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| **DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING** |  | LEADS AND SIGNALS |  | W B F CONVENTION CARD |
| **OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)** | **OPENING LEADS STYLE** | **CATEGORY: GREEN** |
| 1 level might be light |  | Lead | In Partner’s Suit | **NCBO:** Austria |
| 2 level: medium to sound | Suit | 1st/3rd/5th  | 1st/3rd/5th | **PLAYERS:** PIIBOR Johanna – EDER Felix |
| cuebid = fit + at least inv, jump raise = weak | NT | 2nd/4th | 2nd/4th |  |
| new suit in 1 or 3 level = F1 | Subseq | Attitude | Attitude |  |
| **1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)** | LEADS | SYSTEM SUMMARY |
| 2nd: 15-17 (18), Responses: System On | Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT |
| 4th: (10)11-14, Responses: System On | Ace | AK+, Ax | AK+, asks for deblocking | **GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE** |
|  | King | AK, KQ+  | AK, KQ+ | 5card M, Better minor |
|  | Queen | QJ+ | QJ+ | Weak 2 Opening Bids |
|  | Jack | J10+, Jx | J10+, Jx | 2♣ GF |
| **JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)**  | 10 | KJ10+, 109+, 10x | KJ10+,AJ10+, 109+, 10x | Walsh, 2-way-check-back |
| weak, depending on vul. and position; | 9 | H109+, 98+, 9x | H109+, 98+, 9x |  |
| 2**NT**= lowest 2 unbid suits | Hi-X | Xx, Hx | xXx, xXxx, xXxxx, Hx, HxX |  |
| Reopen: intermediate, good suit | Lo-X | xxX, xxxxX, xxXx, HxX, HxXx | HxxX, HxxXx, HxX | 1NT Opening: (14)15-17, maybe semi-balanced2 OVER 1 Response: GF, 1M-2♣ might be artificial |
|  | SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY |  |
| **DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)** |  | Partner’s Lead | Declarer’s Lead | Discarding | SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE |
| Ghestem | Suit 1 | Low = enc. | Low= odd | Odd = enc. | 2♦, 2♥, 2♠ = weak 2 |
| (1♣)-2♣ ♦+♠, 2♦ = ♥+♠, (1♦)-2♦=♣+♠ | 2 | Suit Preference | Suit Preference | Even=lavinthal | 3x=preempt |
| (1M)-2M = other M + ♣, 3♣= other M+♦ | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| (1m)-3m = natural | NT 1 | Low = enc. | Low= odd | Odd = enc. |  |
| (1M)-3M = asking for stopper, promising solid suit | 2 | Suit Preference | Suit Preference | Even=lavinthal |  |
| **VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening; PH)** | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| 2♣ = both M’s, 4+/4+  | Signals (including Trumps): Low enc. |  |
| 2♦ = one Major | discarding: odd=enc, even=lavinthal |  |
| 2♥ = ♥+m |  |  |
| 2♠ = ♠+m | DOUBLES |  |
| X = 5+m, 4+M (against weak NT: penalty)Pass out: only 2♣ art |  |
| **VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)** | **TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)** | **SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES** |
| X = takeout | may be light | in most GF situations |
| 2NT: natural 15-18(19), system on |  |  |
| leaping Micheals over weak 2 |  |  |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣  |  |  |
| X=Majors (4+/5+), NT=Minors | SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS | **IMPORTANT NOTES** |
|  | Support X and XX up to 2♠  |  |
| **OVER OPPONENTS’ TAKEOUT DOUBLE** | neg. X up to 4♥ |  |
| jump raise may be weak | responsive X up to 4♥  |  |
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|  |  | **PSYCHICS:** rare |

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| **OPENING** |  **TICK IF****ARTIFICIAL**  | **MIN. NO. OF CARDS** | **NEG.DBL THRU** |  |
| **DESCRIPTION** | **RESPONSES** | **SUBSEQUENT ACTION** | **COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING** |
| 1♣ |  | 3 | 4♥  | 11-22, 3+♣  | 2♣=5+♣, 10+ F1, 3♣=6+♣, 6-9 | 1♣ - 1♦ - 1NT doesn’t deny 4cM | 2♣ = 8-11, 5+♣, NF |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1♦ = usually denies 4cM except GF or big diff. in length 1M = may have longer ♦ (if weak hand)1NT = 6-11(12), 2NT = 13-15 or 18+ bal, 3NT=16-17 bal. all: denies 4cM2♥/2♠ = 5+♠, 4+♥ 6-9/ inv.3♦/3♥/3♠ = natural pre-empt | 1x-1y-1z: 2♣ = forces 2♦, then inv. nat. 2♦ = art, GF 2NT = weak with clubs(except after 1♣-1♦-1♥/NT) | no inverted minors after intervention except dbl |
| 1♦ |  | 3 | 4♥ | 11-22, 3+♦  | same as above (except Walsh) | same as above | 2♦ = 8-11, 5+♦, NF |
| 1♥ /1♠  |  | 5 | 4♥  | 11-22, 5+♥ /♠  | 1NT = 5-11 semiforcing2♥/♠ = 9-11 HCP, 3♥/♠ weak; 2♣=2+♣ if 3♥ support;2♦(after 1♥; after 1♠: 2♥) = GF (5+♦) or 3 ♥/♠, 5-8 ; 2♠ = inv. jump shift; 2NT= GF w. 4+♥3♣ = 4+♥ 10-11 3♦ = 4+♥ 7-9; 3♥ = weak 4+♥ | 1♥-1♠-1NT: 2♣ =forces 2♦, then inv nat. 2♦ = art, GF1♥/♠-1NT: Gazilli1♥-1♠ : Gazilli | Drury |
| 1NT |  |  | 4♥  | (14)15-17 HCP5cM, 6cm or single possible | 2♣ = stayman or invitational (need not have 4cM)2♦-2NT = Transfer3♣ minors weak -> p/c; 3♦ minors strong3♥/♠: 31(54)/13(54)4♣,4♦: Transfer to ♥, ♠ | 2♦/2♥: not accept transf shows 4card support + 4card in called suit, 2NT = max, 3M = min2♠/2NT: 2NT/3♣ good hand for♣/♦2♣ - 2♦- 2♥: weak | same |
| 2♣  | x |  | 4♥  | strong 1/2-suiter or BAL 23+ | 2♦: waiting; 2x/3x: weak with very long suit | 2♣-2♦- 2♥: either nat 5+ ♥ or 23-24 bal. |  |
| 2♦  |  | 5 |  | Weak 2 | 2♥: relay for values; new suit = nat, F1 |  |  |
| 2♥  |  | 5 |  | Weak 2 | 2♠: relay for values; new suit = nat, F1 |  |  |
| 2♠ |  | 5 |  | Weak 2 | 2NT: relay for values; new suit = nat, F1 |  |  |
| 2NT |  |  | 4♥ | 20-22 HCP | 3♣ = Muppet Stayman;3♦/3♥ = transfer; 3♠ = Transfer to 3NT; 3NT = 5♠,4♥  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | **HIGH LEVEL BIDDING** |
| 3♣ |  | 6 |  | pre-empt | new suit = nat, F1 | RKCB (5♣=3/0, 5♦=1/4, 5♥=2 without Q of trumps, 5♠=2+Q of trumps)5NT=2Aces, 1 void, 6x = 1 Ace, void in x, 6Trump = 1 Ace and higher void) |
| 3♦ |  | 6 |  | pre-empt | new suit = nat, F1 | Splinter |
| 3♥ |  | 6 |  | pre-empt | new suit = nat, F1 | cuebids: 1st or 2nd round controls |
| 3♠ |  | 6 |  | pre-empt  | new suit = nat, F1 | 5NT = Grand slam try |
| 3NT | x |  |  | gambling | 4/5/6♣ = P/C | If RKCB below 4♥, Spiral Scan |
| 4x | x | 7 |  | pre-empt/to play | 4♣/4♦ = Namyats (good ♥/♠ suit) |  |
| 4NT |  |  |  |  | minors |  |
| 5x |  | 8 |  | pre-empt/to play |  |  |