strong, demands cue
4♦	strong, demands cue
4♥	To play
4♠	To play

Unusual NT: minors  other suits  lower 2 unbid suits

other

### Other slam bidding

Cue Bids  Asking Bids

### 4th Suit Forcing

One round  Game force

### NT Checkback

Priorities up the line in the majors

### Defence to 3NT opening

X = penalty

### Defence to opening Two's:

Multi 2♦ 2H = t/o of Hs; X = t/o of spades

RCO style 2-s

X = 15+, not 15-18 bal

Other 2-s

X

### Defence to strong ♣

X = both Ms, 2/3/4C natural, 1NT = minors

### Lebensohl

Over NT interference

Other uses

over opps' natural weak twos

### Take out of 4 level pre-empts

4♣/4♦ X  
4♥ X 4♠ 4NT

## OTHER NOTES