

## BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit  forcing  other

Jump raises - majors limit  forcing  other

Jump shifts after minor opening 19+

Jump shifts after major opening 19+

Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2D neg

Responses to 2NT opening 3H = forcing

## PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump  'S' Versus Suit  = Both

Sequence leads: Overlead all  All except AK x (x)

Underlead  other

Four or more with an honour 4th highest  NT attitude

3rd/5th  other

From 4 small 2nd highest  other

From 3 cards (no honour) top  middle  bottom

Signal on partner's lead: high encourage  low encourage

other odd-even

Signal on declarer's lead odd-even

Discards McKenney  high encourage  low encourage

odd/even  other

Count natural  reverse

## CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood  RKCB  other 30-41

4♣ Gerber  when? NT (Progressive)

### Other Conventions

|                      |                          |
|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Super Accepts        | Stayman                  |
| 1 H/S -- 2NT Ask LTC | Jacoby & Texas Transfers |
| Splinters            | Lionel                   |
| Lightner Doubles     | DOPI                     |



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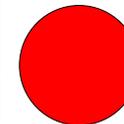
## STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

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Basic System: Standard American

Classification: Green  Blue  Red  Yellow



## OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape

1♠ 2 1♦ 4 1♥ 5 1♣ 5

1 NT 15-17 may contain 5 card major

2♣ Stayman: simple  extended  other

transfers 2♦ 2H 2♥ 2S 2♠ 5/5 MINORS

2 NT INV other

2♣ Game Force 23+/ 3 loser

2♦ Weak 2 in Major or 20-22 Bal

2♥ Hearts + Another 7 LTC or better <16 HCP

2♠ Spades + Minor 7 LTC or better <16 HCP

2 NT Minors 7 LTC or better <16 HCP

3 NT Gambling

## PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE

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## COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through 1S Responsive doubles through

Jump overcalls weak Unusual NT yes

1NT overcall (immediate) 16-18 (re-opening) 15-17

Immed cue of minor Michaels

Immed cue of major Michaels

Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Lionel

Over opponent's 1NT (strong) Lionel

Over weak twos x = t/o

Over opening threes x = t/o

## RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning

|     |       |                      |         |              |
|-----|-------|----------------------|---------|--------------|
| 1♣  | 1♦    | 4+ 6-18 pts          | 2NT     | 12-15 Bal    |
|     | 1♥♠   | 4+ 6-18 pts          | 3♣      | 6+ 12+ pts   |
|     | 1NT   | 9-11                 | 3♦      | NA           |
|     | 2♣    | 4+ 6-9 pts           | 3♥      | NA           |
|     | 2♦    | 4+ 19+ pts           | 3♠      | NA           |
|     | 2♥    | 4+ 19+ pts           | 3NT     | 16-18        |
|     | 2♠    | 4+ 19+ pts           | 4 bids  |              |
| 1♦  | 1♥♠   | 4+ 6-18 pts          | 3♣      | 4+ 19+       |
|     | 1NT   | 6-10                 | 3♦      | 4+ 10-12 pts |
|     | 2♣    | 10-18                | 3♥      | Splinter     |
|     | 2♦    | 4+ 6-10 pts          | 3♠      | Splinter     |
|     | 2♥    | 4+ 19+ pts           | 3NT     | 16-18        |
|     | 2♠    | 4+ 19+ pts           | 4♦      |              |
|     | 2NT   | 12-15                | 4 Other |              |
| 1♥♠ | 1NT   | 6-10                 | 3♣      | 4+ 19+ pts   |
|     | 2♣    | 10-18                | 3♦      | 4+ 19+ pts   |
|     | 2♦    | 10-18                | 3♥♠     | 10-12        |
|     | 2♥♠   | 6-10                 | 3NT     | 16-18        |
|     | 2NT   | Ask LTC              | 4♠♦     | Splinters    |
| 2♣  | 2♦    | Neg - max 6          | 2♥♠     | Pos 5+       |
|     | other | NT - no 5 card 7+pts |         |              |
| 2♦  | 2♥    | Pass or Correct      | 3♠♦     | Natural      |
|     | 2♠    | Pass or Correct      | 3♥♠     |              |
|     | 2NT   | Asking               | 3NT     | Play         |
| 2♥♠ | 2NT   | Asking               | 3NT     | Play         |
|     | 3♠♦   | Pass or Correct      | 4♠♦     |              |
|     | 3♥♠   | Inv                  | 4♥♠     | Play         |
| 2NT | 3♣    | To Play              | 4♣      | Inv          |
|     | 3♦    | To Play              | 4♦      | Inv          |
|     | 3♥    | Asking               | 4♥      | To Play      |
|     | 3♠    | Nat. - to play       | 4♠      | To Play      |
|     | 3NT   | To Play              | other   |              |

## CONVENTIONS

### Additional responses to 1NT

|      |                     |
|------|---------------------|
| 3♣3♦ | Forcing 5+          |
| 3♥3♠ | 5 and Slam Interest |
| 4♣   | Gerber              |
| 4♦   | Texas               |
| 4♥   | Texas               |
| 4♠   | 5/5 Minors          |

Unusual NT:    minors     other suits     lower 2 unbid suits   
 other Combined with Michaels responses

Other slam bidding    Cue Bids     Asking Bids

4th Suit Forcing    One round     Game force

NT Checkback     Priorities

Defence to 3NT opening    Lionel

Defence to opening 2-s:    Multi    Major = Shortage

RCO style 2-s    Natural

Other 2-s    Natural

Defence to strong ♣    Lionel

Lebensohl    Over NT interference

Other uses

Take out of 4 level pre-empts    4♠4♦    x = t/o

4♥    x = t/o 4nt=Min    4♣    x=Pen 4nt = t/o

## OTHER NOTES

## BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit  forcing  other   
 Jump raises - majors limit  forcing  other   
 Jump shifts after minor opening 6 cards, 10+ HCP  
 Jump shifts after major opening 6 cards, 10+ HCP  
 Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2♣ : 2♦ < 8 HCP / 2♦ : 2♥ < 2 quick tricks  
 Responses to 2NT opening pass < 4 HCP; 4-8 HCP 3NT/transfers to majors

## PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit  = Both  
 Sequence leads: Overlead all  All except AK x (x)   
 Underlead  other   
 Four or more with an honour 4th highest  NT attitude   
 3rd/5th  other   
 From 4 small 2nd highest  NT other   
 From 3 cards (no honour) top  NT middle  S bottom   
 Signal on partner's lead: high encourage  low encourage   
 other   
 Signal on declarer's lead high encourage   
 Discards McKenney  high encourage  low encourage   
 odd/even  other Revolving   
 Count natural  reverse

## CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood  RKCB  other   
 4♣ Gerber  when? after NT-bidding

### Other Conventions

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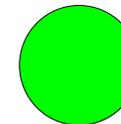
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## OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape   
 1♣ 12+ HCP, 3+ 1♦ 12+ HCP, 3+ 1♥ 12+HCP, 5+ 1♠ 12+ HCP, 5+  
 1 NT 16-18 HCP may contain 5 card major   
 2♣ Stayman: simple  extended  other   
 transfers 2♦ 0+ HCP, 5 Hearts 2♥ 0+ HCP, 5 Spades 2♠ 0+ HCP, 5+ Clubs  
 2 NT other   
 2♣ 23+ HCP or 3 LTC  
 2♦ 8-9 playing tricks  
 2♥ 6-9 HCP, 6 cards  
 2♠ 6-9 HCP, 6 cards  
 2 NT 20-22 HCP  
 3 NT 25-26 HCP flat

## PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE

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## COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through Responsive doubles through 2♣  
 Jump overcalls 6, 11-15 HCP Unusual NT  
 1NT overcall (immediate) 16-18 HCP (re-opening)  
 Immed cue of minor both majors (5 - 5)  
 Immed cue of major other major + a minor (5 - 5)  
 Over opponent's 1NT (weak)  
 Over opponent's 1NT (strong)  
 Over weak twos Double for take out  
 Over opening threes Double for penalty/take out if partner <8HCP

## RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

| Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning |       |                                 |                                   |
|---|-------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1♣  | 1♦    | 6+ HCP, 4 cards                 | 2NT 10-12 HCP no 4-c major        |
|   | 1♥♠   | 6+ HCP, 4 cards                 | 3♣ 10+ HCP, 5 cards, no 4-c major |
|   | 1NT   | 6-9 HCP, no 4-c major           | 3♦                                |
|   | 2♣    | 6-9 HCP, 5 cards, no 4-c major  | 3♥                                |
|   | 2♦    | 10+ HCP, 6 cards                | 3♠                                |
|   | 2♥    | 10+ HCP, 6 cards                | 3NT 13-15 HCP, no 4-c major       |
|   | 2♠    | 10+ HCP, 6 cards                | 4 bids 7+ cards, strong suit      |
|   |       |                                 |                                   |
| 1♦  | 1♥♠   | 6+ HCP, 4 cards                 | 3♣ 10+ HCP, 6 cards               |
|   | 1NT   | 6-9 HCP, no 4-c major           | 3♦ 10-13 HCP, 5+ cards            |
|   | 2♣    | 10+ HCP, 4 cards                | 3♥                                |
|   | 2♦    | 6-9 HCP, 5 cards, no 4-c major  | 3♠                                |
|   | 2♥    | 10+ HCP, 6 cards                | 3NT 13-15 HCP, no 4-c major       |
|   | 2♠    | 10+ HCP, 6 cards                | 4♦ 7 LTC, 5+ cards, no 4-c major  |
|   | 2NT   | 11-12 HCP, no 4-c major         | 4 Other                           |
|   |       |                                 |                                   |
| 1♥♠   | 1NT   | 6-9 HCP                         | 3♣ 10+ HCP, 6 cards,              |
|   | 2♣    | 10+ HCP, 4+ cards               | 3♦ 10+ HCP, 6 cards               |
|   | 2♦    | 10+ HCP, 4+ cards               | 3♥♠ 11-12 HCP/8 LTC, 3 cards      |
|   | 2♥♠   | 6-10 HCP/9 LTC, 3 cards         | 3NT 13-15 HCP, no 4-c major       |
|   | 2NT   | 11-12 HCP, no 4-c major         | 4♣♦ 7+ cards, strong suit         |
|   |       |                                 |                                   |
| 2♣  | 2♦    | < 8 HCP                         | 2♥♠ 8+ HCP                        |
|   | other |                                 |                                   |
|   |       |                                 |                                   |
| 2♦  | 2♥    | < 2 quick tricks                | 3♣♦ 2 quick tricks, 4+ cards      |
|   | 2♠    | 2 quick tricks, 4+ cards        | 3♥♠ =/> 2 quick tricks, 4 cards   |
|   | 2NT   | 2 quick tricks, flat hand       | 3NT >2 quick tricks, flat hand    |
|   |       |                                 |                                   |
| 2♥♠   | 2NT   | 16+ HCP                         | 3NT 18-19 HCP, flat hand          |
|   | 3♣♦   |                                 | 4♣♦                               |
|   | 3♥♠   | 16 HCP, 2 cards                 | 4♥♠ 18-19 HCP, 2 cards            |
|   |       |                                 |                                   |
| 2NT   | 3♣    | 4 HCP, 4 hearts / spades        | 4♣ 0-3 HCP, 6+ cards, no entry    |
|   | 3♦    | 0+ HCP, 5 cards, transfers to ♥ | 4♦ 0-3 HCP, 6+ cards, no entry    |
|   | 3♥    | 0+ HCP, 5 cards, transfers to ♠ | 4♥                                |
|   | 3♠    | 0+ HCP, 5 cards, transfers to ♣ | 4♠                                |
|   | 3NT   | 4 HCP, no 4-c major             | other                             |

## CONVENTIONS

### Additional responses to 1NT

|      |   |
|------|---|
| 3♣3♦ | after interference, 3♣ asking for 4-c major; 3♦ = transfers to hearts |
| 3♥3♠ | after interference, transfers to spades/clubs                         |
| 4♣   |   |
| 4♦   |   |
| 4♥   |   |
| 4♠   |   |

Unusual NT:      minors      other suits      lower 2 unbid suits

other

### Other slam bidding

Cue Bids      Asking Bids

### 4th Suit Forcing

One round      Game force

### NT Checkback

Priorities

### Defence to 3NT opening

### Defence to opening 2-s:

Multi

RCO style 2-s

Other 2-s

### Defence to strong ♣

### Lebensohl

Over NT interference

Other uses

### Take out of 4 level pre-empts

4♣4♦

4♥

4♠

## OTHER NOTES

## BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit  forcing  other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Jump raises - majors limit  forcing  other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Jump shifts after minor opening 5 card + opening \_\_\_\_\_  
 Jump shifts after major opening 5 card + opening \_\_\_\_\_  
 Responses to strong 2 suit opening neg-2♦/ neg 2 nt \_\_\_\_\_  
 Responses to 2NT opening \_\_\_\_\_

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 Four or more with an honour 4th highest  NT attitude  S \_\_\_\_\_  
 3rd/5th  other \_\_\_\_\_  
 From 4 small 2nd highest  other top \_\_\_\_\_  
 From 3 cards (no honour) top  middle  S bottom   
**Signal** on partner's lead: high encourage  low encourage   
 other odd \_\_\_\_\_  
**Signal** on declarer's lead natural count \_\_\_\_\_  
**Discards** McKenney  high encourage  low encourage   
 odd/even  other \_\_\_\_\_  
**Count** natural  reverse  \_\_\_\_\_

## CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood  RKCB  other \_\_\_\_\_  
 4♣ Gerber  when? 1/2 nt \_\_\_\_\_

### Other Conventions

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| grand slam force | cappeletti/dont |
| swine            | CRO             |
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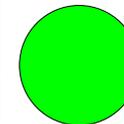
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## OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape   
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**1 NT** 12-14 may contain 5 card major   
 2♣ Stayman: simple  extended  other \_\_\_\_\_  
 transfers 2♦ \_\_\_\_\_ 2♥ \_\_\_\_\_ 2♠ \_\_\_\_\_  
 2 NT \_\_\_\_\_ other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2♣ 23+ OR <4 LOSER  
 2♦ 8/8.5 PLAYING TRICKS  
 2♥ 8/8.5 PLAYING TRICKS  
 2♠ 8/8.5 PLAYING TRICKS  
 2 NT 20-22, BALANCED  
 3 NT 25-27, BALANCED

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## COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through 2♣ Responsive doubles through 2♠  
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 1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 hcp (re-opening) 10-15 hcp  
 Immed cue of minor ♣5/5 red ♦5/5 black  
 Immed cue of major ♥5/5 black ♠5/5 red  
 Over opponent's 1NT (weak) cappeletti  
 Over opponent's 1NT (strong) dont  
 Over weak twos natural, dbl=take out or 16+hcp  
 Over opening threes natural, dbl=take out or 16+hcp

