BASIC RESPONSES


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## STANDARD SYSTEM CARD



| COMPETITIVE BIDDING |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Negative doubles through | $4 \vee$ Res | onsive double |  | 4 |
| Jump overcalls Weak | Unusual NT Lowest Unbid Suits |  |  |  |
| 1NT overcall (immediate) | 15-18 | (re-opening) | 11-14 |  |
| Immed cue of minor | Majors |  |  |  |
| Immed cue of major | Major + Minor |  |  |  |
| Over opponent's 1NT (weak) | 2c Hearts and another, 2d Spades and another, X Pe |  |  |  |
| Over opponent's 1NT (strong) | As above, Ditto |  |  |  |
| Over weak twos | $x$ T/O no lebensohl |  |  |  |
| Over opening threes | x T/O |  |  |  |

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

| 14 | 1 | 4+ | 2NT | 10-11 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 $1 / 1$ | 4+ | 3 | 6-9 5+e |
|  | 1NT | 6-10 | 3 | Splinter |
|  | 2* | 10+ 5+ | 3 | Splinter |
|  | 2 | 0-5 6+ | 3 | Splinter |
|  | 2* | 0-5 6+ | 3NT | 12-14 |
|  | 2 | 0-5 6+ | 4 bids |  |
| 1 | $1 \mathrm{~V} / \stackrel{1}{ }$ | 4+ | 3 | 0-5 6+ |
|  | 1NT | 6-10 | 3 | 6-9 5+ |
|  | 2* | $4+10+$ | 3 | Splinter |
|  | 2 | 10+4+ | 3 | Splinter |
|  | 2- | 0-5 6+ | 3NT | 12-14 |
|  | 2 | 0-5 6+ | 4 | Weak |
|  | 2NT | 10-11 | 4 Other |  |
| 1 $1 / 1$ | 1NT | 6-11 | 3 | 6-10 4+ raise |
|  | 2* | GF natural | 3 | 10-11 4+ raise |
|  | 2 | GF natural | 3-14 | Weak <6 |
|  | 2-1 | 6-9 3 (or 4333) | 3NT | 12-15 4333 |
|  | 2NT | GF raise usually 4 support | 4** | Splinter |
| 2 | 2 | Neg or waiting | $2 \uparrow / 4$ | Natural 8+ |
|  | other |  |  |  |
| 2 | 2 | pass or correct | 3** | 3c NF, 3d forcing |
|  | 2 | pass or correct | 3-14 | pass or correct |
|  | 2NT | strong inquiry | 3NT | To play |
| 2 $/ 1$ | 2NT | game try | 3NT | To play |
|  | 3** | Nat. forcing | 4** | Splinter |
|  | 3 $1 / 4$ | To play | 4-1/ | To play |
| 2NT | 3* | Puppet Stayman | 4 | Slam try |
|  | 3 | Transfer | 4 | Slam try |
|  | $3 \times$ | Transfer | 4 | Slam try |
|  | 3 | Minors | 4 | Slam try |
|  | 3NT | To play | other |  |

CONVENTIONS

## Additional responses to 1NT

| 3 | Nat. slam try |
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| 4 | Nat. slam try |
| 4 | Transfer to hearts |
| 4 | Transfer to spades |
| 4 | To play |

Unusual NT: minors $\square \quad$ other suits $\square \quad$ lower 2 unbid suits $\square$
other

| Other slam bidding | Cue Bids $\square$ | Asking Bids $\quad \square$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4th Suit Forcing | One round $\quad \square$ |  | Game force |
| NT Checkback $\square$ | Priorities Up the line |  |  |
| Defence to 3NT opening |  |  |  |
| Defence to opening Two's: | Multi 2 ${ }^{\text {- }}$ x14+ |  |  |

RCO style 2-s

Other 2-s

| Defence to strong ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 1nt minors, x majors |
| :---: | :---: |
| Lebensohl | Over NT interference $\quad \square$ |
| Other uses No |  |
| Take out of 4 level pre-empts | 4* X |
|  | X 4* 4NT |

## OTHER NOTES

