

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

| 16 | 1* | 6+hcp's | 2NT | 10-12 hcp's 3,3,3,4 |
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|  | 19/4 | 6+hcp's | 30 | 10-12 4 card suit |
|  | 1NT | 6-9hcp's | 3 | splinter |
|  | 2 | 6-9hcp's | 37 | splinter |
|  | 2* | 6+*'s less than 6 hcp's | 31 | splinter |
|  | 27 | 6+ ${ }^{(1)}$ 's less than 6 hcp's | 3NT | 13-15 |
|  | 24 | 6+ ${ }^{\text {c }}$ 's less than 6 hcp's | 4 bids | 40's=RKCB |
| $1 *$ | 19/4 | 6+hcp's | 3 |  |
|  | 1NT | 6-9hcp's | 3 | 10-12 4 card suit |
|  | 26 | 10+ hcp's | 37 | splinter |
|  | 2 | 6-9 | 31 | splinter |
|  | 2 | 6+ ${ }^{+}$'s less than 6 hcp's | 3 NT | 13-15 flat |
|  | 2. | 6+\$'s less than 6 hcp's | 4 | RKCB |
|  | 2NT | 10-12 fat | 4 Other | 4 = splinter |
| 19/4 | 1NT | 6-9 hcp's | 3 | Mini/ Maxi Splinters |
|  | 20 | 4+ e's, 10+ | 3) | Mini/ Maxi Splinters |
|  | 2* | $4+$ 's, 10+ | 3\%/4 | Mini/ Maxi Splinters |
|  | 2\%/4 | 6-9hcp's | 3NT | 13-15 hcp's 3,4,3,3 |
|  | 2NT | 16-18 | 40/4 | splinter intermediate |
| 26 | 2* | 0-4 hcp's or 8+ | 2V/4 | 5-7 hcp's |
|  | other | 2NT/3/3-5-7 hcp's |  |  |
| 2* | 2 | Correctable | 3/4 | to play |
|  | 2. | Correctable | 3\%/4. | Correctable pre-emptive |
|  | 2NT | forcing for 1 round | 3NT | to play |
| 2\%/4 | 2NT | forcing for 1 round | 3NT | To Play |
|  | 3/4 | Correctable | 40/4 | Correctable |
|  | 3\%/4 | Correctable | 4V/s | To Play |
| 2NT | 36 | Lavings | 45 | RKCB |
|  | 3 | transfer | 4* | RKCB |
|  | 34 | transfer | 4 | To Play |
|  | 34 | 54/4 | $4{ }^{4}$ | To Play |
|  | 3 NT | 5/5 minors | other |  |

## Additional responses to 1 NT

| 3 | $5+$ slam invitation |
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| $34 / 3$ | $5+$ slam invitation |
| 4 | Gerber |
| 4 | RKCB |
| 4 | To Play |
| 4 | To Play |

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



## OTHER NOTES

1 NT followed by 2 NT response=strong two suite
$1 \mathrm{NT} \times X X=$ minors, $2 \mathbf{s} / 2 \vartheta / 24$, natural
LEBENSOHL- Slowshows
3NT Specific Ace ask


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| 19 | 1* | 4+5+hcp's | 2NT | 11 hcp's flat no 4 card M |
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|  | 19/4 | 4+5+hcp's | 3 | limit raise 5+ ${ }^{\text {cos, }} 4$ card M |
|  | 1NT | 6-10hcp's no 4 card major | 3 | splinter |
|  | 24 | weak | 34 | splinter |
|  | 2 | 6+४'s less than 6 hcp's | 34 | splinter |
|  | 2 | 6+\%'s less than 6 hcp's | 3NT | 12-15 flat, no 4 card M |
|  | 24 | 6+2's less than 6 hcp's | 4 bids | 4's=RKCB |
| 1* | 19/4 | 4+5+hcp's | 3 |  |
|  | 1NT | 6-10hcp's no 4 card major | 3 | limit raise 4+ ४'s, 4 card M |
|  | 20 | 10+ hcp's | 34 | splinter |
|  | 2 | weak | 34 | splinter |
|  | 2 | 6+*'s less than 6 hcp's | 3NT | 12-15 flat no 4 card M |
|  | 21 | 6+2's less than 6 hcp's | 4 | RKCB |
|  | 2NT | 11 hcp's flat, 4 card M | 4 Other | 40 = splinter |
| 1 1 / 1 | 1NT | 6-10 hcp's | 34 | 4 card support, 6-9hcp's |
|  | 26 | 4+ \$'s, 10+ | 3 | 4 card support, 10-11hcp's |
|  | 2* | 4+-'s, 10+ | $3 \% / 4$ | 4 card support 0-5hcps |
|  | 2\%/4 | 3 card support, 6-10hcp's | 3NT |  |
|  | 2NT | 12+4 card support,16+3cd sup | 4*/ | splinter |
| 26 | 2) | 0-7 hcp's | 24/4 | positive, 5 card suit |
|  | other | 2NT - 8+hcp's no 5 card suit |  |  |
| 2 | 2 | relay | 3/1 | to play |
|  | 21 | pass or correct | 3\%/4 | pre-emptive |
|  | 2NT | forcing | 3NT | to play |
| 2\%/4 | 2NT | Relay | 3NT | To Play |
|  | 3\% | to play | 4*/ |  |
|  | 3\%/4 | Pre-emptive | 4Y/ | To Play |
| 2NT | 3 | To Play | 4 | RKCB |
|  | 3 | To Play | 4 | RKCB |
|  | 34 | Good suit Invitational | 4 | To Play |
|  | 3. | Good suit Invitational | 4. | To Play |
|  | 3NT | To Play | other |  |

CONVENTIONS

## Additional responses to 1 NT

| $3 / 3$ | slaminvitation |
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| $3 / 34$ | slaminvitation |
| 4 | RKCB |
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| 4 | To Play |
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| RCO style 2-s | as above |
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| Other 2-s | as above |


| Defence to strong | (or club with $\mathrm{O}^{+}$) $1 \mathrm{NT}=$ Majors, $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ minors, , $2=$ blacks, $2=$ reds |
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|  |  |
| Lebensohl | Over NT interference $\quad$ X of artificial 2\%=stayman - lavings applies |

Other uses over opponents weak 2's - X - then 2NT = Leb showing 0-7hcp's:

| Take out of 4 level pre-empts | $4 * / 4$ | Optional $X$ |
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| 4 | $X=$ optional | $4 N T=T / O X=$ penalties |

## OTHER NOTES

Lavings $3^{2}=$ Baron, 3 =stayman. Jac2NT-any other suit=shortage, $3 \mathrm{~N}=14-16,3^{\vee}=17+$ then cue on

Count when leading P's suit.
RKCB: Q ask = yes plus number of kings - same with 5NT King ask
Super accepts with 4+max only
PLAY 2nd HIGHEST against NT when p leads 4th and cannot beat p or dummy


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| 14 | 1* | 6+ HCPs, 4+ | 2NT | 15+, fit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 19/4 | 6+ HCPs, 4+ | 3 | Limit raise |
|  | 1 NT | 7-10, flat | 3 | Splinter |
|  | 2 | 4-9, 5+ fit | 34 | Splinter |
|  | 2 | to play, 6+ suit | 31 | Splinter |
|  | 2 | to play, 6+ suit | 3NT | 12-14, flat, no 4 major |
|  | 2. | to play, 6+ suit | 4 bids | 4C=MSKC |
| 1* | 1 $1 / 1$ | 6+ HCPs, 4+ | 3 | to play, 6+ suit |
|  | 1 NT | 7-10, flat | 3 | Limit raise |
|  | 26 | 10+, 5(4)+ | 34 | Splinter |
|  | 2 | 4-9, 5+ fit | 34 | Splinter |
|  | 2 | to play, 6+ suit | 3NT | 12-14, flat, no 4 major |
|  | 2. | to play, 6+ suit | 4 | MSKC |
|  | 2NT | 15+, fit | 4 Other |  |
| 19/4 | 1 NT | 5-11, any shape, forcing | 3 | 6-9 HCPs, $4+$ fit |
|  | 26 | Natural, GF | 3 | 10-11 HCPs, 4+ fit |
|  | 2* | Natural, GF | 3\%/4 | barrage |
|  | 2\%/4 | 6-9, 3 card fit | 3NT | 13-15, 3 card fit |
|  | 2NT | 14+, 4 card fit | 4*/* | splinter |
| 26 | 2) | relay | 2\%/4 | 8+ HCPs, 5 card suit |
|  | other | $2 \mathrm{NT}=8+$ no 5 card suit |  |  |
| 2* | 2 | pass or correct | 3/4 | pass or correct |
|  | 2 | pass or correct | 3\%/4 | pass or correct |
|  | 2 NT | GF on opener | 3NT | To play |
| 2\%/4 | 2NT | GF on opener | 3NT | To play |
|  | 3\% | pass or correct | 4*/4 | pass or correct |
|  | 3\%/4 | pass or correct | 4Y/ | pass or correct |
| 2NT | 3 | 5 card suit enquiry | 4 | MSKC |
|  | 3 | Xfer to H | 4 | MSKC |
|  | $3 \times$ | Xfer to S | 4 | To play |
|  | 3. | 5S, 4H | 4. | To play |
|  | 3NT | To play | other | $4 \mathrm{NT}=$ quantitative |

## Additional responses to $\mathbf{1 N T}$

| 3 | Sets suit, Slam interest |
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| $3 / 3$ | Sets suit, Slam interest |
| 4 | MSKC |
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| 4 | To play |
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| Other slam bidding | Cue Bids | 区 | Asking Bids $\quad \square$ |  |
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| 4th Suit Forcing | One round $\quad \square$ |  |  | Game force |
| NT Checkback $\quad$ - | Priorities | Up the line |  |  |
| Defence to 3NTT opening |  |  |  |  |
| Defence to opening Two's: | Multi 2 |  |  |  |

RCO style 2-s $\quad X=15+$, suits natural

| Other 2-s | Strong 2 level bid: $\mathrm{X}=2$ suiter with S ; $2 \mathrm{NT}=2$ suiter without S |
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| Defence to strong ${ }^{\text {e }}$ | 1D/H/S=const; 1NT=weak D; 2C=weak C; |
|  | 2D/HS as per opening bids; $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ strong 2 suiter |
| Lebensohl | Over NT interference $\quad$ - |
| Other uses after | we $\times$ weak 2 opening |
| Take out of 4 level pre-empts | 40/4 $\times$ |
| 4 | $\times$ 44 4NT |

## OTHER NOTES

over $1 \mathrm{NT} X, X X=$ single suiter; $2 \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{D} / \mathrm{H}=$ suit +1 above; $2 \mathrm{~S}=$ suit, constructive, $2 \mathrm{NT}=$
GF unbalanced, 3 level preemptive

