## **AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE** 4. BASIC RESPONSES Jump raises - minors Preempt Other: FEDERATION INC. Jump raises - Majors Preempt Other: STANDARD SYSTEM CARD 2M=Weak with 6 card suit 0-5 HCP Jump shifts after minor opening ABF Nos. Leigh Blizzard 162787 Jump shifts after Major opening All artificial; see inside & Names: 186309 Julie Rhodes 2♦=waiting promises A/K/QQ, 2♥=Art Neg, others=5+cards 2 of AKQ Responses to strong 2 suit open. Basic System: 2/1 with transfer responses over 1 • 3♣=Stayman, 3♦/♥=TRF, 3♠=minor Stayman, 4♣=Gerber, 4♦/♥ TRF Responses to 2NT opening Red X Brown Sticker Blue Yellow Classification: Green 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS Show priorities 1. OPENING BIDS Versus **NoTrump** (if different) Versus Suit (or both) Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape Leads Sequences: Overlead All 1♣ 10-21 (or max 7 LTC), all 11-14 BAL,1+♣ 1♥ 10-21 (or max 7 LTC), 5+♥ Four or more with an honour 4th highest 1♦ 10-21 (or max 7 LTC), all 18-19 BAL, 2+♦ 1♠ 10-21 (or max 7 LTC), 5+♠ 2nd highest From 4 small may contain 5 card Major **1NT** 15-17 Middle From 3 cards (no honour) 1NT Responses 2 Simple Stayman Other: As above In partner's suit 2♦ TRF to ♥ 2 TRF to Odd=Enc., Even=McKenney **Discards** 2♥ TRF to ♠ 2NT TRF to ♦ High-Low = Even Count High enc., High-Low = even other **Signal** on partner's lead: 2 Strong, 22+ BAL or UNBAL GF Low-high odd **Signal** on declarer's lead: 2 6+ Major (3-7) **Notes** Suit preference in trump suit 2 6 Hearts (8-10) 2 6 Spades (8-10) 2NT 20-21 BAL **3NT** At least 6:5 Major 2 suiter, 9-13 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS other 4NT Specific Ace Ask (5♣=None, 5♦/♥/♠=A, 5NT=2A, 6♣=A) Blackwood X 4♣ Gerber X when? after NT **RKCB 1430** 2. PRE-ALERTS Slam Notes Minorwood Transfer responses to 1 • 1M resp to 1♦ may be weak and is shorter M Cue Bids 1st & 2nd round indiscriminately TRF responses over opp's t/o X of 1 level opening All BAL 11-14 without 5M, open 1 • Asking Bids TRF responses in competition All BAL 18-19 without 5M, open 1♦ 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS 3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS Support X mandatory to 2♠ (optional after that) 2 way reverse Drury by PH no competition ΑII Negative doubles through Jump overcalls weak Gazzilli responses after 1M-1NT Transfer lebensohl 4 5-5 Minors Responsive doubles through Unusual NT 2 way checkback in most 1X-1Y-1Z auctions $1m-(1NT)-2\Phi = both Majors$ 1NT overcall - immediate 15-18 (Sys. on) Immediate cue of minor 5-5 Majors 3rd suit forcing (F1) after 1m-1X-2m **Smolen Transfers** Immediate cue of Major 5-5 other Major & a minor 1NT overcall - re-opening 11-14 (Sys. on) Kokish game tries over 1 level raise Non-serious 3NT slam try in Major GF auctions Over weak twos X+TFR leb., Leaping Michaels Over opening threes X, Non-leaping Michaels www.abf.com.au 4♣ after partner preempts=Keycard ask (4♦ after 3♣) PDF Form Rev. 13F21 by RoL Void Key Card Ask MyRev. Kokish relay after 2C opening Over strong NT (16 in range) X=4M&5m,or long minor: over weak NT (16 not in range) X=penalty Copyright © ABF 2013

## 8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

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1♠ BAL no 4M or 5+♦, 6+ 1NT 11-12 BAL, no 4M 2♠ 5+♠, GF other 4♥/4♠ to play: 4NT RKCB  1♦ 1♥ 3+♠, 0+ 1♠ 3+♠, 0+ 2♠ 5+♠, GF other 4♥/4♠ to play: 4NT RKCB  1♦ 1♥ 3+♠, 0+ 1♠ 3+♠, 0+ 2♠ 6+♠, 0-5 3♠ 5+♠, Spl. 10-14 1MT 6+, no 4M 2♠ 5+♠, GF no 4M 3♠ 5+♠, GF no 4M 3♠ 5+♠, Fre-empt 0ther 4♥/4♠ to play: 4NT RKCB  1♥ 1♠ 4+♠, 5+ 1NT Semi-forcing 6-12 2♠ 4+♠, GF, OF 3♠ 4+♥, 6-9/13+, any Spl. 3♠ 4+♥, 10-12, no shortage 3ħ 4+♥, 10-12, any Spl. 3MT 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl. 3MT 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl. 3NT 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage 3NT 4+♠, 3-5 pre-empt 4♠ 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 4+♠, 3-5 pre-empt 4♠ 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage 3NT 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 4+♠, 3-5 pre-empt 4♠ 4+♠, 3-5 pre-empt 4♠ 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage 3NT 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage 4♠ 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage 4♠ 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 5+♠, SF 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage 4♠ 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 5+♠, SF 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage 4♠ 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 5+♠, SF 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage 4♠ 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl. 3♠ 1-3-(5-4), GF 4♠ 10-12, 4♠ 1	1♣ 1♦	4+♥, 5+	2	<b>5+♣</b> , <b>6-9</b>	3◆	Pre-empt
1NT 11-12 BAL, no 4M 2♣ 5+♣, GF other 4♥/4♠ to play: 4NT RKCB  1♠ 1♥ 3+♠, 0+ 1♠ 3+♥, 0+ 1♠ 1№ 18-14-	1♥	4+♠, 5+	2	<b>6+♥</b> , <b>3-5</b>	3 <b>Y</b>	Pre-empt
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other 4 V/4 to play: 4NT RKCB  1	1NT	11-12 BAL, no 4M	2NT	5+♣, 10-12, no 4M	3NT	13-15 BAL no 4M
1	2♣	5+ <b>♣</b> , GF	3 <b>-</b>	5+♣, Pre-empt (2-5)	4	Pre-empt
1♠ 3+♥, 0+ 2♠ 6+♠, 0-5 3♠ 5+♦, Spl. 10-14  1NT 6+, no 4M 2NT 4+♦, 10-12, no 4M 3NT 13-15 BAL no 4M  2♣ 5+♠, GF no 4M 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no 4M 4♠ 5+♠, Spl. 10-12  2♠ 4+♠, GF, no 4M 3♠ 5+♠, Pre-empt 4♠ Pre-empt  other 4♥/4♠ to play: 4NT RKCB  1♥ 1♠ 4+♠, 5+ 2♥ 3♠, 6-9 3♠ 3♠, 10-12, no shortage  1NT Semi-forcing 6-12 2♠ 4+♥, 6-9/13+, any Spl. 3♠ 4+♥, 3-5 pre-empt  2♠ 3+♠, GF 2NT 4+♥, 10+, no shortage  other 4♠/♦=4+♥, void Spl., 10-12: 4♥=preempt, 4NT=RKCB  1♠ 1NT Semi-forcing 6-12 2♠ 3♠, 6-9 2♠ 3+♠, GF 2NT 4+♠, 6-9/13+ any Spl. 3♠ 4+♠, 3-5 pre-empt  2♠ 5+♠, GF 3♠ 4+♠, 10+, no shortage  2♠ 3+♠, GF 3♠ 4+♠, 10+, no shortage  2♠ 5+♠, GF 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage  3♠ 4+♠, 3-5 pre-empt  2♠ 5+♠, GF 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage  3NT 4+♠, 10-12, any Spl.  2♥ 5+♠, GF 3♠ 4+♠, 6-9, no shortage  other 4♠=4+♠, void♠, 10-12: 4♥=4+♠, void♠, 10-12: 4♠=preempt, 4NT=RKCB  1NT 3♠ 5+♠ & 5+♠, weak 3♠ 1-3-(5-4), GF 4♠ Transfer to 4♠ 3♦ 5+♠ & 5+♠, GF 3NT to play 4♥ Transfer to 4♠ 3♦ 5+♠ & 5+♠, GF 3NT to play 4♥ Transfer to 4♠ 3♦ 5+♠ & 5+♠, GF 3NT to play 4♥ Transfer to 4♠ 3♦ 5+♠ & 5+♠, GF 3NT to play 4♥ Transfer to 4♠ 3♦ 5+♠ & 5+♠, GF 3NT to play 4♥ Transfer to 4♠ 3♦ 5+♠ & 5+♠, GF 3NT to play 4♥ Transfer to 4♠ 3♦ 5+♠ & 5+♠, GF 3NT to play 5+♠, not 2 of AKQ 2♠ ART NEG (no A/K/QQ) 3♠ 5+♠ 2+ of AKQ 3♠ 6+♠, not 2 of AKQ 2♠ 5+♠ 2+ of AKQ 3♠ 5+♠ 2+ of AKQ 3♠ 6+♠, not 2 of AKQ 2♠ 5+♠ 2+ of AKQ 3♠ 5+♠ 2+ of AKQ 3♠ 6+♠, not 2 of AKQ 2♠ 5+♠ 2+ of AKQ 3♠ 5+♠ 2+ of AKQ 3♠ 6+♠, not 2 of AKQ 2♠ 5+♠ 2+ of AKQ 3♠ ART, NF 3♠ Pass or correct 2♠ Pass or correct 3♠ NAT, NF 3♠ Pass or correct 2♠ Pass or correct 3♠ NAT, NF 3♠ Pass or correct 2♠ Pass or correct 3♠ NAT, NF 3♠ Pass or correct 2♠ Pass or correct 4♠ Bid your major, 4M=To play	other	4♥/4♠ to play: 4NT RKCE	3			
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1	2	4+♦, GF, no 4M	3	5+♦, Pre-empt	4	Pre-empt
1NT Semi-forcing 6-12	other	4♥/4♠ to play: 4NT RKCE	3			
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other 4♣/♦=4+♥, void Spl., 10-12: 4♥=preempt, 4NT=RKCB  1♠ 1NT Semi-forcing 6-12	2♣	3+ <b>♣</b> , GF	2NT	4+♥, 10+, no shortage	3 <b>♠</b>	4+♥, 10-12, any Spl.
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other 4♦ Bid your major, 4M=To play	2♠	Pass or correct	3◆	NAT, NF	3NT	to play
	2NT	*Forcing enquiry	<b>3</b>	Pass or correct	4	TRF me to your major
<b>lotes</b> * 2♦-2NT: 3♣=♥ 3-5, 3♦=♠ 3-5, 3♥=♥ 6-7, 3♠=♠ 6-7	other	4♦ Bid your major, 4M=To	play	,		
	Notes	* 2♦-2NT: 3♣=♥ 3-5, 3♦=	<b>♠</b> 3-5	5, 3♥=♥ 6-7, 3♠=♠ 6-7		

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	Forcing enquiry		To play		**Keycard ask
	NAT, NF		NAT, F1		to play
other '	*2♥-2NT:Swedish respon	ses.*	**2 <b>V</b> -4 <b>∲</b> : 4 <b>♦</b> =0, 0+Q, 4	=1, 4	=1+Q, 4NT=2, 5♣=2+
2♠ 2NT *	Forcing enquiry	3 <b>Y</b>	NAT, NF	4♣	**Keycard ask
• •	NAT, NF	<b>3♠</b>	Preempt	4	To Play
3◆ N	NAT, NF	3NT	to play	4	To Play
other 3	*2♠-2NT:Swedish respon	ses *	*2 <b>♠-</b> 4 <b>♣</b> : 4 <b>♦</b> =0, 0+Q, 4 <b>♥</b>	=1, 4	=1+Q, 4NT=2, 5♣=2+0
2NT 3♣ S	Simple Stayman	3 <b>^</b>	Minor suit Stayman	4	TRF to ♥
3◆ -	TRF to 💙	3NT	To Play	<b>4</b>	TRF to ♠
3♥ -	TRF to 🛧	4	Gerber	4	4/4 minors Quantitative
other 2	2NT-3 <b>♣</b> -3♦-then bid of 3	<b>V</b> /3	shows 5 <b>♠</b> 4 <b>♥</b> /4 <b>♠</b> 5 <b>♥</b> res	spectiv	ely. 4NT=Quantitative.
	Forcing One round	2♣	forces 2 <b>♦</b> : and 2 <b>♦</b> =GF		Game force
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NT Checl Defence of Defence of Multi 2	kback X Priorities: to 3NT opening 4♣= 5 to Opening Twos X=T/ Direct seat:X=13-15	5-5+ N O wit BAL	Majors, 15+HCP: X=pena th transfer Lebensohl, Lea	aping N	/lichaels
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Defence of Defence of Multi 2 RCO style Other 2-s	kback Priorities:  to 3NT opening 4♣= 5  to Opening Twos X=T/  Direct seat:X=13-15  2-s X=15+; bids are natu	5-5+ NO with BAL sural.	Majors, 15+HCP: X=pena th transfer Lebensohl, Lea or strong, T/O, 2NT=15- ow either next suit, or the	aping M	lichaels ., Suit Bid = NAT, NF.
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Defence of Multi 2 ARCO style Other 2-s Defence to	kback	5-5+ NO with BAL sural.	Majors, 15+HCP: X=pena th transfer Lebensohl, Lea or strong, T/O, 2NT=15- ow either next suit, or the	aping M	., Suit Bid = NAT, NF.
Defence  Multi 2  RCO style  Other 2-s  Defence  to  strong	kback	5-5+ NO with BAL ural.	Majors, 15+HCP: X=pena th transfer Lebensohl, Lea or strong, T/O, 2NT=15- ow either next suit, or the ajors.	aping M	lichaels ., Suit Bid = NAT, NF.
NT Check Defence Multi 2 NCO style Other 2-s Defence to strong NCO 1NT	kback	5-5+ NO with BAL strain or Ma	Majors, 15+HCP: X=pena th transfer Lebensohl, Lea or strong, T/O, 2NT=15- ow either next suit, or the ajors.	aping M	lichaels ., Suit Bid = NAT, NF.
Defence of Multi 2 PRCO style Other 2-s Defence to strong	to 3NT opening 4♣= 5 to Opening Twos X=T/ Direct seat:X=13-15 2-s X=15+; bids are natu  1♣ : Suit bids at all leve ♣ & ♥ or ♦ & ♠. X=♦ 2♣ : As above	5-5+ NO with BAL ural. els shor Ma	Majors, 15+HCP: X=pena th transfer Lebensohl, Lea or strong, T/O, 2NT=15- ow either next suit, or the ajors.  Ohl 3 level bids are Teak 2 bid	aping M	lichaels ., Suit Bid = NAT, NF.

## 10. OTHER NOTES

2/1 GF responses (in competition F1)

'Swedish' structure applies after 1m-2m, 1♥-2NT, 1♠-3♠, 2M-2NT

'Swedish' steps after 1m-2m: Step 1 = 11-13, Step 2 = 14-16, Step 3 = 17-19 no shortage,

Steps 4-6 = 17-19 with shortage (L,M,H)

'Swedish' steps after 1♥-2NT or 1 ♠-3♠, or 2M-2NT: Step 1 = min, Step 2 = max, no shortage Steps 3-5 = maximum with shortage (L,M,H)