# 1<sub>NT</sub> opening

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1 NT opening = (14)15-17 BAL

1NT - ?

- 2 = Stayman
- $2 \stackrel{\bullet}{\bullet} = \text{forces } 2 \stackrel{\blacktriangledown}{\bullet}$
- 2 = forces 2
- 2 = INV or TRSF to  $\Phi$
- $2NT = TRSF \text{ to } \blacklozenge$
- 3♣ = Puppet Stayman
- 3**♦** = 55**♣**
- 3♥ = 3-**♦** 1-♥, 54**♦**♦
- 3♠ = 3-♥ 1-♠, 54♣♦
- 3NT = to play
- 4♣ = 55**%**
- $4 \blacklozenge$ ,  $4 \blacktriangledown = Texas$
- 4NT = quantitative

1NT − 2♠

- 2NT = 14-15(16)
- 3♣ = (16)17

# 1NT - 2NT

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

# 1NT – 3♥

- $3 \spadesuit = NAT$
- 3NT = to play
- 4 = pick a, good hand
- 4NT = pick a ♣

#### Smolen

$$1NT - 2$$

$$2 - ?$$

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

#### 1NT - 2

### $\mathbf{1NT}-\mathbf{2}\blacktriangledown$

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$$3 \checkmark = 5 4 \checkmark$$
, INV

#### 1NT - 2

$$2$$
  $- 2$ 

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

### 1NT - 2♥ 2♠ - 3♥ ?

- Pass,  $3 \spadesuit = \text{to play}$
- 3nt,  $4 \checkmark$ ,  $4 \spadesuit$  = to play