



DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING		LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening)		OPENING LEADS STYLE			
Aggressive 1-level; sound 2-level			Lead	In Partner's Suit	
New suit JUMP=FIT, INV+		Suit	4th	4th	
		NT	4th	4th	Category: GREEN
		Subseq	4th	4th	Country: USA
		Other: MUD; A for count, K for attitude			Event: Salsomaggiore 2016
					Players: David SOUKUP - Hakan BERK
1NT OVERCALL (2ND/4TH Live; Responses; Reopening)		LEADS			SYSTEM SUMMARY
2ND: 15-18 HCP; promises STOP; syson as over 1NT opening		Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
4TH: 10-14 HCP; may not have STOP over 1m		Ace	A(+)	A(+)	5-card M; 1{ 5(4)+ UNBAL; 1} 2+ w/ trf resp
		King	KQ(+), AK(+), Kx, K	KQ(+), Kx, K	2} STR; 2{ multi; 2} =WK, (44)+MM NVUL, (54)+ VUL; 2[= 5+ [,4+m WK
		Queen	QJ(+); Qx, Q	AQJ(+); QJ(+); Qx; Q; KQ109(+)	NEG DBL through 4{ ; 1m-2M is 3 way bid
		Jack	KJ10(+); J10(+); Jx; J	A/KJ10(+); J10(+); Jx; J	1} - 1{ /] - 1NT = 18-19 BAL; 1} - 1{ - 1] and 1} - 1[- 1[11-14 BAL
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)		10	K/Q109(+); 109(+); 10x; 10	A/K/Q109(+); 109(+); 10x; 10	Light responses to 1X; some weak overcalls and preempts (when NV)
1-Suit: WEAK; generally solid style; may be undisciplined NV		9	9(+)	9(+)	
2-Suit: except (1) - 2{ , MM(55+)		Hi-x	HxxS(+); xSx(+); Sx; S; HxS	HxxS(+); xSx(+); Sx; S; HxS	1NT Openings: (14+) - 17; frequently with 5M, (5422); occasional 6m
		Lo-x	HxxS(+); xSx(+); HxS; Sx; S	HxxS(+); xSx(+); Sx; S; HxS	2 OVER 1 Response: FG/1M and 2} /1{ FG; 2} /1M can be short
Reopen:		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
(1M)-2M:OM+m (55+); (1m)-2{ : [+] (55+); (1) - 2} NAT		Suit: 1st	Low = ENC	Low = EVEN	Low = ENC
JUMP CUE ASKS STOP (typically solid m)		2nd	Low = EVEN	S/P	Low = EVEN
		3rd	S/P		S/P
		NT: 1st	Low = ENC	Low = EVEN	Low = ENC
VS. NT (vs. Strong / Weak; Reopening; PH)		2nd	Low = EVEN	S/P	Low = EVEN
2} :] + [, (54)+; 2{ : either M; then 2M=P/C; 3m=NF; 2NT asks		3rd	S/P		S/P
2} :] +m; then 2[/3m=NF, 2NT asks m		Signals (including Trumps):			(1NT) - 2{ : [OR]
2[: [+m; then 3] /3m=NF, 2NT asks m					1[- 3] and 1] - 3{ MIXED; 1[- 3NT, 1] - 3[minisplinter
2NT: } +{					LEBENS OHL-FAST denies stop;
vs WK DBL = Penalty (WK defined as any range including 13)		DOUBLES			After opener's weak NT rebid, see (6)
vs STR DBL = 5+m, 4M (2) asks m, 2{ asks M		TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids)		JUMP CUE RESP=SOL, asks STOP			
LEB after (WK2x)-DBL-(P)-		CUE-BID F, emphasizes Ms			
(WK 2M): 4} =OM+}, 4{ =OM+{					
(WK 2{): 4} =} +M, 4{ = [+]					SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS		SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES			1x-(DBL)-RDBL:F thru 2NT
VS 1} ART F: DBL = { or MM; 1{ =] or } + [; 1] = [or mm; 1NT = } or { + } (all 54)		1)-(1{)-DBL: [+] (44)+ SUPP DBL/RDBL THRU 2 of responder's major			2X/1Y GF: F thru 3NT
VS 1} ART F: 1[= { + [or } +] ; 2} = MM; 2{ =] or [, 2M = M + m, 2NT = mm		ANTI L/D DBL after CUE of opener's suit			
		NEG DBL THRU 4{			IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE
		MAX DBL			1{ FREQ with 4{ 5} (see (7))
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKE OUT DOUBLE					
After 1X (Dbl): XX = 10+, forcing -> 2NT; 2NT = INV+ raise					
new suit F at 1 level; jumps weak					Psychics: Rare

OPENING BID DESCRIPTIONS

Opening	Artificial	Min.	Neg Dble thr	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1}		2	4{	11-14, 18-19 BAL; or 4+}	1{ , } , [TRF; for other bids see (1)		
1{		4	4{	Never BAL; 4 only if 1444, (13)45	2NT ART raise (3); 2M ART 3 way see (2)	For NT rebids see (7)	
1]		5	4{		1NT F1; 2} 2+ FG; 2{ 5+ FG; other bids (4)	1] -1NT-2m-2[is forcing raise	2} ART raise, 9+
1[		5	4{		1NT F1; 2} 2+ FG; 2{ , } 5+ FG; other bids (4)		2} ART raise, 9+
1NT				14+ to 17; some flaws OK	2/4{ , 2/4] TRF; see (8)	see (8)	
2}	X	0		22+ HCP or 8+ tricks	2{ waiting; 2M good suit; 2NT 8+ BAL		
2{	X	6 (5NV)		MULTI: undisc. (2-7 HCP)	2] , [, 3] , [P/C; 2NT asking; 4{ bid M; 4} bid one under	After 2[; with hearts, opener clarifies strength	
2]		6		6] , sprox 8-10 HCP	2NT asking		
2[		6		6[, approx. 8-10 HCP	2NT asking		
2NT				20-21 BAL	3} PUPPET; 3/4 { /] TRF; 3[= relay to 3NT		
3}		6 NV; 7(6) V		PRE			
3{		6 NV; 7(6) V		PRE			
3]		7 (6)		PRE			
3[		7 (6)		PRE			
3NT	X			7,8 card solid m; no outside A/K	4, 5, 6, 7} P/C; 4{ asks		
4}		8 V; 8 (7) NV		PRE			
4{		8 V; 8 (7) NV		PRE			
4]		7		PRE			
4[		7		PRE			
4NT	X			Blackwood	specific aces		
5}		8		PRE			
5{		8		PRE			
5]				Asking for top honors	6] with A, K, or Q; 7] with AK, AQ, KQ		
5[				Asking for top honors	6[with A, K, or Q; 7[with AK, AQ, KQ		
5NT				Never	Look for a new partner		

HIGH LEVEL BIDDING

Cue style; 1st round only up to 3 of our trump suit; thereafter 1st/2nd up the line

Bid after 4 of agreed trump suit is asking for keycards, 1430 responses.

Serious 3NT style after trump suit agreed at 3 level in GF auction

Gerber ONLY immediatly after 1NT/2NT opening, or Jacoby transfer

5NT generally pick-a-slam

RKCB1430-DIPO; 1st step 1/4; 2nd is 0/3; 3rd is 2 without Q, 4th is 2 with Q

Typically fast arrival context