## 4. BASIC RESPONSES Other: 4-9HCP FEDERATION INC. Jump raises - minors Inverted Other: Jump raises - Majors Preempt 2 level weak, 3 other m criss-cross, 3M = splinter Jump shifts after minor opening Jump shifts after Major opening 1 ♥-2 ★ WJS (not by passed hand), 3 level Bergen raises with 4 cd SUP Responses to strong 2 suit open. Points Range/Transfers/Shape Shows Responses to 2NT opening Muppet Stayman/Transfers **Show priorities** 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS Versus NoTrump (if different) Versus Suit (or both) Overlead, A or Q-ATT, K-Count Leads Sequences: Four or more with an honour 4th highest 2nd highest From 4 small From 3 cards (no honour) Middle In partner's suit as above **Discards** Low Encourage Low-High = Even Count Low Encourage **Signal** on partner's lead: on declarer's lead: Reverse count **Notes** Tens treated as honour for NT, small for suits **6. SLAM CONVENTIONS** Blackwood RKCB 1430 exc.C 4♣ Gerber Slam Notes Kickback predominantly Bruce Minorwood in a few specific auctions Cue Bids First and second indiscriminately Asking Bids 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS Jacoby Lebensohl Mod Puppet Stayman over 2NT rebid & overcall Support X/XX mini splinters cue ralse with values P1D2 Various Trial Bids Ghestem over Major 4NT opening: specific Ace ask Blackout - always 2S 3rd suit FG after 1m opening and 2m simple rebid www.abf.com.au Exclusion Keycard: Step1=1KC etc, return to trump suit with 0 PDF Form Rev. 13F21 by RoL MyRev. 20Jan14 Toxic/TWERB Kokish Kickback Exception is 2S which is non-touching two suiter. Copyright © ABF 2013 Good/Bad 2NT Leaping/non-leaping Michaels



## **AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE**



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ABF Nos.	159840	Christophe	r Quai	l				21/3
& Names:	177938	Jon Hunt						
Basic System	2/1 Game	Force 14-17NT						
Brown Sticker	Class	sification: G	reen [	X	Blue		Red	Yellow
		1. OP	ENI	NG	BIDS	}		
Describe strer	ngth, minimum	length, or spec	ific me	aning				Canape
1♣ (10)11-20	HCP 3+			1 (	(10)11-20	HCP 5	i+	
1 (10)11-20		1♠ (10)11-20HCP 5+						
<b>1NT</b> 14-17H					may contain 5 c	ard Major 🗶		
1NT Response	s 2 <b>4</b>			0	ther: 5 Ca	ard Ra	nge Ask	
2♦ TRF	:o <b>V</b>			2	TRF to	<b>*</b>		
2♥ TRF	:o <b>♠</b>			2NT	TRF to	<b>•</b>		
other 4♣TI	RF to ♥, 4♦T	RF to 🛧						
2♣ 21-22 HC	P BAL, 25+ E	Bal, or GF						
2♦ <12HCP	6+ <b>♥</b> or <b>♠</b>							
2 Rank - 5/	5+ majors OR	minors						
2♠ Colour - 5	5/5+ blacks Of	R reds						
<b>2NT</b> 23-24 H	CP BAL			3NT	4 Level N	∕linor p	reempt	
other								
		2. Pl	RE-	ALE	RTS			
Support X/XX				Gazi	lli after 1N	Major:	1NT	
NAMYATS				AQ for att K for count throughout				
Mini Splinters				Bids over OPPT 1NT O/C of our 1♣ or1♦				
	3.	COMPETITI	VE B	IDS	/ OVEF	RCAL	LLS	
Negative doubles	through 4	Jump over	calls V	/K				
Responsive doubl	es through 4	Unusual N	Γ ο	ver M:	ms; over	1m: lc	wer 5+/5+<9	HCP or GF
1NT overcall - imr	nediate 15-18	BHCP	Imme	diate cu	e of minor	Both	Ms 5+/5+<9H	ICP or GF
1NT overcall - re-	pening 11-14	HCP (FOC)	Imme	diate cu	e of Major	5+/5+	OM +Clubs <	9HCP or GF
Over weak twos	er open	ing threes	X for	T/O +non-lea	ping Michaels			
Over opponent's 1	NT TOXIC b	oid = next suit -	single s	suited,	OR follow	wing tv	vo suit suits a	t least 5/5.

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

1♣ 1♦	5+HCP 4+◆	2	Less than limit, 5+♣	3	SPL 10-14 HCP
1♥	5+HCP 4+♥	2	6+♥, 4-7HCP	3 <b>Y</b>	SPL 10-14 HCP
1♠	5+HCP 4+♠	2	6+♠, 4-7HCP	3 <b>♠</b>	SPL 10-14 HCP
1NT	5-10HCP	2NT	10-12HCP no 4 M	3NT	13-15HCP BAL no 4 M
2	11+HCP 5+, no 4 M	3 <b>-</b>	Premptive 5+♣, no 4 M	4	Bruce Minorwood
other					
1♦ 1♥	5+HCP 4+	2	6+♥, 4-7HCP	3	SPL10-14 HCP
1♠	5+HCP 4+	2	6+♠, 4-7HCP	3 <b>♠</b>	SPL10-14 HCP
1NT	5-10HCP	2NT	10-12HCP no 4 M	3NT	13-15HCP no 4 M
2	GF 5+ <b>♣</b>	3 <b>-</b>	Less than limit 5+◆	4	Splinter
2	11+HCP 5+♦, no 4 M	3	Premptive 5+, no 4 M	4	Bruce Minorwood
other					
1♥ 1♠	5+HCP 4+♠	2	5-10 HCP 3 (or 4333)	3	6-(8)9 HCP 4+♥ ***
1NT	5-11HCP	2	6+♠ 4-7 HCP ***	3 <b>Y</b>	PRE 4+♥
2	3 way** see below	2NT	GF raise, 4+ SUPP ***	3 <b>♠</b>	SPL (9-12)
2	GF 5+ <b>♦</b>	3 <b>-</b>	(8) 9-11 HCP 4+♥ ***	3NT	Bal 3 card raise, poor suit
other	4♣ and 4♦ SPL 9-12HCF	)			
1 <b>♠</b> 1NT	5-11HCP	2	5-10 HCP 3♠ (or 4333)	3	Inv 6+Good H ***
2♣	3Way** (see below)	2NT	GF raise, 4+ SUPP ***	3♠	PRE 4+♠
2	GF 5+ <b>♦</b>	3 <b>-</b>	(8) 9 -11 HCP 4+♠ ***	3NT	Bal 3 card raise, poor suit
2	5+♥ GF	3	6- (8)9 HCP 4+♠ ***	4	SPL 9-12HCP
other	4♦ and 4♥ SPL 9-12HCF	)			
1NT 3♣	5+/5+ ms INV	3	sing ♠ at least 5/4 ms	4	TRF to ♠
3	5+/5+ ms FG	3NT	to play	4 <b>\</b>	to play
3♥	sing ♥ at least 5/4 ms	4	TRF to ♥	4	to play
other					
2♣ 2♦	0-3HCP or 10+HCP	2NT	7-9 5+♣	3	7-9 5+♠
2	4-6HCP	3 <b>-</b>	7-9 5+♦	3 <b>♠</b>	7-9 5♦/4♣
2♠	7-9Bal/Semi Bal	3	7-9 5+♥	3NT	7-9 5♠/4♥
other					
2♦ 2♥	P/C	3♣	NAT, INV	3 <b>♠</b>	P/C
	P/C (shows better ♥)		NAT, INV		to play
	STR enquiry	3	P/C	4	asks part to TRF to their
	4♦ asks partner to bid the	ir N/	4 M D/O		_

\*\*\* 4 card Maj raise by PH 2M+1 9-11 Shortage, 2M+2 6-8Shortage, 2M+3 9-11 No Shortage 2M+4 6-8 No Shortage

<b>2</b>	2.	Natural F1	2 📥	P/C	ZNIT	to play
2		STR enquiry	•	P/C	-	P/C
		P/C	3	P/C		P/C
	other	4♦ P/C, 4♠ P/C				
2	2NT	STR enquiry	3♥	P/C	4 <b>♣</b>	P/C
	3♣	P/C	<b>3♠</b>	P/C	<b>4</b>	P/C
	3	P/C	3NT	to play	4	P/C
	other	4♦ P/C				
2NT	3 <b>-</b>	Muppet Stayman	3 <b>^</b>	Minor suit Stayman	4	Sets ♦ Bruce Minorwood
	3◆	Transfer to ♥	3NT	to play	<b>4</b>	P/C
	3 <b>Y</b>	Transfer to ♠	4	Sets 🌩 Bruce Minorwood	4	P/C
	other					
		9	. C	ONVENTIONS		
Unu	sual	NT: ms over 1M		after 1m shows	lowe	suits
4th	Suit	Forcing One round	1			Game force

Unusuai N i	ms over 1M	after 1m shows lower suits				
4th Suit Fo	cing One round	Game force	X			
NT Checkb	ack Priorities: 2 way che	ckback incl after 1X-1Y-1Z; features up the line				
<b>Defence to 3NT opening</b> DBL=values, 4♣ T/O better ♥,4♦ T/O better ♠,						
<b>Defence to Opening Twos</b> X=15+, NAT overcalls, 2NT=15-18 with MUPP STAY and TRF						
Multi 2	X=15+ with Lebensohl 3M = std	opper ask				
RCO style 2-s	X=15 +with Lebensohl					
Other 2-s	X=15+, 2 anchor T/O, NAT ove	realle				
011101 2 0	X=101, 2 dilollol 1/0, 14/11 0VC	Icalis				
	♣: Wonder bids at 1 level, Toxic					
	,					
Defence 1	♣ : Wonder bids at 1 level, Toxic		n is			
Defence 1 to strong 2	♣ : Wonder bids at 1 level, Toxic	1NT to 2♠, 3 level PRE  or following two suit suits at least 5/5. Exceptio	n is			

**Lebensohl - other uses** over weak 2s

X Take out of 4 level pre-empts **4♣/4**♦ **4♥** X 4**♠** 4NT

## **10. OTHER NOTES**

TOXIC (TWERB) over opponents's 1NT /Strong 1♣/2C: bid = next suit - single suited, or following two suit suits at least 5/5. Exception is 2S which is non-touching two suiter.

Played from the two level up

1-2-3 style after pen DBL of 1NT, T/O DBL of weak twos or RDBL of opp's T/O DBL at 1 level

Short Minor Major General Trials

1M 1NT 2NT GF 1 ♦ 1NT 2 ₹ F1 1 ♦ 1NT 2NT inv 1 ₹ 1NT 2NT Inv

(1x)- P-(1y)-1NT = 2 suited T/O (5+/5+)