

4. BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors	Inverted (6-9pts, 5+card support)
Jump raises - Majors	Limit (8-loser with extra shape or side shortage)
Jump shifts after minor opening	natural, strong (fit or semi-solid suit or 16-19 balanced)
Jump shifts after Major opening	natural, strong (fit or semi-solid suit or 16-19 balanced)
Responses to strong 2 suit open.	2♣-2♦ 0-7pts, else natural; 2M-2NT weak (0-9 or 0-7 with fit)
Responses to 2NT opening	Crowhurst 3♣ (3NT=5♥, 3♠=5♠, 3♥=4♥, 3♦=<4♥<5♠), Jacoby

5. PLAY CONVENTIONS

Show priorities	Versus Suit (or both)	Versus NoTrump (if different)
Leads Sequences:	Overlead except AKx(+)	Overlead All
Four or more with an honour	4th highest	4th highest
From 4 small	2nd highest	2nd highest
From 3 cards (no honour)	Middle	Middle
In partner's suit	Hx(x)X, xXx (Xxx if supported)	Hx(x)X, xXx (Xxx if supported)
Discards	Odd=enc., Even=McKenney	McKenney
Count	High-Low = Even	High-Low = Even
Signal on partner's lead:	Attitude (odd enc)	Attitude (odd enc)
Signal on declarer's lead:	Suit preference first, then present count	
Notes	Obvious-shift suit used in attitude/suit preference signals+leads	

6. SLAM CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood <input type="checkbox"/>	RKCB	1430
Asking Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Cue Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1-st control first except below game
Asking bids after preemptive openings (4*=control ask; 4NT=trump ask)		
5NT=pick-a-slam when not preceded by RKCB		

7. OTHER CONVENTIONS

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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD



ABF Nos.	895202	Lavy Libman
& Names:	893005	Tomer Libman
Basic System:	Natural, 5-card major+better minor openings	
Brown Sticker <input type="checkbox"/>	Classification:	Green <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Blue <input type="checkbox"/> Red <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow <input type="checkbox"/>

1. OPENING BIDS

1♣ 12-20pts 3+♣	1♥ 12-20pts 5+♥ (rarely 4 if 4441)
1♦ 12-20pts 3+♦	1♠ 12-20pts 5+♠ (rarely 4 if 4441)
1NT 15-17pts bal (6m322, 4441 sgl honour ok)	may contain 5 card Major <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

1NT Responses 2♣ Simple Stayman

2♦ Jacoby transfer (5+♥)	2♠ 5♠4♥ inv or weak m or 5♦4♣/5♦5♣ F6
2♥ Jacoby transfer (5+♠)	2NT natural, invitational
(Dbl) System off	other 3m invitational, 3M=fragment, Texas

2♣	strong artificial, at most 5-4
2♦	multi: weak 2M or strong (≥8.5 playing tricks) 6+m or 5♦5♣
2♥	strong (≥8 playing tricks) 6+♥ or 5♥5m, F1
2♠	strong (≥8 playing tricks) 6+♠ or 5♠5o, F1
2NT	20-22pts (5422, 4441 sgl honour ok)
3NT	gambling (7m solid, at most Q outside)
other	

2. PRE-ALERTS

Transfer responses after 1M-(X)-?	Truscott vs strong ♣ opening/neg response
Gazzilli after 1M-1NT-?	In competition: fit jumps, good/bad 2NT
Brozel/Multi-Landy vs strong/weak 1NT	

3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS

Doubles DOPI/ROPI, Positive slam double, Lead-directing X	Negative DBL thru flexible
	Responsive DBL thru flexible
Jump overcalls weak	Unusual NT 5-5 lower unbid, split range
1NT overcall: (immediate) 15-17	(re-opening) 11-14
Immediate cue: (minor) 5♠5♥ split range	(Major) 5OM+5m split range
Over: Weak Twos takeout X, 2NT=16-18	Opening Threes takeout X, 3NT=to play
Opponent's transfers X=bid suit	
Opponent's 1NT (strong 1NT): Brozel (X=one-suiter, 2m=m+♥, 2♥=♥+♠, 2♠=♠+m)	
(weak 1NT): Multi-Landy (X=penalty, 2♣=♥+♠, 2♦=one-suiter, 2M=M+m)	
(1NT-2♣): Multi-Landy with X=♥+♠; (1NT-2♦/2♥ xfer to M): 2M=OM+m, 2OM=natural	

8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

1♣ 1♦ 6+pts, 4+♦	2♦ 6-loser ♦/♦+♣/16-19bal	3♦ splinter
1♥ 6+pts, 4+♥	2♥ 6-loser ♥/♥+♣/16-19bal	3♥ splinter
1♠ 6+pts, 4+♠	2♠ 6-loser ♠/♠+♣/16-19bal	3♠ splinter
1NT 6-9pts bal	2NT 11-12pts bal	3NT 13-15pts bal
2♣ 10+pts, no 4M	3♣ 6-9pts, no 4M	4♣ 7-loser 6♣4o or 7+♣
other		
1♦ 1♥ 6+pts, 4+♥	2♥ 6-loser ♥/♥+♦/16-19bal	3♥ splinter
1♠ 6+pts, 4+♠	2♠ 6-loser ♠/♠+♦/16-19bal	3♠ splinter
1NT 6+pts, no 4M	2NT 11-12pts bal	3NT 13-15pts bal
2♣ 10+pts 4+♣	3♣ 6-loser ♣/♣+♦/16-19bal	4♣ splinter
2♦ 10+pts, no 4M	3♦ 6-9pts, no 4M	4♦ 7-loser 6♦4o or 7+♦
other		
1♥ 1♠ 6+pts, 4+♠	2♥ 6-9pts	3♦ 6-loser ♦/♦+♥/16-19bal
1NT 6-9 pts, no 4♠	2♠ 6-loser ♠/♠+♥/16-19bal	3♥ 8-loser, extra shape
2♣ 10+pts 4+♣	2NT 4+♥ inv+, no shortage	3♠ splinter
2♦ 10+pts 4+♦	3♣ 6-loser ♣/♣+♥/16-19bal	3NT 13-15pts bal
other		
1♠ 1NT 6-9pts	2♠ 6-9pts	3♥ 6-loser ♥/♥+♠/16-19bal
2♣ 10+pts 4+♣ (rare 3432)	2NT 4+♠ inv+, no shortage	3♠ 8-loser, extra shape
2♦ 10+pts 4+♦	3♣ 6-loser ♣/♣+♠/16-19bal	3NT 13-15pts bal
2♥ 10+pts 5+♥	3♦ 6-loser ♦/♦+♠/16-19bal	4♣ splinter
other		
1NT 3♣ invitational 6+♣	3♠ FG, 3♠1♥	4♦ Texas (6+♥)
3♦ invitational 6+♦	3NT to play	4♥ Texas (6+♠)
3♥ FG, 1♠3♥	4♣ 5♠+5♥	4♠
other		
2♣ 2♦ 0-7pts	2NT 8+pts natural	3♥
2♥ 8+pts, 5+♥	3♣ 8+pts, 5+♣	3♠
2♠ 8+pts, 5+♠	3♦ 8+pts, 5+♦	3NT
other		
2♦ 2♥ pass-or-correct	3♣ natural, F1	3♠ natural, F1
2♠ pass-or-correct	3♦ natural, F1	3NT to play
2NT strong enquiry, F1	3♥ natural, F1	4♣ natural, NF
other		

Notes

2♥ 2♠ 8+pts, 5+♠	3♦ 10+pts, 5+♦	3NT to play
2NT 0-9pts or 0-7pts with fit	3♥ FG, stronger than 4♥	4♣ splinter
3♣ 10+pts, 5+♣	3♠ splinter	4♥ to play, 8+pts
other		
2♠ 2NT 0-9pts or 0-7pts with fit	3♥ 10+pts, 5+♥	4♣ splinter
3♣ 10+pts, 5+♣	3♠ FG, stronger than 4♠S	4♥ splinter
3♦ 10+pts, 5+♦	3NT to play	4♠ to play, 8+pts
other		
2NT 3♣ Crowhurst	3♠ 5+♣, F1	4♦ Texas (6+♥)
3♦ Jacoby (5+♥)	3NT 5+♦, F4NT	4♥ Texas (6+♠)
3♥ Jacoby (5+♠)	4♣ 6+♦, FG	4♠ weak 5♦+5♣
other		

9. CONVENTIONS

Unusual NT: 2 lower unbid suits, split range

4th Suit Forcing One round ☒ 1♠=ambig; raise 4th except 1♠=strong ☐ Game force ☐

NT Checkback ☒ Priorities: 3-card support before 4OM

Defence to 3NT opening X=3-suiter, 4♣=♥+♠, 4♦=one-suiter, 4M=M+m

Defence to Opening Twos

Multi 2♦ 2M=takeout of that M, 16+pts; 2NT=16-18 bal; X=13-15pts or GOSH

RCO style 2-s X=13+pts (second X=takeout; third and subseq X=penalty); 2NT=16-18 bal

Other 2-s 2 specific suits (e.g. Ekren): cue/X=both other suits, corresp. longer/better

Defence Truscott (♦=♦+♥; ♥=♥+♠; ♠=♠+♣; ♣=♣+♦; X=♣+♥; NT=♦+♠, jumps weak)

to also to 1♣-1♦ or 2♣-2♦ artificial responses (X=♦+♠; NT=♣+♥)

strong pass first with strong hands

1♣/2♣

Over 1NT Interference Lebensohl over (semi-)natural interference only

Lebensohl - other uses responding to takeout X; second-round by opener side

Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4♣/4♦ flexible X

4♥ flexible X

4♠ flexible X

10. OTHER NOTES