## DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening)
7-17 Hcp, should be 5 cards
Responses : New suit (level 1 and level 2) = F1

| Jumpshift $=$ fit + good suit direct jum |
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| Jump cue-bid $=$ fit, $4+$ cards and good hand |

## Reopening : 7-14

1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)

## In 2nd or 4th : 16-18, balanced

| Responses: after $1 \star / \downarrow:$ stayman and transfers |
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| after $1 \vee / \star:$ all transfers |

Reopening : 9-13 Hcps, balanced. Responses : same as above
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; responses; Unusual NT)
Level 2: weak except 1* 2* $=5^{+} \bullet$ and $5^{+}$.
Level $3:$ weak except $1 \vee / \uparrow 3 *=5^{+} *$ and $5^{+} \uparrow / \downarrow$
2NT = 2 lowest unbid suit
Reopen : all natural weak. 2NT : 17-19 balanced
DIRECT and JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopen)



## VS ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS

1* (strong) double $=\downarrow+\wedge$ (at least 4-4)
1NT $=\boldsymbol{*}+$ (at least 5-4)
$2 N T=\boldsymbol{*}$ • (at least 5-5)

## jump = weak

## OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

1 over 1 forcing 2 over 1 not forcing
Redouble $=10+$ HCP
Jumpshifts = suit + raise

## LEADS AND SIGNALS

| OPENING LEADS STYLE |  |  |
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|  | Lead | In Partner's suit |
| Suit | 3rd-5th | 3rd -5 th |
| NT | 4th best | 3rd -5 th |
| Subseq | same as above |  |

## Other

## LEADS

| Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ace | AKx | A K x |
| King | K Q x or A K bare | KHHxx |
| Queen | Q Jx | Q J $10 \times$ or K Q x |
| Jack | J 10 x or K J 10 x | J $10 \times$ or HJ10x |
| 10 | 109 x or H 109 x | 109 x or H 109 x or 109XX |
| 9 | 9 or 9 x | 9 xx or 9 x or 109 XX |
| Hi-x |  | $\mathbf{X x x}, \mathrm{x} \mathbf{X} \times \mathrm{x}, \mathrm{x} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{x x x}, \mathrm{H} \mathbf{X} \mathrm{x}$ |
| -X | $\mathbf{X}, \mathrm{xx} \mathbf{X}, \mathrm{xxxx} \mathbf{X}, \mathrm{xxxxxx} \mathbf{X}$ | h best, $\mathrm{H} \times \mathbf{X}, \mathrm{xxx} \mathbf{X}$ |

4th best, HxX, xxxXx
SIGNALS IN ORDER PRIORITY

|  | Partner's lead | Declarer's lead | Discarding |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Suit | count | count | count |
|  | suit preference | suit preference | High = E or even |
|  |  |  | suit preference |
| NT $\begin{array}{ll}2 \\ & 3\end{array}$ | Count | count | Count |
|  | suit preference | peter | High = E or even |
|  |  | suit preference | suit preference |
| Reverse count in trump : - Ability to ruff |  |  |  |
| - After preempt or when low contract double : odd number of trump |  |  |  |
| - Suit préférence |  | DOUBLES |  |

TAKE-OUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)
Take out double : sound, 3-suiter style or 19+ Hcp, any dis-
tribution. Responses : natural, only cue-bid is forcing.
Reopening: double either 3-suiter or 13+Hcp.
Responses : suit at lowest level ambiguous
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES
1* $1 \bullet$ DOUBLE $=4$ cards in $\bullet 1 \vee=4$ cards in $\uparrow$
$1 \star / \star \quad 1 \vee$ DOUBLE $=4$ cards in $\uparrow$

| Opener's double shows either : |
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| -3 cards in partner's major , 14+ |
| - a strong hand |

## WBF Convention Card



## NCBO: FRANCE EVENT : Kids Events <br> Players : TCHOULKINE Philippe- BONIN louis

SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL, APPROACH AND STYLE

## Natural, 5 cards major

Best minor (1* 3 cards only $4 \boldsymbol{\wedge}+4 \boldsymbol{*}+3 \bullet+2 \boldsymbol{*}$ )
2 * weak minor

1NT Opening : $15-17$, balanced (6cards in minor possible)
2 OVER 1 Response : F1, requests a new bid.

## SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE

2*: Strong, artificial, F
2 : weak minor
2 $/ \wedge$ muiderberg
3NT : solid minor, no outside stopper

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## According to vulnerbility, pass could be forcing at high level

## IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE

Frequent ligh opening in $3^{\text {rd }}$ seat according to vulnerability. In 3th seat, prempts are often weaker

PSYCHICS : rare

| O $\sum_{2}^{2}$ U 0 |  |  |  | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT AUCTION | PASSED HAND BIDDING |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PASS |  |  |  | 10 H and less |  |  | Weak jump after overcall |
| 1\% |  | 3 | 6 | Natural 11-22 H | New suit with jump is strong | $1 \mathrm{~min}-1 \mathrm{maj}-1$ NT : $2 \boldsymbol{*}=5$ card in major $11+/ 2 *$ F1 minor | If passed or after DOUBLE : |
|  |  |  |  |  | $2 \boldsymbol{*}=$ strong $3 \boldsymbol{*}=$ weak | $1 \mathrm{x}-1 \mathrm{M}-3 \mathrm{NT}=4$ cards in M balanced ( $18-19$ ) | Jump $=5+$ in suit and 4+ trumps |
| $1 *$ |  | 3 | 6 | Natural 11-22 H | New suit with jump is strong | 1*-2*-2NT $=12-14$ or 18-19 |  |
|  |  |  |  | 3 cards if 4 / 4 / 3 * / $2 *$ | 2 =strong 3 = weak | 1*-1M-2*-2* $=$ forcing artificial | $1 * / * 1$ NT $2 *=\bullet+*$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $1 *-1 \wedge-2 *$ forcing artificial |  |
| $1 \vee$ |  | 5 | 6 | Natural 11-21 H | 2NT = 15+HCP, 4 trumps | $3^{-1 n}-4^{1 n}$ suit forcing | $1 \mathrm{NT}=6-11,2 \dot{*}$ is Drury (with fit) |
|  |  |  |  |  | 3. 4 trumps balanced, 11-12 HCP | $1 \vee / \wedge-2 x-2 N T=15-17$ natural or 18-19 bal with fit in $x$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 3*3 trumps balanced, 11-14HCP | 1v/A-2x-2v/ $-3 v / \wedge=$ non forcing |  |
| $1 \times$ |  | 5 | 6 | Natural 11-21 H |  | $1 \vee / \sim-2 v / 2 S A$ : trial bid any hand ,forcing | After overcall over one major: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1v-3v : weak + $4 \boldsymbol{v} / 1 \boldsymbol{\wedge}-3 \boldsymbol{*}$ : weak $+4 \boldsymbol{\downarrow}$ |  | Jump in a new suit shows $5+$ cards |
| 1NT |  |  | $4 \vee$ | 15-17 balanced | 2* = Stayman 4 steps | 1NT-2*-2*-3v/n $=5 \boldsymbol{*} / \boldsymbol{\nu}+4 \boldsymbol{*} / \boldsymbol{\wedge}$ | and 4+ cards in opening bid |
|  |  |  |  | 5 cards in major possible | $2 \star, 2 \boldsymbol{\wedge}, 2 \boldsymbol{*}, 3 \boldsymbol{*}$ = Transfer | 1NT-2*-2v/*-3/4 : not forcing |  |
|  |  |  |  | 6 cards in minor possible | $3 \star .3 \boldsymbol{*}, 3 \boldsymbol{*}=$ Strong |  | Transfer from 2NT after overcall |
|  |  |  |  | 5422 possible | 4* $=5 \uparrow$ and $5 \boldsymbol{v}$ for the game | 1NT 2^/3*-3*/*-3v/*/NT short in $\mathbf{v} / \mathrm{*} / \mathrm{om}$ | Double = at least 2NT bid |
|  |  |  |  |  | 4* $=6 \bullet$ and $5 \uparrow$ weak | 1NT-2*/v-2/4-2SA : game forcing |  |
| 2* | X | 0 | 6 | Forcing one round | $2 \bullet=$ relay $5+; 2 \boldsymbol{*} / 2 \boldsymbol{\wedge}=5 \bullet / \wedge$ | $2 \boldsymbol{*}-2 *-2 v$ either natural or $22 / 23 \mathrm{H}$ regular | Negative double after overcall |
|  |  |  |  | strong | $2 \mathrm{SA}=$ minor | $2 \boldsymbol{*}-2 \star-2 \star / 3 * / 3 *$ natural | new suit = Hxxxx and 7+ |
|  |  |  |  | 24+ |  | 2*-2*-3v/^:4v/6^ $6 \boldsymbol{v} / 4 \boldsymbol{\wedge}$ | Cue-bid = strong T/O |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 2*-2--3SA: $5+\boldsymbol{*} / 5+$ - |  |
| 2 * | x | 0 | 4. | Forcing | $2 \sim / 2 \wedge / 3 \sim / 3 \star=$ P/C; 2 SA $=$ strong relay |  | same as over 2* |
|  |  |  |  | 6(5) / / weak | $3 * / *=$ natural forcing | 2*-2SA-3* $=$ Relay min in M $/ 3 \bullet=$ Max $/ 3 \boldsymbol{v}=$ Max $\uparrow$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $4 \sim / 4$ : to play | $2 \bullet-2$ A $-3 *-3 *-3 v$ spade $-3 \wedge$ relay to description |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $2 \bullet-2$ SA-3*-3*-3^ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 |  | 5 |  | $5 \downarrow$ +mm weak | 2SA $=$ strong relay $3:=\mathrm{P} / \mathrm{C} \mathrm{mm}$ | $2 \boldsymbol{V}-2 \mathrm{SA}-3 \boldsymbol{*}=\operatorname{Min} * / 3 \bullet=\operatorname{Min} * / 3 \boldsymbol{v}=\operatorname{Max} * / 3 \boldsymbol{*}=\operatorname{Max} *$ |  |
| 2. |  |  |  | $5 \wedge+\mathrm{mm}$ weak | New suit forcing |  |  |
|  |  | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2NT |  |  | 6v | 20/21 balanced | Stayman as over 1NT |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 5 cards in major possible | Transfer and rectification with fit |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 6 cards in minor possible |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 5422 possible |  |  |  |
| 3. |  | 7(6) |  | Preempt natural | New suit is forcing |  |  |
| 3 |  | 7(6) |  | Same |  | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING |  |
| 3 |  | 7(6) |  | Same | Jump = Asking bids | Control first and second round |  |
| 3 A |  | 7(6) |  | Same |  | Roman Key Cards Blackwood 41-30 |  |
| 3NT |  |  |  | Solid minor | 4*=P/C | King Blacwood 41-30 |  |
| $4 *$ |  | 8 |  | Preempt natural |  | Lightner doubles |  |
| 4 * |  | 8 |  | Same |  | After Blackwood, next suit asking for Queen of trump -> return in trump suit $=$ no |  |
| 4 |  | 8 |  | Same | Asking bids |  |  |
| $4 \wedge$ |  | 8 |  | Same |  |  |  |

