4. BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors Weak Jump raises - Majors Weak Jump shifts after minor opening Tra Jump shifts after Major opening Ste Responses to strong 2 suit open. 2D Responses to 2NT opening Sta

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Transfers, Weak, Raises Step Raises 2D = Waiting, Kokish Relay Stayman, Transfers, Piyots

Responses to 2NT opening	Stayman,	Transfers	, Pivots			
	5. PLA	Y CO	NVEN	TIONS	Sho	ow priorities
	Versus Sui			Versus		(if different)
Leads Sequences:	Overlead			Overle	ad	
Four or more with an honour	3rd/5th			3rd/5th		
From 4 small	3rd			3rd		
From 3 cards (no honour)	3rd			3rd		
In partner's suit	Top, Low, 3rd	ł		Top, Lo	w, 3rd	
Discards	Reverse Cou	nt - Some	e Rev Att			
Count	Reverse Cou	nt				
Signal on partner's lead:	Reverse Cou	nt				
Signal on declarer's lead:	Reverse Cou	nt - Subs	equent Su	it Preferer	ice	
Notes T/9 leads: Ter	ns promise the	9 and a	higher hor	nour or a S	hortage.	
Nines promise the ten	and no highe	r honour	or a shorta	age		
Underlead for unblock	(
	6. SLA	мсо	NVEN	TIONS		
4NT: Blackwood F	RKCB 1430	44	Gerber	when?		
Slam Notes						
Cue Bids X 1st and	d 2nd round co	ontrols				
Asking Bids						
	7. OTH	ER CO	DNVEN		S	
Fit Showing Jumps In	comp		Fourth S	uit Forcing		
Splinters			Two Way	Checkba	ck	
Simple Drury			Blackout			
Serious 3NT			Mod Gaz	illi		
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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

ABF Nos.	656658	Peter Hollands		
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Basic System:	2 Over 1, S	Split Ranges		
Brown Sticker	Class	<u>sification:</u> Green	Blue	Red X Yellow
		1. OPEN	ING BIDS	S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S
Describe stren	gth, minimum	length, or specific n	neaning	Canape
1♣ 1+ 11-14	4 Bal OR 4+	Unbal	1♥ 5+♥, (9)) 11+ points
1+ 18-19) Bal OR 4+	Unbal	1♠ 5+ ♠, (9) 11+ points
1NT 14+-17				may contain 5 card Major 🛛 🗙
1NT Responses	2 & Simpl	e Stayman		
2 Hearts	3		2 A Range I	Probe OR GF Clubs
2♥ Spade	es		2NT WK CI	ubs OR GF Diamonds
other				
24 Gamefo	rcing			
2 Vul = Wea	ak 2. Not Vul	= 4+ \ , 4+ \ weal	x 1st/2nd. 4+♦,4	4+♥ 3rd. Intermediate 4th
2♥ Vul = Wea	ak 2. Not Vul	= 4+♥, 4+♠ wea	k 1st/2nd. Wea	k 2 3rd. Intermediate 4th
2 Weak 2				
20-22 E	Bal		3NT 6-5 min	nors 11-15
other				
		2. PRE	-ALERTS	
Transfer Res	ponses to 1C	;	2's vary in s	eat and vulnerability
Transfers in c	competition		May Respo	nd Very Light
1C either any	11-14 bal or	Unbal Clubs	1D either ar	ny 18-19 bal or unbal Diamond
	3. C	OMPETITIVE	BIDS / OVER	RCALLS
Negative doubles t	hrough 7	S Jump overcalls	Weak	
Responsive double	s through 7	S Unusual NT	Lowest Unbid S	Suits
1NT overcall - imm	ediate 15-1	8 Imi	mediate cue of minor	Both Majors 5-5
1NT overcall - re-o	pening 12-1	6 Imi	mediate cue of Major	Michael's
Over weak twos	X = Takeout	, lebensohl	Over opening threes	X = Takeout, lebensohl
Over opponent's 1	2C = Bc	oth Majors, 2D = S	Strong 1 Major, 2	2H/S= Natural

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			-	- ·		-
1♣ 1	•		2�		3🔶	
1	۷	7	2 💙		3 💙	
1	A	No Major or +M GF	2	GF 🔶 Unbal	3	
1	NT	10-12 Bal	2NT	8-11 5+ 🙅	3NT	13-15 bal
2	-	GF 5+♣	3♣	0-7 5+ 🛧	4	N/A
ot	ther					
1 1	۷	4+ ♥, 0+ points	2 💙	Weak 3-7 6¥	3 💙	Splinter
1	٨	4+ ♠ , 0+ points	2	Weak 3-7 6🛧	3	Splinter
1	NT	(0) 5-10 points	2NT	10-12	3NT	13-15 bal
2	-	4+ 🛧, 11+ points	3♣	8-11 5+♦	4	Splinter
2	•	GF 4+ 🔶	3�	0-7 5+ 🔶	4�	N/A
ot	ther					
1♥ 1	٨	4+ ♠, 0+ points	2 💙	5-9 3♥	3�	10-12 3 💙
	NT	0-12	2	Unspecified Splinter	3♥	0-6 4 🧡
	-	Artificial Game Force	-	4+♥ 10+ points		Unspecified Splinter
		Nat Unbalanced GF		6-9 4 🧡		Void 🛧
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1 1	NT	0-12	2	5-9 3♠	3♥	3 • 10-12 points
2	-	Artificial Game Force	2NT	Unspecified Splinter		4+ ♠ 0-6
2		Nat Unbalanced GF		4+ ♠ 10+ points	3NT	Unspecified splinter
2	V	Nat Unbalanced GF		4+♠ 6-9 points		Void 🛧
ot	ther				-	
1NT 3	*	Forces 3	3	13(54) GF	4	6+ ♥ GF
-	-	5/5 minors Slam try		To Play		6+ ♠ GF
		31(54) GF		5/5 Majors GF	-	Quant (233)5
	ther	- (-) -	1-7-		1010	
2 🏶 2	•	Waiting	2NT	N/A	3♥	N/A
-	V	6+ ♥ 2 of top 3	3♣		3	N/A
		6+ 🛧 2 of top 3		6+ ♦ 2 of top 3		N/A
	ther		U I		0.11	
2 2	•	NV= NF, Vul= Inquiry	34	NV= NF, Vul=F	3♠	Preemptive
2		NV=NF, Vul= Nat F	3♦	To Play	3NT	To Play
2	2NT	NV=Inquiry, Vul = 🎔	3 💙	Preemptive	4	Preemptive
	ther					
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2 A NV= To play, V=Inq 3 NV= NF, V= F 3NT To Play 2NT NV= Inq, V= Spades 3 To Play 4 Preemptive 3 NV= NF, V= F 3 Preemptive 4 Preemptive 3 NV= NF, V= F 3 Preemptive 4 Preemptive 3 forcing 3 To Play 4 To Play 4 forcing 3 To Play 4 6+ 3 5+ 3NT To Play 4 6+ 4 5/5 Majors <th></th>						
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to						
strong 2♣ : X = Majors, 1NT = minors						
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Over 1NT Interference X = Takeout, lebensohl						
Lebensohl - other uses over 3C X, over weak 2's						
Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4♣/4♦ X						
$4 \checkmark X$ $4 \bigstar X$						
10. OTHER NOTES Point Count's are a loose description						

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