BASIC RESPONSES	A R AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEDERATION
Jump raises - minors limit ☐ forcing ☐ Other: weak	INCORPORATED ©
Jump raises - majors limit □ forcing □ Other: weak	STANDARD SYSTEM CARD
Jump shifts after minor opening weak in M, other m shows 6-9 with m opened	
Jump shifts after major opening bergen	Names: Andy Braithwaite Bill Haughie ABF Nos:
Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2D waiting, others suits	_
Responses to 2NT opening puppet stayman	Basic System: Standard Brown Sticker U Classification: Green Blue Red Yellow
PLAY CONVENTIONS	OPENING BIDS
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both	Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape
Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x)	1
Underlead Other: A,Q always reverse attitude, K always reverse count	1 NT 15-17 (bad 18) may contain 5 card major \square
Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude	2♠ Stayman: simple □ extended □ Other: 5 card M ask
3rd/5th Other: attitude to NT, 3/5 to suits	Transfers 2♦ hearts 2♥ spades 2♠ clubs
From 4 small 2nd highest Other: as above	2 NT diamonds Other: 3 level bids show shortage in suit above
From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom	2♣ GF or 9 P.T. in major
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage	2♦ Multi- weak 2 in M or 22-23 balanced
Other: reverse count to suits, reverse attitude to NT but A,Q att and K count	2♥ 6-10 pts 5H 4+minor
Signal on declarer's lead reverse count or smith peter	2€ 6-10 pts 5S 4+minor
Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage	2 NT 20-21
odd/even Other:	3 NT gambling style with A of long minor
Count natural reverse S	PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED
CONVENTIONS	MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE
4NT: Blackwood RKCB Other:	
4♠ Gerber □ when?	
Other Conventions	
	COMPETITIVE BIDDING
	Negative doubles through 4H Responsive doubles through 3S
	Jump overcalls variable Unusual NT two lowest suits
	1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 11-14
	Immed cue of minor both majors
@ADE Mayleting	Immed cue of major other major and a minor
©ABF Marketing PO Box 397	Over opponent's 1NT (weak) aspro
Fyshwick ACT 2609	Over opponent's 1NT (strong) aspro
Tel: 02 6239 2265 FAX: 02 6239 1816	Over weak twos natural with leaping michaels at 4 level
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Basic System:	Standard				Brown	Sticker			
Classification:	Green	В	lue 🗆	Red		Yellov	v 🗆		
			OPEN	ING BI	DS				
Describe strength	h, minimum lengt	h, or specific	meaning					Canape	
1 ♣ 2+, 11+ p	ots 1	4+, 11+	pts	1♥	5+, 11+ p	ots	1♠	5+, 11+ pts	,
1 NT 15-17	7 (bad 18)					may con	tain 5 car	d major	
2♣ Stayman:	simple		exte	nded		Other:	5 card N	A ask	
Transfers	2♦ hearts		2♥	spades			2 ♠ clu	ubs	
2 NT	diamonds	0	ther: 3	level bids	show shor	tage in s	suit abov	е	
2 ♣ GF or 9 I	P.T. in major								
2♦ Multi- we	eak 2 in M or 22	-23 balance	d						
2 ▼ 6-10 pts	5H 4+minor								
2 ◆ 6-10 pts	5S 4+minor								
2 NT 20-21									
3 NT gambl	ling style with A	of long min	or						
	PRE-ALE							D	
	MEAI	NING/S O	R REQ	UIRE SF	PECIAL D	DEFEN	ICE		
		COM	IPETIT	TIVE B	IDDING	;			
Negative doubles	s through	4H		Responsiv	ve doubles th	hrough		3S	
Jump overcalls	variable		Unusual I	NT	two lowes	st suits			
1NT overcall (imr	mediate)	15-1	18	(re-	opening)	11	I-14		
Immed cue of mir	nor	both majors	S						
Immed cue of ma	ajor	other major	and a mi	inor					
Over opponent's	1NT (weak)		aspro						
Over opponent's	1NT (strong)		aspro						
Over weak twos	-		•	ith leaping	g michaels	at 4 leve	el		
Over opening thro	ees				aning mic				

		RESPONSES TO	OPENII	NG BIDS	
		Describe strength, minimum length or sp	ecific meanir	ng	
1 ♣	1•	hearts	2NT	11-12 bal	
	1 ♥ /♠	spades/ diamonds	3♠	weak	
	1NT	6-9 pts, no M	3♦	splinter	
	2♠	10+ pts, inverted	3♥	splinter	
	2♦	6-9 pts, 5+ clubs	3♠	splinter	
	2♥	3-7 pts, 6+ hearts	3NT	13-15 to play	
	2♠	3-7 pts, 6+ spades	4 bids	EKCB	
1		natural, 6+ pts	3♣	6-9 pts, 4+ diamonds	
	1NT	6-9 pts, no M	3♦	weak	
	2♣	10+ pts, natural	3♥	splinter	
	2♦	10+ pts, inverted	3♠	splinter	
	2♥	3-7 pts, 6+ hearts	3NT	13-15 to play	
	2♠	3-7 pts, 6+ spades	4♦	weak	
	2NT	11-12 bal	4 Other	EKCB	
1 ♥ /♠	1NT	6-9 pts	3♠	bergen	
	2♣	10+ pts, natural	3♦	bergen	
	2♦	10+ pts, natural	3 ♥ /♠	bergen	
	2♥/♠	6-9 pts, 3 card raises	3NT	balanced game raise, 4M	
	2NT	bergen	4♣/♦	splinters	
2♣	2♦	waiting	2 ♥ /♠	natural	
	other	natural			
2•	2♥	pass or correct	3♣/♦	natural nf	
	2♠	pass or correct	3 ♥ /♠	pass or correct	
	2NT	inquiry	3NT	both M, 3-7 pts	
2 ♥ /♠	2NT	inquiry	3NT	to play	
	3♣/♦	pass or correct (3C), to play (3D)	4♣/♦	splinter	
	3♥/♠	nonforcing raise	4♥/♠	to play	
2NT	3♣	puppet stayman	4♣	slam try	
	3♦	hearts	4♦	slam try	
	3♥	spades	4♥	to play	
	3♠	minors	4♠	to play	
	3NT	to play	other		

		CON	VENTIO	NS				
Additional respons	ses to 1NT							
3♣/3♦	shortage in suit above, gf							
3♥/3♠	shortage in	suit above, gf						
4♣	transfer to	4H						
4♦	transfer to 4S							
4♥	to play							
4♠	to play							
Unusual NT:	mi	nors \square	other suits		lower 2 unbid suits			
other								
Other slam bidding	g	Cue Bids		Asking Bids				
4th Suit Forcing		One round			Game force			
NT Checkback		Priorities						
Defence to 3NT op	ening	x values, 40	C major suit	takeout				
Defence to openin	g Two's:	Multi 2♦ x	major overca	all, 2M takeout of t	hat M			
RCO style	2-s	x takeout of bid suit						
Other 2-s		x takeout						
Defence to strong	•	truscott						
Lebensohl		Over NT interferer		only over x of 2	suit openings			
Other uses		nsohl in other situati						
Take out of 4 level			4♣/4♦	takeout				
	4♥	x takeout	4 ♠ x car	ds				
		ОТН	ER NOT	ES				