



DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING		LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening)	OPENING LEADS STYLE				
Light at one level; CUE-BID = fit INV or strong		Lead	In Partner's Suit		
New suit=NF; Jump RAISE=PRE;	Suit	3rd/5th			
1NT RESP=NF	NT	ATT	ATT, 3rd in partners unsupp suit		Category: Natural - GREEN rev. August 2007
Reopening: Michaels cue bid, interm. jumps, after 1♣: 2♦=♥/♠, after 1♦: 2♦=♥/♠	Subseq	ATT	ATT		Country: DUTCH BRIDGE FEDERATION
after 1M-pass-2M: 4♣=♠+oM, 4♦=♦+oM	Other: Versus NT, K asks UB;			Event: Venice Cup - Shanghai	
1NT OVERCALL (2ND/4TH Live; Responses; Reopening)	RUS: versus NT (bad suits)			Players: CARLA ARNOLDS - -BEP VRIEND	
2nd POS 15+/18+HCP; Resp as over 1NT OPEN;	LEADS				SYSTEM SUMMARY
Reopening 1NT = 10/15 No STOP guarantee ---TRF, 2♣ = relay	Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT		GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
2NT = 18/19 Resp as over 2NT opening	Ace	AKx(+),Ax(+)	AK,AKx,Ax		Natural
	King	AK,KQ,KQJ(+),KQx(+)	AKJT(+),KQJ(+),KQT9(+)		1♥/♠=5+;
	Queen	QJ,QJx(+)	QJ9(+),AQJ9,KQ(T)x		1♥/♠-1NT = NF (6-11);
	Jack	JT,JTx(+)	QJx,JT(+),JT9(+)		Specialized 2-level Openings
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)	10	T9,T9x(+),HJT9x(+),Tx	T9,T9x(+), HJT9x(+),Tx		
1-Suit: weak (in 4th position intermediate)	9	9x, HT9x(+)	9x,HT9x(+)		
2-Suit: (1m)-2NT: ♥+om; (1M)-2NT: ♦+♣; (1M)-2M: OM+♣;	Hi-x		Sx,xSx,SSxx,		1NT Openings: 15 - 17 HCP
(1M)-3♣: OM+♦; (1♠/♦)-2♦: ♥+♠; (1♠)-3♣= ♠+♦	Lo-x				2 OVER 1 Response:GF
Reopen: see overcalls reopening	SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY				SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE
DIRECT and JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopen)		Partners Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding	- 2♣ = weak ♦; SF/GF any; 22/23 or 26/27 NT
1♣-2♣=nat; 1♦-2♦=♥+♠, 1♥-2♥=♠+♣, 1♠-2♠=♥+♣ ANY 5-5, 1♣-3♣=♠+♦; 1♦-3♦=♠+♦	Suit:1st	O=ENCRG	Hi/lo=O	O=ENCRG	- MULTI 2♦ weak 2M; any 20-24 4441; 24/25 NT
new suit=F1; cuebid=INV	2nd	E=DISCRG+S/P	S/P	E=DISCRG	- 2M: WEAK, M+m
reopen:1♣-2♣=majors, Michaels cuebid,jumps intermediate	3rd	Hi/lo=O		E=DISCRG+S/P	- 3NT: SOLID MINOR
2NT 17-19	NT: 1st	O=ENCRG	Hi/lo=O	O=ENCRG	
VS. NT (vs. Strong / Weak; Reopening; PH)	2nd	E=DISCRG+S/P	S/P	E=DISCRG	- Transfer LEBENSOHL: after partners 1NT and overcall opp
MULTI-LANDY: 2♣:♥+♠, 4+/4+; then 2♦ asks longest M, 2NT asks m;	3rd	Hi/lo=O		E=DISCRG+S/P	- RUBENSOHL after weak jump overcalls 2-level
2♥:either M, then 2M=P/C;3m=NF; 2NT=inv asks min/max;	Signals (including Trumps): Trumps: Hi-lo may show ability to ruff				After 1♣ -(1NT)-2♣ = majors
2♥:♥+m, then 2♠/3m=NF, 2NT asks m;	Lavinthal				
2♠:♠+m; then 3♥/3m=NF, 2NT asks m					Two Suited Overcalls (at least 5-5; vul at least invitational, non vul free):
2NT = minors or ANY GF 2-suiter	DOUBLES				1m-2♦: both M; 1m-2NT: ♥+om; 1♣-3♣: ♠+♦
	TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)				1M-2M: oM+♣; 1M-2NT: both m; 1M-3♣: oM+♦
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids)	May be light with classic shape; CUE-BID:(8+HCP);				
2NT after (WK2x)-DBL-(P)- constructive F1;	SCRAMBLING 2NT; Over RDBL: Jump is PRE				After overcall 1-level: transfers and conventional bids
					Negative freebid after 1♣ (1♥) 2♦ and 1♦ (2♠) 2♥/♠
Over weak 2M: 4♣=OM+♣, 4♦=OM+♦					SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS	SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES				1x-(DBL)-RDBL:F thru 1NT or 2x
Vs 1♣:CRASH(random): DBL=Red or black suits (colour),	NEG DBL THRU 4♥ (4♦); 1♣-(1♦)-DBL: 4+-cards in both Ms;				(NV3x)-DBL-(5x)-P=F
1♦=M's or m's (rank); 1NT=♠+♦ or ♥+♠ (shape);	1m-(1♥)-DBL:4(3)♠; (1♠) dbl (2♠) dbl =4-crd ♥				(NV3x)-4♥/♠-(5x)-P=F
After 1♣-P-1♦:DBL=rank;1NT=shape; Advances=P/C	RESP. DBL thru 4♥;				IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE
	COMP DBL; ROSENKRANTZ RED				
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKE OUT DOUBLE	MAX OVERCALL DBL				
New suit 1-level F; 2-level NF; JUMPS=PRE; Truscott 2NT;	SUPPORT DBL / RDBL THRU 2♥				
3M=PRE; Bergen					Psychics: Rare
RDL = 10+					

OPENING BID DESCRIPTIONS							
Opening	Artificial	Min.	Neg Dble thru	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1♣		2	4♥	11-23 HCP	1♥/♠=5+HCP, may have longer ♠; 1NT=8-10; 2NT=nat, limit	Over 1 NT REBID: 2♣ = (R)	
				1♣ w/ 4♣4♦	1♦ = may have 4♥/♠/333 INV+ ; INVERTED MINOR RAISES:	1♣-2♣-2NT = BAL MIN, 1♣-2♣-2x=feature	
					2♣=FI (10/11+HCP); 3♣=PRE 3♦/♥/♠=preempt	1♣-2♣-3x=SPL, 1♣-1♥/♠-2♥/♠-2♠/NT=(R)	
1♦		4	4♥	11-23 HCP	1NT=6-10; 2NT=nat,lim; 2♣=GF	Over 1NT REBID: 2♣=(R); 1♦-2♦-2NT= BAL MIN,	
					INVERTED MINOR RAISES:	1♦-2♦-2X=feature, 1♦-1♥/♠-2♥/♠-2♠/NT=(R)	
					2♦=F1(10/11+HCP); 3♦=PRE; 3♥/♠=preempt		
1♥		5	4♦	11-23 HCP	1NT=6-11; 2NT=fit,lim+ ->3♣(R); 3♥/4♥=PRE;	Over 1NT REBID: 2♣=(R)	2NT = 4-crd fit, limit
					3♣/♦=Bergen raises; 3NT=4-crd fit bal. 12-15	1♥-1♠-2♠-2NT= (R)	Drury prom fit
					3♠/4♠/4♦=12-14 SPL; 2♣=2+GF; 2♦=5+GF		Bergen raises
1♠		5	4♥	11-23 HCP	AS FOR 1♥; 4♥= NAT; 2♣=GF,2+; 2♦=GF,5+; 2♥=GF,5+	As for 1♥; 1♠-1NT-3♣ asks#♥ (3♦=3/5) (3♥=4)	As for 1♥
1NT				15 - 17 HCP BAL	2♣ = (R), 2♦/♥ (R), 2♠ = one minor; 3♣ aks 5M;		Same as by UPH
				5M or 6m OK	3♦:5♦/4♣ shM; 3♥:5♥/4♦ sh♥;3♠ id. sh♠; 4♠/♦=Texas, SI.inv.	1NT-3♦-3♥= (R) aks 3-crd M	
2♣	v	0		weak 2♦; SF/GF any;	2/3♦ = P/C; 2NT = Forc Rel (inv or strong);	after 2NT: 3♣ = min♦; 3♦ max ♦	As for UPH
				22/23 or 26/27 NT	2♥/♠ = natural, NF	2♣-p-2♦-p-3♥/3♠=6♦=4-crd ♥/♠	
2♦	v	0		MULTI weak two in ♥/♠;	2♥/♠=P/C; 2NT=F1 asks descr; 3m=GF;	2♦-2♥-2♠-3♠ = PRE; 2♦-2♥-2♠-2NT = inv ♠; 2♦-2♠-3♠ = weak 2♥	As for UPH
				24/25 NT; 20-24 any 4441	3♥/3♠=P/C; 4♠=requests TRF;4♦=asks suit; 4♥/♠=NAT	2♦ - 2♠ - 3♦/♥/♠/NT = 4441, suit below singleton (3NT = 441♦4)	
2♥		5		WK 5♥+5m 5/11HCP;	2♠=NAT, NF; 2NT=GF asks m; 3♣=P/C; 3♦ inv ♥; 3♠=GF	over 2NT: 3♣/♦ MIN, 3♥=MAX with 5♣, 3♠=MAX WITH 5♦	As for UPH
				NV 5♥ + 4+m			
2♠		5		WK 5♠+5m (see 2♥)	see 2♥	see 2♥	As for UPH
2NT				20-21HCP 5M,6m OK	PUP STAY; TRF; 3♠=♣ SI; 3NT = 5♠+4♥ NF;4♠/♦/♥=♦/♥/♠,SI;	3♦=no 5M THEN 3♥=♠,3♠=♥,4♦=♥+♠,4♠= MINOR SUIT ASKING	
					4♠= ACEask;4NT=QUANT;5NT= 5♠/4♥ FI		
3♣	also 3♦/♥/♠	6		PRE, undisc. NV, 3rd seat	3♦ asks 3-crd M (reversed), 4♦ shows both ; 3♥/3♠ nat F1		
3NT		7		solid minor	4♠=P/C; 4♦=GF, asks sing; 4M=end		
4♣	also 4♦ v	7		PRE			
HIGH LEVEL BIDDING							
RKCB-1430; MIXED CUE BIDS; LIGHTNER; SPLINTERS; JOSEPHINE							
DOPI/ROPI; PASS AND PULL = INV; EXCLUSION BLACKWOOD							
LAST TRAIN							