

4. BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors	over 1♣. 3♣=9-11 and 6♣. over 1♦, 3♦=5-9 and 4+♦
Jump raises - Majors	Preempt 0-6 HCP, 4+ cards
Jump shifts after minor opening	2♦/1♠=NAT FG. 2♥=4♥&5♠ 7-9. 2♠=INV to 3NT no 4M 10-12
Jump shifts after Major opening	2♠/1♥ 10-12, 5-4ms. 3♣/♦ = Bergen raise. 2NT = Jacoby
Responses to strong 2 suit open.	n/a
Responses to 2NT opening	3♣/♦/♠, 4♣/4♦=P/C. 3♥=ask for s/s, 4♥/4♠=Own suit

5. PLAY CONVENTIONS Show priorities

	Versus Suit (or both)	Versus NoTrump (if different)
Leads Sequences:	Overlead, A-Attitude K-Count	same
Four or more with an honour	4th highest	same
From 4 small	2nd highest	same
From 3 cards (no honour)	Middle	same
In partner's suit	Xx Xxx Hx HxX	same
Discards	McKenney	same
Count	Low-High = Even	same
Signal on partner's lead:	Low Encourage	Smith Echo (reverse)
Signal on declarer's lead:	Revese Count	Smith Echo (reverse)
Notes Lead low from xx	Gawrys TRF 1♦ - 1♠	
Long suit trails	2♣ - 2♥ > TRF to ♠, weak, or FG	
	- 2♠ = 8-11	

6. SLAM CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood <input type="checkbox"/>	RKCB 1430	4♣ Gerber <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> when? over 1NT 1430
Slam Notes	Exclusion RKCB 0123. DOPI. ROPI. MSKC 1430.	
Cue Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	from 4 level, from 3♠ when ♥ are agreed, below that semi-natural	
Asking Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3♣-4♦, 3♦/3♥/3♠-4♣-> Poor KCB, ♥=0,4,♠=1,4NT=1+Q,5♣=2,5♦=2+Q	

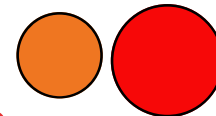
7. OTHER CONVENTIONS

Splinter	Odwrotka 1♣ - 1♥/♠ - 2♦
Cue raises	2♥-Slam intrest 12+, then 2♠ ask
Reverse Cappalletti	2♠-4♥/♠ 7-11
Reverse Drury	2NT-5♥/♠ 7-11 unbalanced, then 3♣ ask s/s
Negative free bid at level two	3♣/♦-9-11, 4♥/♠ and 5♣/♦
	3♥/♠ 7-11 shape 5332
	3♥ over 1♠ = 5-5 in Majors
	3♠ over 1♥ = Spl with 6♥
	3NT= 6♥/♠ no s/s

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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

ABF Nos.	657689	Tad Bieganski
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Basic System:	Polish Club	
Brown Sticker	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Classification: Green <input type="checkbox"/> Blue <input type="checkbox"/> Red <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yellow <input type="checkbox"/>

1. OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning		Canape <input type="checkbox"/>
1♣ 11+ HCP, 0+♣ (SEE PRE ALERTS)	1♥ 11-17HCP. 5+♥	
1♦ 11-17 HCP. 4+♦, May have 5♣	1♠ 11-17HCP. 5+♠	
1NT (14) 15-17 Balanced	may contain 5 card Major <input type="checkbox"/>	
1NT Responses 2♣ Garbage Stayman. Ask for 4 cards Major.		
2♦ TRF to ♥	2♠ TRF to ♣, or invit to 3NT	
2♥ TRF to ♠	2NT TRF to ♦	
other (Dbl) same, 3♣/3♦ 6card suit with at least 2 honors		
2♣ 10-14HCP, 6♣, or 5♣ and 4Major		
2♦ weak 6♥, or 5♦ and 5♠. 6-11 Vul	weak 6♥, or 5♠ and 4+♦	4-9 non Vul
2♥ weak 6♠, or 5♥ and 5♣ 6-11 Vul	weak 6♠, or 5♥ and 4+♣	4-9 non Vul
2♠ weak, 5-5 Black, or Red 6-11 Vul	weak 5M, and 4+m	4-9 non Vul
2NT weak 5-5 Ms, or ms 6-11Vul, 4-9 nonVul	3NT 1st and 2nd position -solid minor	
other	3rd and 4th position -To play	

2. PRE-ALERTS

1♣ = a) Natural 15-17	Opening at level 2
b) Weak NT, may have 5♣	Leads low from xx
c) 18+ any hand	TRS over T/O DBL, or Red suit overcall

3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS

Negative doubles through	4♥	Jump overcalls	weak
Responsive doubles through	4♥	Unusual NT	lower unbid suits
1NT overcall - immediate	15-17 system on	Immediate cue of minor	Modif. Michaels 5/5. full range
1NT overcall - re-opening	12-14 system on	Immediate cue of Major	5 other M & 5 m. Full range
Over weak twos	2NT 16-18, T/O X with leb.	Over opening threes	X = T/O
Over opponent's 1NT	if weak X=14+. 2♣=Majors. 2♦=Major. 2♥=5♥ and 4minor		
	2♠=5♠ and 4 minor. 2NT= 5-5 minors		
	if strong X= 4Major and 5 minor. Rest a/a		

8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

1♣ 1♦ 0-7any,8-11minor,or no	2♦ Nat FG, 5+ card	3♦ 8-11 HCP 6♦
1♥ 7+ HCP, 4 card	2♥ 7-9, 4+♥ and 5+♠	3♥ 8-11 HCP 7♥
1♠ 7+ HCP, 4 card	2♠ 11-12, No 4M	3♠ 8-11 HCP 7♠
1NT 8-10 no 4 Major	2NT 14+, no 4 Major	3NT 12-13, No 4 Major
2♣ Nat FG, 5+ card	3♣ 8-11 HCP 6+♣	4♣ MSKC 1430
other		
1♦ 1♥ 7+ HCP, 4 card	2♥ 7-9, 4+♥ and 5+♠	3♥ Splinter
1♠ 7+ HCP, 4 card	2♠ 11-12, No 4 M	3♠ Splinter
1NT 7-10 no 4 Major	2NT 14+, no 4 Major	3NT 12-13, No 4 Major
2♣ Nat FG, 5+ card	3♣ 6-9 Bloc=INV, 4+♦	4♣ Splinter
2♦ 10 + 4+♦, No 4 M	3♦ 0-5, 4+♦	4♦ MSKC 1430
other		
1♥ 1♠ 7+, 4+♠	2♥ 7-9, 3 card fit	3♦ 10-11 4+♥
1NT 7-11 no 4 Major	2♠ 10-12. 5-4+ minors	3♥ 0-6, 4+♥
2♣ 10-11, 3♥ or Nat FG	2NT 4+♥, FG	3♠ Splinter
2♦ Nat FG	3♣ 7-9 4+♥	3NT BAL,13-15. 3♥
other		
1♠ 1NT 7- 11	2♠ 7-9 HCP, 3♠	3♥ Splinter
2♣ 10-11, 3♠ or Nat FG	2NT 4+♠, FG	3♠ Block
2♦ Nat FG	3♣ 7-9, 4+♠	3NT BAL, 13-15. 3♠
2♥ Nat FG	3♦ 10-11, 4+♠	4♣ Splinter
other		
1NT 3♣ 6+♣. At least 2 top H	3♠ 1♠, 3♥ and 5-4ms	4♦ TRF to♥
3♦ 6+♦. At least 2 top H	3NT To Play	4♥ TRF to♠
3♥ 1♥, 3♠ and 5-4 ms	4♣ Gerber 1430	4♠
other		
2♣ 2♦ Relay	2NT weak+fit,or 2 suiter FG	3♥ 6+♥, Invit
2♥ Natural, NF	3♣ good rise in ♣ (9-11)	3♠ 6+♠, Invit
2♠ Natural, NF	3♦ FG, 6+♦	3NT To Play
other		
2♦ 2♥ P/C	3♣ Nat F1,or lead dir	3♠ P/C
2♠ P/C	3♦ P/C	3NT To play
2NT Strong Enquiry F1	3♥ P/C	4♣ Bid Major by TRF
other	4♦ Bid your Major. 4♥/♠ = Own suit	

Notes

2♥ 2♠ P/C	3♦ Nat F1, or lead dir	3NT To play
2NT Strong Enquiry F1	3♥ P/C	4♣ Bid Major by TRF
3♣ P/C	3♠ P/C	4♥ Own suit, to play
other	4♦ Bid your Major. 4♠ = Own suit	
2♠ 2NT Strong Enquiry F1	3♥ P/C	4♣ Bid Major by TRF
3♣ P/C	3♠ P/C	4♥ Own suit
3♦ P/C	3NT To play	4♠ Own suit
other		
2NT 3♣ P/C	3♠ P/C	4♦ P/C
3♦ P/C	3NT To play	4♥ Own suit
3♥ Strong, ask for s/s	4♣ P/C	4♠ Own suit
other		

9. CONVENTIONS

Unusual NT: Lower 2 unbid suits

4th Suit Forcing One round Game force

NT Checkback Priorities: 2-way checkback

Defence to 3NT opening X = T/O

Defence to Opening Twos X = T/O. 2NT 16-18

Multi 2♦ X = T/O

RCO style 2-s X = T/O

Other 2-s X = T/O

Defence (1♠) : X=4+♥. 1♦=4+♠. 1♥=4-4+♦/♥ or ♣/♠, 1♠=4-4+♣/♥, or ♦/♠

to 1NT=4-4+♣/♦ or ♥/♠ (COR). 2♣/♦ = Natural

strong (2♣) : X=♣. 2♦/♥/♠=Natural. 2NT=5-5+M&m. 3♣=5-5ms. 3♦=5-5Ms

1♣ / 2♣ Defence to Strong 2NT:X=5-5 M&m. 3♣=5-5ms. 3♦=Ms. 3♥/♠ = Natural

Over 1NT Interference Rubensohl

Lebensohl - other uses over weak 2s

Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4♣/4♦ X = T/O. 4NT = 2 suiter

4♥ X = T/O. 4NT = 2 suiter 4♠ X = penalty. 4NT = T/O

10. OTHER NOTES

Rubensohl = 1NT-interference at level 2-DBL=PEN

-Bid at level 2 = Natural

- Bid 2NT and above = TRF (Invit)

1♥/♠ - 1♠/1NT - 2♥/♠ - 2NT = ask for s/s

Supp. X and XX

Negative free bid at level 2