

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING		LEADS AND SIGNALS			WBF and SBF Convention Card		
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening)	OPENING LEADS STYLE						
Normal, may be light, seldom 4 cards		Lead	In Partner’s Suit				
	Suit	1-3-5 std from sequences					
Jump to 2NT shows support, 3x mixed or SPL raise	NT	4 th +attitude	135	Category:			
Trf after neg double of 1Ma	Subsequent	2 nd /4 th through decl	135	NCBO:	Sweden		
	Other :	Attitude/count		Event:			
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1NT OVERCALL (2 nd /4 th Live; Responses; Reopening)	LEADS			SYSTEM SUMMARY			
15-18 (11-16)	Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE			
2NT 4 th 19-21	Ace			5533 (normally 1C with 33/1D with 44 minors)			
	King			2C 18-21 bal/semibal or FG with C/H/S			
	Queen			2D 3-9 6(5)M or 25+bal or FG with D			
	Jack	J10 or HJ10	J10 or HJ10	2M 10-13 6+Ma			
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)	10	109 or H109	109 or H109	1NT 15-17/2NT 22-24			
(2x)-jump to 3Ma Canapé	9						
(1x)-3C two suiter (lowest unbid)	Hi-x			1-level responses may be weaker than 6hcp			
(1x)-2NT highest and lowest	Lo-x						
	SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE			
DIRECT AND JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopening)		Partner’s Lead	Declarer’s Lead	Discarding			
(1m)-2D both majors	Suit: 1 st	Low enc	Low even	Low enc	1-level responses may be weaker than 6hcp		
(1M)-2M highest suits (3M lowest, strong)	2 nd	Low even			1m-2D one major, weak or inv+		
(1X)-2NT highest+lowest	3 rd				1m-2H 7-11 5S 4+H		
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening; Passed Hand)	NT: 1 st	Low enc or even			1m-2S 5+support INV+		
2C both majors	2 nd				1NT-(2X)-2NT up trf		
2D onc-suited	3 rd				1M-(D)-transfer (also after our overcall 1M)		
2M M+m. 2NT mm	Signals (Trumps):				Drury, Gazilli, XY modules		
D after pass: 4Ma and 5mi	Lavinthal						
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT-bids)	DOUBLES			SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES			
(3M)-4M 64/46 minors	TAKE-OUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)						
Michaels/Leaping Michael - also after 1NT-(2/3M)	Normal, sometimes aggressive						
(2X)-3M jump 4M longer minor, (2M)-3M minors	Reversed Lebensohl after weak 2-level openings or when 2NT is a free bid						
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS	Std Lebensohl otherwise						
Dbl/2D=majors. 1NT=minors, 2NT=H/C or D/S	Scramble if no game possible						
	SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES			IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE			
	Most low level doubles are for T/O, 3 rd double often penalty			2NT may have special meanings			
OVER OPPONENTS’ TAKE-OUT DOUBLE	After 1-level RD or D of 1NT still T/O doubles						

OPENING BID DESCRIPTIONS							
Open ing	Tick if Art	Min No Cards	Neg Dbl Thru	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1♣		3		With 33mi normally 1C	1N/2N inv, 2C=INV+, supp, 2D 6+M weak or INV+, 2H 7-11 5S 4+H, 2S=Inv+ 5+supp, 3C=weak (5-9)	1m-1X; 1M promise 4+m, Reverse can be seminat, Jump rebids to 2M art. 1m-1M; 2NT 16+ supp or 6+m	
1♦		3		With 44mi most times 1D	2C=FG 4+C, 2D 6+M weak or INV+, 2H 7-11 5S 4+H, 2S=Inv+ 5+supp, 3C=6+ INV, 3D=weak (5-9)	1D-1N; 2C nat 15+, 3C=11-14 1D-1H; 2S 14+ 6D 3H or 16+ 5D 4C 3H 1D-1S; 2H Reverse, can be <4H	
1♥		5			1N may be weak w support; 2H=8-11 2N 3+supp INV+, 3S any spl 9-11, 3N/4m void 9-11	1H-1S/N; 2C 16+ or 14+ 6H or 3S 1H-1S; 2N 16+ supp or 6H 4m	Transfers from 1NT after D
1♠		5			1N may be weak w support; 2S=8-11 2N 3+sup, INV+, 3N any spl 9-11, 4x void 9-11	1S-1N; 2C 16+ or 14+ 6S or 3H 1M-1N; 2N 14+ 6S 4H/m	Transfers after D
1NT				(14+)15-17	2C Stayman 2D/H/S/N Transfer, 3C short in one M, 3D/H Transfer INV+, 3S 5-5m 2C does not promise 4c major	1NT-2C; 2NT both M 1NT-3C; 3D asks, 3H 4H+spade stopper	
2♣				18-21 BAL or FG with C//H/S	2D Relay, 2M 0-5(can be 4c), 2NT 0-5 with one minor 3X+ transfers	2C-2D; 2H=H or 18-19 Bal (3C/3D art)	
2♦				3-9 6M, 25+BAL or FG with D	2S F1 with 5+S, 2N INV+	2D-2N; 3C=H 3D=S	
2♥				10-13 6H	2N INV+		
2♠				10-13 6S	2N INV+		
2NT				22-24	Stayman, Transfers, 3S mm		
3♣				preemptive	4D Ace ask		
3♦				preemptive	4C Ace ask		
3♥				preemptive	4C Ace ask		
3♠				preemptive	4C Ace ask		
3NT				Solid major ½ pos	4C ST, 4D Length ask		
4♣				preemptive			
4♦				preemptive			
4♥				preemptive			
4♠				preemptive			
4NT							
5♣							
5♦							
5♥							
5♠							
5NT							
HIGH LEVEL BIDDING							
RKC 1430, cuebids, LT, s/ns 3NT							