## 1<sub>NT</sub> opening

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1NT opening = (14)15-17 BAL

#### 1NT - ?

- 2 = Stayman
- $2 \stackrel{\bullet}{\bullet} = \text{forces } 2 \stackrel{\blacktriangledown}{\blacktriangledown}$
- 2 = forces 2
- $2 \spadesuit = \text{inv or} \rightarrow \clubsuit$
- $2NT = \rightarrow \bullet$
- 3 = Puppet Stayman
- 3**♦** = 55**♣**
- 3♥ = 3-**♦** 1-**♥**, 54**♣**
- 3♠ = 3-♥ 1-♠, 54♣♦
- 3NT = to play
- 4 55
- $4 \bullet$ ,  $4 \heartsuit = \text{Texas}$
- 4NT = Quantitative

## 1NT − 2♠

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- 2NT = 14-15(16)
- 3 = (16)17

### 1NT-2NT

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- $3\clubsuit$  = superaccept
- $3 \Rightarrow = \text{accept}$

### 1NT - 3

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- $3 \spadesuit = NAT$
- 3NT = to play
- 4 = exclusion, choose
- 4NT = choose

#### Smolen

1NT - 2

**2**♦ − ?

- $2 \checkmark = 5 \checkmark 4 \spadesuit$ , to play
- $2 \spadesuit = 5 \spadesuit 4 \heartsuit$ , to play
- $3 \lor = 5 \spadesuit 4 \lor , \mathbf{GF}$
- 3♠ = 5♥ 4♠, **GF**

1NT - 2

**2♥** - ?

•  $2 \spadesuit = 5 \heartsuit 4 \spadesuit$ , inv

#### 1NT - 2♥ 2♠ - ?

•  $3 \checkmark = 5 4 \checkmark$ , inv

$$\begin{array}{c} 1\mathrm{NT} - 2 \blacklozenge \\ 2 \blacktriangledown - 2 \spadesuit \end{array}$$

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- Pass, 2NT,  $3 \checkmark = to play$
- 3NT,  $4 \checkmark$ ,  $4 \spadesuit$  = to play

- PASS,  $3 \stackrel{\bullet}{\bullet} = \text{to play}$
- 3NT,  $4 \checkmark$ ,  $4 \spadesuit$  = to play