

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit ☐ forcing ☐ Other: weak
 Jump raises - majors limit ☐ forcing ☐ Other: weak
 Jump shifts after minor opening weak
 Jump shifts after major opening bergen
 Responses to strong 2 suit opening
 Responses to 2NT opening 3♣ = 5 card stayman

PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit ✓ = Both
 Sequence leads: Overlead all ☒ All except AK x (x) ☐
 Underlead ☐ Other:
 Four or more with an honour 4th highest ☒ attitude ☐
 3rd/5th ☐ Other:
 From 4 small 2nd highest ☒ Other:
 From 3 cards (no honour) top ☒ middle ☒ bottom ☒
 Signal on partner's lead: high encourage ☐ low encourage ☒
 Other:
 Signal on declarer's lead reverse count
 Discards McKenney ☐ high encourage ☐ low encourage ☐
 odd/even ☒ Other:
 Count natural ☐ reverse ☒

CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood ☐ RKCB ☒ Other: 1430
 4♣ Gerber ☐ when?

Other Conventions

splinters, lebenshol



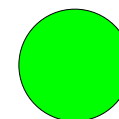
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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

Names: Ian Thomson Richard Brightling
 ABF Nos:
 Basic System: Brown Sticker ☐
 Classification: Green ☒ Blue ☐ Red ☐ Yellow ☐



OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape ☐
 1♣ 3, 11+ 1♦ 3, 11+ 1♥ 5, 11+ 1♠ 5, 11+
 1 NT may contain 5 card major ☐
 2♣ Stayman: simple ☐ extended ☐ Other:
 Transfers 2♦ ♥ 2♥ ♠ 2♠ ♣
 2 NT ♦ Other:
 2♣ strong GF or 23 + bal
 2♦ weak 6 cards in one major
 2♥ 4+♥ and 4+♠ weak
 2♠ 5♠ 7-10(11)pts
 2 NT 21-22
 3 NT minor preempt

PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through 4♥ Responsive doubles through 4♥
 Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT lower 2
 1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 11-14
 Immed cue of minor ♠ and another
 Immed cue of major other major and a minor
 Over opponent's 1NT (weak) 2♣ = minors, 2♦ = majors
 Over opponent's 1NT (strong) x=single suit, 2♣ = minors, 2♦ = majors
 Over weak twos x= takeout
 Over opening threes x=takeout

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning

1♣	1♦	natural	2NT	strong raise
	1♥/♠	natural	3♣	pre-empt
	1NT	6-11	3♦	splinter
	2♣	7-9 raise	3♥	splinter
	2♦	limit raise	3♠	splinter
	2♥	weak	3NT	13-15 bal
	2♠	weak	4 bids	

1♦	1♥/♠	natural	3♣	limit raise
	1NT	6-11	3♦	pre-empt
	2♣	natural	3♥	splinter
	2♦	7-9 raise	3♠	splinter
	2♥	weak	3NT	13-15 bal
	2♠	weak	4♦	RKCB
	2NT	strong raise	4 Other	

1♥/♠	1NT	6-11	3♣	4 card limit raise
	2♣	natural	3♦	4 card 7-9 raise
	2♦	natural	3♥/♠	weak
	2♥/♠	raise	3NT	13-15 bal
	2NT	strong raise	4♣/♦	splinter

2♣	2♦	0-3 or 10+	2♥/♠	2♥=4-6, 2♠=7-9
other	2NT	to 3♥ are transfers 7-9		

2♦	2♥	Pass or Correct	3♣/♦	Natural forcing
	2♠	Pass or Correct	3♥/♠	Pass or Correct
	2NT	ask	3NT	to play

2♥/♠	2NT	ask	3NT	to play
	3♣/♦	to play over 2♥, forcing over 2♠/♣/♦		
	3♥/♠	to play	4♥/♠	to play

2NT	3♣	5 card stayman	4♣	rckb
	3♦	transfer	4♦	rkcb
	3♥	transfer	4♥	
	3♠	5♠ and 4♥	4♠	
	3NT		other	

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to 1NT

3♣/3♦ strong - slam invitational

3♥/3♠ strong - slam invitational

4♣

4♦

4♥

4♠

Unusual NT: minors ☐ other suits ☐ lower 2 unbid suits ☒

other

Other slam bidding

Cue Bids ☒

Asking Bids ☐

4th Suit Forcing

One round ☐

Game force ☒

NT Checkback

☒

Priorities

2♦ = any min

Defence to 3NT opening

Defence to opening Two's: Multi 2♦ x = 16 plus

RCO style 2-s x = 16 plus

Other 2-s

Defence to strong ♣ x = majors, 1NT = minors

Lebensohl

Over NT interference ☒

Other uses

Take out of 4 level pre-empts

4♣/4♦

4♥

4♠

OTHER NOTES