

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
1 level: 7-17 hcp, 5+ cards
2 level: good 10-17 hcp, 5+ cards
Responses: new suit = forcing, jump raises weak
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
Direct = 15-18 with a stopper
Balancing = 11-14 balanced
Responses: 2♣=Stayman, 2♦/♥=Transfer to ♥/♠, 2♠=Transfer to ♣, 2NT= Transfer to♦, 3♣=5+-5+ minors inv, 3♦=5+-5+ minors GF 3♥= 3-1-(5-4) GF, 3♠=1-3-(5-4) GF 4♦/♥= transfer to ♥/♠
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
5-10 hcp, 6+c Responses: New suit = forcing
2NT = two lowest unbid suits
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
Modified michaels cuebids, mini-maxi
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
Vs strong and weak: 2♣ = one-suited, 2 asks 2♦ = majors 2♥ = hearts + minor 2♠ = spades + minor 2NT = minors Double = penalty-oriented
VS.PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
Takeout thru 4♥, 4♠ usually penalty
4NT = two-suited
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS
Suction vs strong 1♣, 2♣, 2NT
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
New suit 1 or 2 level = forcing
Jump shift = inv
Redouble = 10+ no fit
2NT over majors/minors = limit+

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	4 th best		
NT	4 th best		
Subseq			
Other:			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AKx, AKQ+	AKQ+, AKxx	
King	AK, KQJ+, KQx+	KQJ+, KQT+	
Queen	QJ+, QJT+	AQJ+, QJ+, QJT+	
Jack	KJT+, JT+	AJT+, KJT+. JT+	
10	10x	109x	
9	9x	9x, 9xx	
Hi-X	Xx	xXxx, Xxx, Xx	
Lo-X	xxX		
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Low = enc	Count, low = even high = odd	Low = enc
Suit 2			
3			
1	Low = enc	Low = enc suit led	Low = enc
NT 2			
3			
Signals (including Trumps):			
Trump suit preference			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Could be as low as 10 hcp with good distribution			
Offshape doubles only if 18+ hcp			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Support doubles and redoubles thru 3♠			
Negative double thru 4♥			
Responsive and maximal doubles thru 4♥			

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CATEGORY: GREEN
NCBO: CANADA
PLAYERS: Albena Vassileva Olivia Laufer
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
1♣/1♦/1♥/1♠= NAT, 5-c Majors, diamonds from 4-4, clubs from 3-3, longest minor
1NT=15-17 bal, 2NT=20-21, 3NT=Gambling
2♣=22+ or 19+ w/ 8.5 tricks or 18+ 9 tricks
2♦/2♥/2♠= 6-c suit, weak
2/1 = GF
XYZ
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
1of a minor-P-2♥ = 11-12 balanced, no 4-c major, no 5-c support for partner's minor
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
IMPORTANT NOTES
PSYCHICS:

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		3	3♠	Natural, 11-21 hcp	1NT = (6)7-10 hcp bal; 2♣ = 12 hcp 5+c support GF; 2♦ = 6-9 hcp 5+c support; 2♥ = 11-12 hcp bal no 4M or 5♣; 2♠ = 10-11 5c+ support; 2NT = 13-15 or 18+ hcp bal; 3♣ = 5+c support 0-5 hcp; 3NT = 16-17 hcp bal		
1♦		3	3♠	Natural, 11-21 hcp	1NT (6)7-10 hcp bal; 2♣ = 4+ gf; 2♦ = 5+c support GF; 2♥ = 11-12 hcp bal no 4M or 5♦; 2♠ = 10-11 5c+ support; 2NT = 13-15 or 18+ hcp bal; 3♣ = 6-9 hcp 5+c support; 3♦ = 5+c support 0-5 hcp; 3NT = 16-17 hcp bal		
1♥		5	3♠	Natural, 11-21 hcp	1NT=5-11 forcing; 2♣/♦=4+♣/♦ GF; 2♥=3c support 6-9; 2♠= 6 + ♠ weak; 2NT=13+ hcp 4+ support; 3♣ = 6-9 4c support; 3♦=10-11 4c support; 3♥=4 c support 0-5; 3♠=unspecified splinter; 3NT=13-15, 4333, 3 cards support; 4♣ = 5c+ support w/ A and K or equivalent; 4♦ = 5+ support that is stronger than 4♥ but weaker than 4♣; 4♥ = 5+ support 0-5 hcp		1NT semi-forcing ; 2♣=6-9 or 10-11 hcp with 4 card support; 2♦ = 10-11 hcp with 3 card support
1♠		5	3♥	Natural, 11-21 hcp	1NT=5-11 forcing; 2♦/♣=4+♦/♣ GF; 2♥=5c+ gf; 2♠= 3c support 6-9; 2NT=13+ hcp 4+ support; 3♣4 9-6 = ♣support; 3♦=10-11 4c support; 3♥=unspecified splinter; 3♠= 4c support 0-5; 3NT=13-15, 4333, 3 cards support; 4♣ = 5c+ support w/ an A and K or equivalent; 4♦ = 5+ support that is stronger than 4♠ but weaker than 4♣ ; 4S= 5+ support 0-5 hcp		1NT semi-forcing ; 2♣=6-9 or 10-11 hcp with 4 card support; 2♦ = 10-11 hcp with 3 card support
INT				15-17 hcp, balanced, could have 5M	2♣=Stayman; 2♦/♥=Transfer to ♥/♠; 2♠=Transfer to 3♣; 2NT=Transfer to 3♦; 3♣=5-5 ♣/♦ inv; 3♦=5-5 ♣/♦ GF; 3♥=3-1-(5-4) GF; 3♠=1-3-(5-4) GF	Over 2♦ after stayman: 3M shows 4c in that M and 5c in the other M and 4♦ shows 5-5 M; After stayman 2NT shows 8-9 bal and does not promise 4M	
2♣	✓	0		22+ hcp or 19+ w/ 8.5 tricks or 18+ w/ 9 tricks	2♦ = 0-1 controls; 2♥ = 2 controls; 2♠ = 3+ controls; 2NT = 3 kings or 2 marriages (KQ); 3♣/3♦/3♥/3♠ = 5+ suit, 2 of AKQ	After a response of 2♦, 2♥ by opener forces 2♠ and a rebid of 2NT shows 24+ bal, any other bid shows a hand with hearts	
2♦		6		5-10 hcp, 6+	New suit = nat F; 2NT=ogust; 3♣ asks short; 4NT = RKC 1430		
2♥		6		5-10 hcp, 6+	New suit = nat F; 2NT=ogust; 3♣ asks short; 4NT = RKC 1430		

