

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors	limit <input type="checkbox"/>	forcing <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: Value 4-5 tr No sh 7-11
Jump raises - majors	limit <input type="checkbox"/>	forcing <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: Value 4-5 tr No sh. 7-11
Jump shifts after minor opening	shortages		
Jump shifts after major opening	shortages		
Responses to strong 2 suit opening	Step=negative or waiting		
Responses to 2NT opening	3C=Puppet tfr 3S=2m		

PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump	'S' Versus Suit	✓ = Both
Sequence leads:	Overlead all <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All except AK x (x) <input type="checkbox"/>
	Underlead <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: _____
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	low encourage <input type="checkbox"/>
	Other: MOSTLY NATURAL COUNT	
Signal on declarer's lead	Mostly count, mckenny if the count is known	
Discards	McKenney <input type="checkbox"/>	high encourage <input type="checkbox"/> low encourage <input type="checkbox"/>
	odd/even <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: Mostly Count
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?	over 1NT also 4D=55M no slam

Other Conventions



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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

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Basic System:	Goren 4 Card suits Strong NT	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 12+ if flat	1♦	4+	1♥	4+	1♠	4+
1 NT	"15-17"				may contain 5 card major <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
2♣ Stayman:	simple <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	extended <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: _____				
Transfers	2♦ H	2♥ S	2♣ C				
2 NT	D	Other: 3X = slamtry in X					
2♣	flat or C's any game force [2NT & 3C rebid droppable]						
2♦	Diamonds, Forcing 2H negative 3D only droppable rebid						
2♥	Hearts, Forcing						
2♠	Spades Forcing						
2 NT	"20-22" flat						
3 NT	Solid Minor only						

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

All single jumps opposite a bidder are splinters.	Change of suit opposite overcall non-forcing.
Low Level Cue-bids only agree partners suit if a	step negatives over all two openings
negative double is available	

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through	4s	Responsive doubles through	4s
Jump overcalls	weak	Unusual NT	minors always
1NT overcall (immediate)	"16-18"	(re-opening)	typically 10-13 cld be any
Immed cue of minor	michaels		
Immed cue of major	michaels		
Over opponent's 1NT (weak)	2C=2M 2D=1M 2H=H&m 2S=S&m		
Over opponent's 1NT (strong)	as above		
Over weak twos	X and 2NT opposite = baron 0-25hcp		
Over opening threes	X		

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning					
1♣	1♦	usually 5+ usually strong	2NT	flat game force usly no 4M	
	1♥/♠	4+	3♣	4-5 clubs 7-11	
	1NT	4+D NonForcing	3♦	natural nonforcing	
	2♣	3-4 clubs 6-11	3♥	natural nonforcing	
	2♦	shortages	3♠	as above	
	2♥		3NT	some gamble eg Qx Kx Jxx Qxxxx	
	2♠		4 bids	Natural used freely Dble next =QTrs	
1♦	1♥/♠	4+	3♣	splinter	
	1NT	4+C's non-forcing	3♦	4-5 d"s 7-11 hcp	
	2♣	5+forcing 3C rebid terminal	3♥	Natural weak	
	2♦	3-4D's 6-11 hcp	3♠	Natural weak	
	2♥	Splinter	3NT	some gamble	
	2♠	Splinter	4♦	Natural Non-Forcing	
	2NT	Flat game force	4 Other	4C=gerber 4M - terminal	
1♥/♠	1NT	natural non-forcing	3♣	game force raise 15+	
	2♣	forcing, terminal if rebid	3♦	splinter	
	2♦	as above	3♥/♠	value raise/natural nonf	
	2♥/♠	3card raise 7-11/nf/splinter	3NT	some gamble	
	2NT	flat game force	4♣/♦	natural	
2♣	2♦	negative/waiting	2♥/♠	2/3 top H or Wild shape	
	other				
2♦	2♥	negative	3♣/♦	2/3 top H or Big shape/ raise Hxx+	
	2♠	2/3 top H or wild	3♥/♠	splinter less than +	
	2NT	A, K or Q in allo side suits	3NT	unlikely	
2♥/♠	2NT	as above/negative	3NT		
	3♣/♦	2/3 top H or Big shape	4♣/♦	splinters	
	3♥/♠	Hxx+/2/3 top H or big shape	4♥/♠	No A, K, sing or void 3-4t/terminal	
2NT	3♣	Puppet	4♣	D slam interest (4NT declines)	
	3♦	H	4♦	C slam interest (4NT declines)	
	3♥	S	4♥	Terminal	
	3♠	both m slam interest	4♠	Terminal	
	3NT	terminal	other	4NT = Quantitative 5NT=Baron	

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to 1NT

3♣/3♦	Slam try in bid suit
3♥/3♠	slam try in bid suit
4♣	gerber
4♦	55M No slam
4♥	terminal
4♠	terminal

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

Defence to 3NT opening 4c=h another 4d=s m

Defence to opening Two's: Multi 2♦ 1st two doubles t-out over all

RCO style 2-s as above

Other 2-s as above

Defence to strong ♣ two=level same as over 1NT, 1NT 2NT minors

Lebensohl Over NT interference

Other uses no

Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4♣/4♦ x

4♥ x 4♠ x

OTHER NOTES

Good Luck