4. BASIC RESPONSES wesk, inverted minor raises FEDERATION INC. Jump raises - minors Jump raises - Majors Bergen Jump shifts after minor opening Natural weak at 2 level Bergen, 2♠ weak, natural, 3♥ splinter Jump shifts after Major opening Responses to strong 2 suit open. 2♦ Negative, others transfer response, positive Responses to 2NT opening 3♣, 3♦ to play, 3♥, 3♠ one round force 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS **Show priorities** Versus Suit (or both) Versus **NoTrump** (if different) Sequences: Overlead underlead interior sequences (9 or 10) Leads Four or more with an honour 4th highest 2nd highest From 4 small MUD From 3 cards (no honour) In partner's suit Standard Discards odds and evens on 1st discard Count reverse attitude **Signal** on partner's lead: Low encourage **Signal** on declarer's lead: reverse count odd encouraging on first discard, even McKenny 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS Blackwood X 4♣ Gerber X when? After NT opening or rebid **Slam Notes** Shows 1st or second round control Cue Bids Asking Bids Minorwood 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS 4NT opening specific Ace ask Good/Bad 2NT after interference Lebensohl Kokish www.abf.com.au PDF Form Rev. 15F06 by RoL MyRev. 23/03/2017 Copyright © ABF 2015





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| Basic System: Two | Over One |) | | | | | |
| Brown Sticker | Classifica | ation: Gree | n 🗶 | Blue | | Red | Yellow |
| | | 1. OPE | NING | BIDS | | | |
| Describe strength, min | imum leng | th, or specific | meaning | | | | Canape |
| 1♣ 3+ 11-20 hcp | | | 1♥ | 5+ 11-20 |) hcp | | |
| 1♦ 3+, 11-20 hcp | | | 1♠ | 5+ 11-20 |) hcp | | |
| 1NT 15-17 | | | | | | may contain 5 ca | ard Major 🗶 |
| 1NT Responses 2♣ | Stayman | | | | | | |
| 2♦ transfer to • | • | | 2♠ | range cl | heck, l | Baron | |
| 2♥ transfer to € | | | 2NT | transfer | r to 3¶ | • or 3 ♦ | |
| other 3♣ Puppet S | tayman, 3 | 8 ♦ , 3 ♥ , 3 ♠ n | atural, sla | am intere | est | | |
| 2♣ 20+ balanced. | or 81/2 tric | cks | | | | | |
| 2♦ 23-24 balanced | or weak | two in a maj | or or 8 pl | aying tric | ks in a | a minor | |
| 2♥ weak, 5+ hearts, | 5(4)+ oth | er | | | | | |
| 2♠ weak, 5+ spade | s, 4+ in aı | nother | | | | | |
| 2NT weak, both min | nors | | 3NT | Gamblin | g | | |
| other | | | | | | | |
| | | 2. PRE | E-ALE | RTS | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| 2♣ respone to ma | jor openir | ng may be | | | | | |
| three card raise, 10 |)-12 hcp | | | | | | |
| | 3. CON | IPETITIVE | E BIDS | / OVER | RCAL | LS | |
| Negative doubles through | 4♥ | Jump overcalls | weak | | | | |
| Responsive doubles through | 4♥ | Unusual NT | 1NT N | atural, 2ľ | NT two | o suits | |
| 1NT overcall - immediate | 15-18 | lı | mmediate cu | e of minor | both | majors | |
| 1NT overcall - re-opening | 15-18 | lı | mmediate cu | e of Major | other | major + a ı | minor |
| Over weak twos X for to | akeout wit | th values | Over open | ing threes | X for | takeout (va | ılues) |
| Over opponent's 1NT 2♣ | majors, 2 | one majo | r, 2 V & 29 | suit + n | minor | | |
| 2NT transfer to clu | os (poss. | second suit) | , 3♣ tran | sfer to dia | amon | ds, poss se | cond suit |
| Over strong NT (15+) double shows 5+minor 4 card major | | | | | | | |

8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

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| 1♣ 1♦ | 6+ HCP (4+ D) | 2 | 7-9 hcp, 4+ clubs | 3 | Splinter |
| 1♥ | 6+HCP (4+H) | 2 | 6+♥ <7 hcp | 3 Y | Splinter |
| 1♠ | 6+HCP (4+S) | 2♠ | 6+ ♠ <7hcp | 3♠ | Splinter |
| 1NT | 6-11HCP(No 4cMajor) | 2NT | 11-12 HCP,3-3-4-3 | 3NT | 13-14HCP support |
| 2♣ | 10+HCP, 4+ clubs, F | 3♣ | 3-6 HCP, 5+ clubs | 4♣ | Preemptive |
| other | | | | | |
| 1♦ 1♥ | 6+HCP (4+H) | 2 | 6+♥ (weak) | 3 💙 | Splinter |
| 1♠ | 6+HCP (4+S) | 2♠ | 6+♠(weak) | 3♠ | Splinter |
| 1NT | 6-1HCP (No 4c Major) | 2NT | 11-12 hcp 3-3-3-4 | 3NT | 12-14HCP (D support) |
| 2♣ | 4-5 Clubs 10+HCP | 3 ♣ | 7-9 HCP, 5+ diamonds | 4♣ | Splinter |
| 2 | 10+HCP, 4+ D Forcing | 3 | 3-6 HCP, 5+ diamonds | 4 | Preemptive |
| other | | | | | |
| 1♥ 1♠ | 6+HCP 4+S | 2 | 5-10HCP 3C support | 3 | 9-11 HCP(4♥support) |
| 1NT | 6-11HCP (No 4S) | 2♠ | 6+♠, 3-7 hcp | 3 | 3-5HCP (4♥ support |
| 2♣ | ♥ game try or natural | 2NT | 15+HCP (4+H sup) | 3 ♠ | Splinter |
| 2 | 4-5 D (11+HCP) | 3 ♣ | 6-8HCP 4C sup | 3NT | 12-14HCP (4♥ sup) |
| other | | | | | |
| 1 ♠ 1NT | 6-11 HCP) | 2♠ | 5-10HCP 3♠ | 3 💙 | splinter raise, 10-13 |
| 2 | | 2NT | 15+HCP(4+ ♠) | 3♠ | 3-6HCP(4♠ sup) |
| 2 | 4-5♦ 10+ HCP | 3 ♣ | 6-8(9)HCP (4 ♠) | 3NT | 12-14HCP(4 ★ sup) |
| 2 | 5+♥(11+HCP) | 3◆ | 9-11HCP(4♠) | 4 ♣ | Splinter |
| other | | | | | |
| 1NT 3♣ | Puppet Stayman | 3♠ | Game values slam try | 4 | |
| 3 | Game values,slam try | 3NT | To play | 4 | |
| 3 Y | Game values slam try | 4♣ | Gerber | 4 | |
| other | | | | | |
| 2♣ 2♦ | Negative | 2NT | Positive 5+♣ | 3 💙 | 6+ cards,2 top honour |
| 2 | Positive, 5+♠ | 3♣ | Positive 5+♦ | 3 ♠ | 6+ cards,2 top honour |
| 2♠ | Positive, balanced | 3 | Positive 5+♥ | 3NT | |
| other | | | | | |
| 2♦ 2♥ | Correctable | 3♣ | To play | 3 ♠ | correctable |
| 2 | Correctable | 3 | To Play | 3NT | To Play |
| 2NT | Strong enquiry | 3 | Correctable | 4 - | • |
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| 3♣ | to play | 3♠ | natural, forcing | 4 | | |
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| 2♠ 2N | T Enquiry | 3 | to play | 4♣ | | |
| 3♣ | to play | 3♠ | preemptive | 4 ♥ | | |
| 3 | to play | 3NT | to play | 4 | | |
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| 2NT 3 ♣ | to play | 3♠ | Natural, forcing | 4 | Invitational | |
| 3 | to play | 3NT | To Play | 4 | | |
| 3 | Natural, forcing | 4♣ | Invitational | 4 | | |
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| 9. CONVENTIONS | | | | | | |
| Unucual NT: Minore | | | | | | |

| Unusual N | NT: | Minors | | | | |
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| 4th Suit F | orc | ng One round | Game force X | | | |
| NT Check | bac | k X Priorities: | | | | |
| Defence t | 18 o | IT opening double values, 4♣ for the majors | | | | |
| Defence t | ю О | pening Twos If natuiral first X T/O, 2nd X Penalty | | | | |
| Multi 2◆ | | X Values, then t/o, then penalty | | | | |
| RCO style 2 | 2-s | X Values, then t/o, then penalty | | | | |
| Other 2-s | X Values, then t/o, then penalty | | | | | |
| Defence | 14 | : X for Majors NT for minors | | | | |
| to | | | | | | |
| strong | 24 | : X for Majors NT for minors | | | | |
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Over 1NT Interference X T/O Values, Lebensohl

Lebensohl - other uses Only after interference over our 1NT opening

 Take out of 4 level pre-empts
 4♣/4♦
 double

4♥ Double 4♠ 4NT

10. OTHER NOTES

A positive response to our 2♣ opening needs 7+hcp including at least two controls

2♣ response to 1♥ or 1♠ may be near opening, three card raise.

2NT in competitive auction has several alternatives, mostly weak