SPECIAL DOUBLES

After Overcall: Penalty ☐ _____
Negative ■ thru **4 ♥**
Responsive ■: thru **4 ♥**   Maximal ☐
Support: Dbl.■ thru **2 x**   Redbl ■
Card-showing ☐   Min. Offshape T/O ☐
ConvX in 1♣ auctions

SIMPLE OVERCALL

1 level **7** to **+**   HCP (usually)
often 4 cards ☐   very light style ☐

Responses

New suit: Forcing ■ NFConst ☐ NF ☐
Jump raise: Forcing ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ■
cue=LR+, NSNFConst by PH

JUMP OVERCALL

Strong ☐   Intermediate ☐   Weak ■
Intermediate in BAL

OPENING PREEMPTS

	Sound	Light	Very Light
3/4-bids	☐	■	☐

Conv./Resp. Namyats (4m->M)

DIRECT CUEBID

	OVER: Minor	Major	Artif. Bid
Natural	☐	☐	☐
Strong T/O	☐	☐	☐
Michaels	■	■	☐

Mathe vs Str m, 1♣–1♦

SLAM CONVENTIONS

Gerber ■   4NT: Blackwood ☐   RKC ☐ 1430 ■
Asking bids after 1♣ and GF

vs. Interference: DOPI ■   DEPO ■   Level: _____ 5 x   ROPI ■

LEADS (circle card led, if not in bold)

versus Suits		versus Notrump	
x x	x x x **x**	x x	x x x **x**
x x **x**	x x x x **x**	x x **x**	x x x x **x**
A̲K̲ x	**T** 9 x	A̲K̲ J x	A **Q** J x
K Q x	**K** J T x	A **J** T 9	A **T** 9 x
Q J x	**K** T 9 x	**K** Q J x	**K** Q T 9
J T 9	**Q** T 9 x	**Q** J T x	**Q** T 9 x
K Q T 9		**J** T 9 x	**T** 9 x x

LENGTH LEADS:

4th Best	vs SUITS ■	vs NT ■
3rd/5th Best	vs SUITS ☐	vs NT ☐
	Attitude vs NT ☐	

K asks Kount

Primary signal to partner's leads
Attitude ■   Count ☐   Suit preference ☐

NOTRUMP OVERCALLS

Direct: **15+** to **18** Systems on ■
Conv. __Strong NT system__
Balancing: **11** to **14**
Jump to 2NT: Minors ☐   2 Lowest ■
Conv. ☐

DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP

vs:		Max < 16
2♣	♣ + M	♦ or M + m
2♦	♦ + M	Majors
2♥	NAT	NAT
2♠	NAT	NAT
Dbl:	♣ or ♦ or Majors	PEN
Other		

OVER OPP'S T/O DOUBLE

New Suit Forcing: 1 level ■   2 level ☐
Jump Shift: Forcing ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ■
Redouble implies no fit ■

	2NT Over	Limit+	Limit	Weak
Majors		■	☐	☐
Minors		■	☐	☐
Other				

VS Opening Preempts Double Is

Takeout ■ thru **4 ♥**   Penalty ☐
Conv. Takeout: _____
Lebensohl 2NT Response ■
Other: _____

DEFENSIVE CARDING

	vs SUITS	vs NT
Standard:	☐	☐
Except ☐		

Upside-Down:

	vs SUITS	vs NT
count	■	■
attitude	■	■

FIRST DISCARD

	vs SUITS	vs NT
Lavinthal	☐	☐
Odd/Even	■	■
	☐	☐

OTHER CARDING

	vs SUITS	vs NT
Smith Echo	☐	■
Trump Suit Pref.	■	
Foster Echo	☐	☐

SPECIAL CARDING ☐   PLEASE ASK

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GENERAL APPROACH
Precision w/Asking Bids, variable NT

Two Over One: Game Forcing ■   Game Forcing Except When Suit Rebid ☐
VERY LIGHT: Openings ☐   3rd Hand ☐   Overcalls ☐   Preempts ☐
FORCING OPENING: 1♣ ■ 2♣ ☐ Natural 2 Bids ☐ Other ☐

NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS

1NT
11 – 13 in **1 – 3 NV**
14 – 16 in **4th & V**
5-card Major Common ☐
System on over **2♣** Art
2♣ Stayman ■   Puppet ☐
2♦ Transfer to ♥ ■
Forcing Stayman ☐
2♥ Transfer to ♠ ■
2♠ NAT / -> ♣
2NT NAT / -> ♦

3♣ To play / _____
3♦ To play / _____
3♥ INV / _____
3♦ INV / _____
Forc. Stm/wk, Txfs/str
4♦, 4♥ Transfer ■
Smolen ☐
Lebensohl ■ (_fast_ denies)
Neg. Double ☐:
Other: DONT rescues / X

2NT _____ to _____
Puppet Stayman ☐
Transfer Responses:
Jacoby ☐   Texas ☐
3♠ _____

3NT _____ to _____

Conventional NT Openings
2NT 5+5+m, 4-8NV/8-12V
3NT broken minor PRE

MAJOR OPENING

	4	5
Expected Min. Length	4	5
1st/2nd	☐	■
3rd/4th	☐	■

RESPONSES

	Force	Inv.	Weak
Double Raise:	☐	☐	■
After Overcall:	☐	☐	■

Conv. Raise: 2NT ■ 3NT ■ Splinter ■
Other: Bergen (mod range)
1NT: Forcing ■   Semi-forcing ☐
2NT: Forcing ■ Inv. ☐ ____ to ____
3NT: ____ to ____
Drury ☐: Reverse ☐ 2-Way ☐ Fit ☐
Other:

MINOR OPENING

	4	3	0-2	Conv.
Expected Min. Length			NF	
1♣ **16+, 17+ BAL**	☐	☐	■	☐
1♦ **11-15(16), 2+**	☐	☐	■	☐

RESPONSES OVER 1♦

	Force	Inv.	Weak
Double Raise:	☐	☐	■
After Overcall:	☐	☐	■

Forcing Raise: J/S in other minor ☐
Single raise ■ Other: 3♣ weak, ♣ + ♦
1NT/1♦ **7** to **10**
2NT: Forcing ■ Inv. ☐ **13–15** or **18+**
3NT: **16** to **17**
Other: **See below** for 1♣ responses

2♣   **11** to **15** HCP   6+ ♣, may have 4cM

Strong ☐   Other ■
2♦ Resp: Neg ☐   Waiting ☐   INV+ relay

DESCRIBE | RESPONSES/REBIDS
2M, NAT, Const, 2NT INV
3♣ PRE, 3♦,M GF NAT
2M 4cM, 2NT BAL, 3♣unbal,

2♦   **11** to **15** HCP   4414, 4405, (34)15
Natural: Weak ☐ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv. ■
2N shape relay
2NT Force ■ New Suit NF ■

2♥   **5** to **10** HCP
Natural: Weak ■ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv. ☐
2NT Ogust
2NT Force ■ New Suit NF ☐

2♠   **5** to **10** HCP
Natural: Weak ■ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv. ☐
2NT Force ■ New Suit NF ☐

OTHER CONV. CALLS:
New Minor Forcing: ☐   2-Way NMF ■ XYZ/NT
Weak Jump Shifts not in Comp. ☐   4th Suit Forcing: 1 Round ☐ Game ■
1♣: 1♦ 0-7(8) NGF; 1M, 2m GF Txf; 1NT 8–11; 2M HHxxxx 3-6; 2NT 12+, 4+AKC, F4NT
3♣–4♦ var. 4441s, except 3♠ any solid 7+.

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