

1 \mathbf{m} opening

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1 \clubsuit – ?

- 1 \diamond = 0-6
- 1 \heartsuit = 4+ \heartsuit
- 1 \spadesuit = 4+ \spadesuit
- 1NT = 7-10, no 4 \mathbf{M}
- 2 \clubsuit = \mathbf{GF} : BAL or \clubsuit
- 2 \diamond = 5+ \diamond , \mathbf{GF} , may have 4 \mathbf{M}
- 2 \heartsuit = 5 \spadesuit 4 \heartsuit 6-9
- 2 \spadesuit = 11+ BAL, no 4 \mathbf{M}
- 2NT = 11-12 BAL
- 3NT = 15-17 BAL

1 \diamond – ?

- 1 \heartsuit = 4+ \heartsuit
- 1 \spadesuit = 4+ \spadesuit
- 1NT = 6-10, no 4 \mathbf{M} , no \diamond support
- 2 \clubsuit = 12-14 BAL or \clubsuit , \mathbf{GF}
- 2 \diamond = no 4 \mathbf{M} , 4+ \diamond , \mathbf{INV}^+
- 2 \heartsuit = 5 \spadesuit 4 \heartsuit 6-9
- 2 \spadesuit = 11+ BAL, no 4 \mathbf{M}

- 2NT = 11-12 BAL
- 3NT = 15-17 BAL

1♣ – 2♣
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- 2♦ = BAL
- 2♥ = 5♣ 4♥ ~~BAL~~
- 2♠ = 5♣ 4♠ ~~BAL~~
- 2NT = 5♣ 4♦ ~~BAL~~
- 3♣ = ♣ ~~BAL~~

1♣ – 2♣
2♦ – ?

- 2♥ = 5♣ 4♥ ~~BAL~~
- 2♠ = 5♣ 4♠ ~~BAL~~
- 2NT = 12-14/18+ BAL
- 3♣ = 6♣, no 4♥♠
- 3♦ = 5♣ 4♦, **GF**
- 3NT = 15-17 BAL

1♦ – 2♦
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- 2♥ = ♥ stopper
- 2♠ = ♠ stopper
- 2NT = both major stoppers
- 3♣ = NAT
- 3♦ = sign off (threshold for invite)

bidding higher suit denies lower stopper

1♣♦ – 2♥
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- 2NT = **ASK LSF**

1♣ – 2♠
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- 2NT = BAL min
- 3♣ = 5+♣ min
- 3♦ = 5+♣ **GF**
- 3♥ = 1-♥, 5+♣ **GF**
- 3♠ = 1-♠, 5+♣ **GF**
- 3NT = to play

1♦ – 2♠
?

- 2NT = BAL min
- 3♣ = 4+♣ min
- 3♦ = 5+♦ min
- 3♥ = 1-♥, 5+♦ **GF**
- 3♠ = 1-♠, 5+♦ **GF**
- 3NT = to play

Two way checkback

After any 1x – 1y – 1z sequence (except: 1♣ – 1♦ = negative).

1x – 1y
1z – ?

- 2♣ = any invite, forces 2♦
- 2♦ = any **GF**