



Category: Artificial – RED

NCBO: AUSTRALIA EVENT: 2010 Open

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SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

Strong club (15+) transfer 1-level openings

1♦ = 4+♥s, 1♥ = 4+♠s, 1♠ = minors

1NT = 11-14 in 1st/2nd, 15 in 3rd/4th

Natural 2-level openings

Relays, many transfer responses

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE

1♠ = 15+ any

1♦ = 4+♥s, 9-14 pts, could have longer minor

1♥ = 4+♠s, 9-14 pts, could have longer minor

1♠ = 5+4 minors, 9-14 pts

Relays, many transfer responses

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE

PSYCHICS:

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	Lead	In Partner's suit
Suit	4ths	
NT	4ths	
Subseq	attitude	

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	AKx	
King	KQx, AK tight	
Queen	QJx	
Jack	JTx, KJT _x	
10	109x, KT9 _x , QT9 _x	
9	9x	
Hi-x	Xx, xXx, xXxx	
Lo-x	Hxx	

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
Suit	1 low encourage	reverse count	1st = odd-even
	2 suit preference	suit preference	reverse present
	3 reverse count		
NT	1		
	2		
	3		

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Response; Reopening)

standard, light if shapely

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE (RE-)DOUBLES

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DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening)

Aggressive style, could be 4 cards at 1-level

In response, 2-over-1 non-forcing; cue = good 3-cd raise

1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)

15 - 18 / 11-14

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

Intermediate at 2-level, strong at 3-level

DIRECT AND JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopen)

wide-ranging Michaels

3♣ p/c opposite M/m hand

VS. NT (vs. Strong/ Weak; Reopening; PH)

X = penalty

Aspro: 2♣ = ♥s & another, 2♦ = ♠s & a minor

VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids)

standard

2NT in response is scrambling

VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS

X of 1♣ = good hand; natural 1-level overcalls

1NT = minors; 2♣ / 2♦ = Aspro

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

usually system ON

OPENING	TICKET	ARTIF	OF MINORS	NEG. DBL THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣	✓	0	4♣		15+ any	1♦ = 0-9; 1♠ = 9-14 balanced 1♥ / 1NT / 2♣ / 2♦ = transfers, 9+ pts	1♣ - 1♦ - 1♥ = 18+ relay, 1NT = 15-17, 2♣ = Aspro	
1♦	✓	0	4♣		4+♥s, 9-14 pts could have longer minor	1♥ = 11+ relay; 2♣ / 2♦ / 2NT = transfers 1NT = 6-10 non-forcing; 3♣+ = Bergen-style raises	1♦ - 1♥ - 1♠ = any max, resolvable	
1♥	✓	0	4♣		4+♠s, 9-14 pts could have longer minor	1♠ = 11+ relay; 2♣ / 2♦ / 2♥ / 2NT = transfers 1NT = 6-10 non-forcing; 3♣+ = Bergen-style raises	1♥ - 1♠ - 1NT = any max, resolvable	
1♠	✓	0	4♣		5+4 minors, 9-14 pts	2♣ / 2♠ / 2NT = enquiries; 2♦ / 2♥ = transfers		
1NT	✓	0	4♣		11-14, no Major if 13-14 15-count in 3rd/4th	2♣ Stayman, 4-suit transfers 3x = shortage; SA Texas	X = tko at 2-level, penalty at 3-level+	
2♣		6	2♣		6+♠s, no major, 9-14 pts	2♦ enquiry; 2♥ / 2♠ natural F1 2NT puppet to 3♣ 3♣ invite with H-x		
2♦		6	2♣		6+♦s, no major, 9-14 pts	2NT = puppet to 3♦ 3♦ = invite with H-x		
2♥		5	2♣		5-6 carder, 5-9 pts	2NT enquiry, others non-forcing		
2♠		5	-		5-6 carder, 5-9 pts	2NT enquiry, others non-forcing		
2NT					minors but rarely used			
3 bids		6	-					
3NT	✓		-		gambling	4♣ p/c		
4♣		7	-					
4♦		7	-					
HIGH LEVEL BIDDING								