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| **GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF bidding methods** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **2/1, 5CM, Better Minor, Strong NT, 3 weak 2s** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **1nt openings and responses** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Strength** | | | 15-17 | | | | | | Tick if artificial and provide details below ⬜ | | | | | | | |
| **Shape constraints** | | | | | | 5M, 6m | | | | | | | Tick if may have singleton ⬜ | | | |
| **Responses** | | | | 2♣ | Non-promissory Stayman + Smolen | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2♦ | Xfer to H | | | | | | | | | | 2♥ | Xfer to S | | | | |
| 2♠ | Xfer to C | | | | | | | | | | 2NT | Xfer to D | | | | |
| Others | | 3x = mini-splinters, 4D/H = H/S | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Action after opponents double | | | | | | | | System on, pass forces XX, XX = scramble | | | | | | | | |
| Action after other interference | | | | | | | | Natural + Lebensohl (FASS), TO doubles | | | | | | | | |
| **two-level openings and responses** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | **Meaning** | | | | | | | | | **Responses** | | | | | | Notes |
| 2♣ | 22+ | | | | | | | | | 2D = waiting, Kokish | | | | | |  |
| 2♦ | Weak 5+d | | | | | | | | | 2x = NF, 2NT = Swedish | | | | | |  |
| 2♥ | Weak 5+h | | | | | | | | | 2x = NF, 2NT = Swedish | | | | | |  |
| 2♠ | Weak 5+s | | | | | | | | | 2x = NF, 2NT = Swedish | | | | | |  |
| 2NT | 20-21 | | | | | | | | | 3C = 5-card Stayman, Xfers, 3S = minor oriented | | | | | |  |
| **other aspects of system which opponents should note** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Please include details of any agreements involving bidding on significantly less than traditional values). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **OTHER OPENING BIDS** | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | HCP | see note\* | Min length | | CONVENTIONAL MEANING | | | | SPECIAL RESPONSES | | Notes |
| 1♣ | 10+ | ⬜ | 3 | |  | | | | Inverted minors, WJS | |  |
| 1♦ | 10+ | ⬜ | 3 | |  | | | | As above + 2C = GF | |  |
| 1♥ | 10+ | ⬜ | 5 | |  | | | | 2/1, 2NT= good raise, Bergen-style | |  |
| 1♠ | 10+ | ⬜ | 5 | |  | | | | As above | |  |
| 3 bids | 4+ | ⬜ | 6 | |  | | | | 3X = F1 | |  |
| 4 bids | 4+ | ⬜ | 6 | |  | | | |  | |  |
| \*(Please enter your normal HCP range in the HCP column. Please tick box if you have any special agreements involving different values in particular positions (e.g. light openings in third seat) and include further details under Supplementary Details). | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **DEFENSIVE METHODS AFTER OPPONENTS OPEN** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OPPONENTS OPEN A NATURAL ONE OF A SUIT | | | | | | conventional meaning |  | special responses | | | Notes |
| Simple overcall | | |  | | | | | UCB | | |  |
| Jump overcall | | | Weak | | | | |  | | |  |
| Cue bid | | | Michaels | | | | |  | | |  |
| 1NT | Direct:  Protective: | | 15-18 / 11-14 | | | | | System on | | |  |
| 2NT | Direct:  Protective: | | Unusual/19-21 | | | | | System on | | |  |
| OPPONENTS OPEN WITH | | | DEFENSIVE METHODS | | | | | special responses | | | Notes |
| Strong 1♣ | | | X = majors, 1NT = minors | | | | |  | | |  |
| Short 1♣/1♦ | | | Treat as natural | | | | |  | | |  |
| Weak 1NT | | | X = penalties, 2C = majors, 2D = 1M, 2H/S = H/S + min, 2NT = minors | | | | |  | | |  |
| Strong 1NT | | | As above, but X = 5m – 4M | | | | |  | | |  |
| Weak 2 | | | Leaping Michaels | | | | |  | | |  |
| Weak 3 | | | Non-leaping Michaels | | | | |  | | |  |
| 4 bids | | | standard | | | | |  | | |  |
| Multi 2♦ | | | X = 13-15 or 19+, 2NT = 15-18, 2M = T.O of other M | | | | |  | | |  |
| **SLAM CONVENTIONS** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Name | | | | Meaning of Responses | | | | | | Action over interference | |
| RKCB | | | | 14/03/2/2+ | | | | | | ROPI/DOPI | |
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| K you have or K you don’t | | | |  | | | | | |  | |
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| **COMPETITIVE AUCTIONS** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agreements after opening of one of a suit and overcall by opponents | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Level to which negative doubles apply | | | | | | 4H | | | | | | | | |
| Special meaning of bids | | | | | |  | | | | | | | | |
| Exceptions / other agreements | | | | | |  | | | | | | | | |
| Agreements after opponents double for takeout | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Redouble | | 9+ | | New suit | | | F1 | | | Jump in new suit | | | fit | |
| Jump raise | | Pre-empt | | 2NT | | | Nat/Good 4c raise | | | Other | | |  | |
| Other agreements concerning doubles and redoubles | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1M – x – (2M-1) = 7-9 with 3, (3M-1) = 7-9 with 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Support X & XX | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Game try x | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **other conventions** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Checkback – 1-way | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4th suit forcing | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 way reverse drury | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gambling 3NT | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Please cross-reference where appropriate to the relevant part of card, and continue on back if needed). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1NT-2S-3D: after a minor xfer we complete with support | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2C: 2D (waiting), 2H/S forces 2S/NT | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1M-2NT or 2x-2NT: 3C = any min, 3D = extras no shortage, 3H/S/NT = extras C/D/OM shortage. After 3C, 3D asks for shortage and above applies | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1m-2m: 2m+1 = weak NT, 2X = extras with values in X, 2NT = extras and values in 2m+1, 3NT = bal 18-19 with no interest in small, jumps = splinters | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1M: 3C = 4M, 7-9; 3D = 3M, 10-12, 2NT = 4M, 10+ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **OPENING LEADS** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| For all the card combinations shown, clearly mark the card normally led if different from the underlined card. | | | | | | | | | | | Hatch over or shade this box if using non-standard leads. | | | |
| v. suit contracts | A K | | A K x | | K Q 10 | | | K Q x | K J 10 | | | K 10 9 | | Q J 10 |
| Q J x | | J 10 x | | 10 x x | | | 10 9 x | 9 8 7 x | | | 10 x x x | | H x x |
| H x x x | | H x x x x | | H x x x x x | | | x x | x x x | | | x x x x | | x x x x x |
| v. NT contracts | A K x (x) | | A J 10 x | | K Q 10 | | | K Q x | K J 10 | | | K 10 9 | | Q J 10 |
| Q J x | | J 10 x | | 10 x x | | | 10 9 x | 9 8 7 x | | | 10 x x x | | H x x |
| H x x x | | H x x x x | | H x x x x x | | | x x | x x x | | | x x x x | | x x x x x |
| Other agreements in leading, e.g. high level contracts, partnership suits:- | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 is not treated as an honour. 2nd+4th leads | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A/Q ask for reverse att, K asks for count/unblock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Carding methods** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | | | Primary method v. suit contracts | | | | | | Primary method v. NT contracts | | | | | |
| On Partner’s lead | | | Reverse attitude | | | | | | Reverse attitude | | | | | |
| On Declarer’s lead | | | Standard count | | | | | | Standard count | | | | | |
| When discarding | | | Reverse attitude | | | | | | McKenney | | | | | |
| Other carding agreements, including secondary methods (state when applicable) and exceptions to above | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Smith Peters vs NT – low encourages | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS (continued)** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Leaping Michaels: After opponents open 2M, 4m = 5,4+ in m and other M | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Non-leaping Michaels: After opponents open 3M, 4m = 5,4+ in m and other M | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| In competition we play 1 over 1 F1, 2 over 1 constructive NF, 2 over 2 constructive NF | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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