

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)

1st level - 5cards or 4 very good (AKQx or KQJ9)
8-15HCP

2nd level and above - 5+ cards 10-15HCP

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

Strong 15-18p

Two suited hand in 4th position

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

Copenhagen, weak two, pre-emptive

Reopen:

DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)

Direct - Weak 3 suited hand with void/singleton in opening suit

Jump - Copenhagen

VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)

VS Strong - Cappelletti

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	Lead	In Partner's Suit
Suit	2nd 4th	2nd 4th; H from doubleton
NT	2nd 4th	2nd 4th; H from doubleton
Subseq		
Other:		

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	AK any	AK
King	KQ10(x)	KQ10(x)
Queen	QJ9(x)	QJ9(x)
Jack	J108(x)	J108(x)
10	1097(x) or doubleton	1097(x) or doubleton
9	109x	109x
Hi-X	From doubleton	From doubleton
Lo-X		From long suit with Honour

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Hi/Low Even	Hi/Low Even	Roman
Suit 2	Odd encourage	Preference	
3			
1	Hi/Low Even	Hi/Low Even	Laventhal
NT 2	Odd encourage	Preference	Roman
3	Smith signal		

W B F CONVENTION CARD

CATEGORY: i.e. Green / Blue / Red / HUM / Brown Sticker:

NCBO:

PLAYERS: Zoran Kocić – Dušan Pešić

EVENT (Open/Women/Senior/Transnational)

SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

Natural: 5card Majors

1C - 2+cards

1NT response – Not forcing

Limit jump raise over majors

1NT – 15–18 (if 18- Jx, Jxx, Qx, without 5 cards suit)

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

2C –strong (23+ points or 9+tricks); Asking for A (Codo)

2D – multi (weak Major 6cards, strong Minor)

3NT – Gambling

Two suited overcall – Copenhagen convention

Lebensohl after 2-level overcall of 1NT

Q-bid – Weak 3 suites hand with void/singleton in opening suit

VS Weak – Cappelletti, dbl same points as opening
NT

VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)

Double – strong/shortness in pre-empt
Minor Q-bid – Majors not balanced

**VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e.
1♣ or 2♣**

DBL – strong or good artificial suit

Example 2C DBL – strong or good C

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

New suit – as it wasn't dbl

RDB strong, 10+ shortness in opening suit

Signals (including Trumps):

Echo in trump suit shows ability to ruff

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)

Can be light in 4th position

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS

RDB after asking for stopper is semi stopper

RDB after 1NT doubled is SOS

Every postponed RDB is SOS

New minor forcing

Drury (new suit is forcing)

Bergen raise

Jacoby 2NT

If opener's partner has 16+ don't need to have first bid suit. Examples:
1H – 1S (if 16+ don't need to have S)
1S – 2C (same)...

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

IMPORTANT NOTES

PSYCHICS: Rare

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		2		13-20 HCP (min 2 quick tricks in first two positions)	Single raise: 5cards 6-10HCP 1H, P – 4 cards 6+HCP 1NT – 6-10P, no 4cards major 2NT – 11-12P, no 4cards M 3NT – 13-15 balance, no 4cards M Jump shift – 6+cards 0-6p	2C – 6 cards up to 15HCP 3C (6 cards) and jump in new suit – strong 16-20 2NT – 18-20P	
				Same	Single raise 4cards 6-10p		
					Rest as for 1C	As for 1C	
1♥		5		Same	Simple raise 3cards 6-10p	Trial bid Direct – asking for H Example 1H – 2H 3C, D, H ask for H in C, D, S 1S – 2S 3C, D, H ask for H in C, D, H After relay – asking for shortness Example 1H – 2H 2S (relay) – 2NT 3C, D, H ask for shortness C, D, S 1S – 2S 2NT (relay) – 3C 3D, H, S ask for shortness D, H, C	
					Jump raise 3 cards 11-12p 1NT 6-10p without support		
					2NT GF with 4cards support	Showing shortness or points Example 1H – 2NT 3C, D, S – single, void 3H balance 18-20 3NT balance 15-17 4H balance 12-14	

				Bergen raise 3NT – balance 13-15		
1♠	5		Same	As for 1H	As for 1H	
INT			15 – 18 balance	Stayman, Jacoby (2S for C, 2NT for D), Gerber, 4NT quantitative, Texas	Lebensohl	
				2NT after Stayman or Jacoby invite		
2♣			23+ or 9+ tricks	CRODO	Natural	
2♦			Weak M / Strong m	2H, 2S pass/correct		
				2NT strong, forcing	3C/D very weak H/S (6-9p) 3H/S (9-11p) 3NT 6 th AKQ in one of major	
2♥	5		Strong 20-22p	Natural One level suit jump - asking bid 4NT – RKC Two level suit jump – for play		
2♠	5		Strong 20-22p	Same as for 2♥		
2NT			Strong 20/22p	Baron, Jacoby, Gerber, 4NT quant		
3♣	7		Pre-emptive	3H/S pre-emptive		
3♦	7		Pre-emptive	3H/S pre-emptive		
3♥	7		Pre-emptive	4th level minor - asking bid; 4NT - RKC		
3♠	7		Pre-emptive	4th level minor- asking bid; 4NT – RKC		
3NT			Gambling minor AKQ 7th	4H, S to play	RDB SOS	
			No values outside			
4♣	8-9		No values outside	4NT – RKC, 4H/S to play		
4♦	8-9		No values outside	4NT – RKC, 4H/S to play		
4♥	8-9		No values outside	4NT – RKC		
4♠	8-9		No values outside	4NT – RKC		
4NT						
5♣	9+		No values outside		HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦	9+		No values outside			

5 ♦
5 ♠