4. BASIC RESPONSES Jump raises - minors 10-12, (4)5-card support, no 4-card Major Jump raises - Majors 10-12, 4-card support Natural, weak Jump shifts after minor opening Natural, weak Jump shifts after Major opening Responses to strong 2 suit open. 2♦ = semi-automatic waiting bid. Others = Natural & 8+ Responses to 2NT opening 3♣ = Simple Stayman. 3♦/♥ = transfer to ♥/♠ 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS **Show priorities** Versus Suit (or both) Versus **NoTrump** (if different) Sequences: Overlead all except AK stiff Leads Four or more with an honour 4th highest 2nd highest (then up, down) From 4 small Middle-up-down From 3 cards (no honour) In partner's suit As others, but top of 3 small if shown SUP Low Encourage Discards Low-high = even Count Signal on partner's lead: Low encourage Signal on declarer's lead: **Notes** 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS **RKCB 1430** 4NT: Blackwood 4♣ Gerber when? **Slam Notes** 1st and 2nd round controls equally shown up the line. Cue Bids X Asking Bids 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS Pre-empt-(interference)-X = Penalty 4th Suit Forcing www.abf.com.au Standard Splinters over 1Major opening PDF Form Rev. 17D23 by RoL MyRev. 2018-06-25 11:09 Copyright © ABF 2017



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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD								
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Basic System: 2 over 1 with semi-forcing NT								
Brown Sticker	Class	sification: Gre	een X	Blue	Red	Yellow		
		1. OPE	ENING	BIDS				
Describe streng	gth, minimum l	ength, or specifi	ic meaning			Canape		
1 4 11/12+, 3	j		1♥	11+, 5				
1 11/12+, 3				11+, 5				
1NT 15-17					may contain 5 c	ard Major X		
1NT Responses	2♣ Simple	Stayman						
2 ♦ ∀ 's		·	2♠	♣ s or b	alanced invitation	al hand		
2 ∀ ♠'s			2NT	2NT ♦s or weak both minors				
other 3♣ =	Modified Pu	ppet Stayman	[Opener's	rebid of	3♦ = no 5-c Major]		
2♣ If balance	ed, 22+. If ur	nbalanced, with	nin 1 trick	of game	& 4+ defensive tri	cks		
2♦ weak 6 ca				Ū				
2♥ weak 6 ca	ard suit							
2♠ weak 6 ca	ard suit							
-		have 5-c Majo	or 3NT	AKQx 7	or AKx 8 in a minor,	no outside A/K		
other		•						
		2. PR	E-ALE	RTS				
	3. C	OMPETITIV	E BIDS	/ OVEF	RCALLS			
Negative doubles th	rough 4	Jump overcal	ls Weak					
Responsive doubles	s through 4	♥ Unusual N	T Lowes	t 2 unbid	suits, 5-5			
1NT overcall - imme	ediate 15-18	with stop	Immediate cu	e of minor	5-5 in Majors			
1NT overcall - re-opening 13-16 no stop promised Immed			Immediate cu	e of Major	5 in other Major,	5 minor		
, ,			Over oper	ning threes	X = Takeout			
Over opponent's 1N	X = pena	alty						
2♣ = Both Ma	ajors [advand	cer usually bids	s 2M or 2	(asks in	truder to pick thei	r best M)]		
2♦ = 6-card su	it [2♥ = P/C]. 2	2Major = 5-card	Major & 4+	card mind	or. 2NT = Both mino	rs. 3 IvI = NAT		

8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

	Describe stre	ngtn,	minimum length, or specific	c mea	aning
1♣ 1♦	6+, 3	2	2-5, 6	3 🄷	2-7, 7
1♥	6+, 4	2	2-5, 6	3 Y	2-7, 7
1♠	6+, 4	2♠	2-5, 6	3♠	2-7 7
1NT	8-(9)10	2NT	(10)11-12, balanced	3NT	13-15, balanced
2♣	6-(9)10, 4	3♣	10-12, (4)5	4 ♣	Pre-emptive
other					
1♦ 1♥	6+, 4	2 🗸	2-5, 6	3 💙	2-7, 7
1♠	6+, 4	2	2-5, 6	3 ♠	2-7, 7
1NT	6-(9)10	2NT	(10)11-12, balanced	3NT	13-15, balanced
	12+, 4		2-7, (6)7	4♣	Pre-emptive
2	6-(9)10, 4		10-12, (4)5	4	Pre-emptive
other					·
1♥ 1♠	(5)6+, 4	2	6-(9)10, 3	3 🍁	2-7, 7
1NT	(5)6-12, Semi-forcing	2♠	2-5, 6	3 Y	9-11,4
	12+, 4		(10)11-12, balanced	3 ♠	Splinter
2	12+, 4		2-7, (6)7		13-15, BAL
other					
1 ♠ 1NT	(5)6-12, Semi-forcing	2	6-(9)10, 3	3 💙	2-7,7
2♣	12+, 4	2NT	(10)11-12, balanced	3♠	10-12, 4
2	12+, 4	3♣	2-7, 7	3NT	13-15, balanced
2	12+, 5	3	2-7, 7	4 ♣	Splinter
other					
1NT 3♣	Modified Pup. Stayman	3	0-1 ♠, 3♥, FG	4	Not used
3 🄷	0-1-c minor,5+ in other m	3NT	To play	4	To play
3♥	0-1♥, 3♠, FG	4♣	Ace ask (Gerber)	4	To play
other					
2♣ 2♦	0+, Semi-auto waiting	2NT	8-12, mainly Q's & J's	3 💙	Not used
2	8+, good 5-card suit	3♣	8+, good 5-card suit	3♠	Not used
2♠	8+, good 5-card suit	3	8+, good 5-card suit	3NT	Not used
	2♣-2♦; any suit [F1]-lower		_	3♦) =	0 trick (denies K or 2 Q's).
2♦ 2♥	Invitational, NF [1]	3♣	Asks for any shortage [2]	3♠	Natural, Forcing [1]
	Invitational, NF [1]	_	Preemptive sign off		To play
_	Natural		Natural, Forcing [1]		Not used
other		-			
	11 O raigns with 2 a ar O	v 01	IP rehids suit with min	a b o u u	a facture 20M if AVOV6

Notes [1] O raises with 3-c or Qx SUP, rebids suit with min, shows feature, 3oM if AKQx6 [2] Opener shows any shortage, rebids his suit with no shortage, (if M) bids game if AKQx6

2♥ 2♠	Natural, Forcing [1]	3	Natural, Forcing [1]	3NT	To play		
2NT I	Natural	3 Y	Preemptive sign off	4♣	Not used		
3♣ /	Asks for any shortage [2]	3♠	Not used	4	Make or sacrifice		
other							
2 ♠ 2NT I	Natural	3 💙	Natural, Forcing [2]	4♣	Not used		
3♣ /	Asks for any shortage [2]		Preemptive sign off	4	Make or sacrifice		
3♦ 1			To play	4	Make or sacrifice		
other							
2NT 3♣ \$	Simple Stayman	3♠	5-4 in minors	4	Not used		
3 🔷 (0+, 5-card ♥ suit	3NT	To play	4	To play		
3♥ (0+, 5-card ♠ suit	4 ♣	Ace ask (Gerber)	4	To play		
other \$	Same responses after	2 ♣ -2	♦ ;2NT				
	9. CONVENTIONS						
Unusual N	NT: Lowest 2 unbid su	uits					
4th Suit F	4th Suit Forcing One round FG if after 4SF, RESP bids at 3 level Game force						
NT Check	kback Priorities:						
Defence to 3NT opening If 3NT = minor/s. Same defence as defending against 1NT opening							
Defence t	to Opening Twos If th	eir o	pening bid is NAT or sp	ecifies	s a suit/s: Double = T/O		
Multi 2♦ X = 12-15 bal, very strong 1 suiter or 19+. 2NT = NAT, 16-19, both M stopped							
RCO style 2-s Same defence as defending against Multi 2◆							
Other 2-s (Unanchored suit opening,inc Multi 2/RCO)-Pass-(P/C or NAT bid)-? X=T/O,Qbid of P/C = NAT							
Defence							
to			X = both Majors # 1NT =				
strong		•	•				
1♣ / 2♣	•						
			er their bid: 2 lvl = weak				
	hl - other uses	Ov	or their bia. 2 ivi = wear	ι, ο ιο	voi = foronig		
	of 4 level pre-empts		4♣/4♦ Double				
	Double		4♠ Double				
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