

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit forcing Other: inverted

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Jump shifts after minor opening Weak, 0-6, 6+

Jump shifts after major opening Bergens

Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2D= neg/pos

Responses to 2NT opening puppet stayman and transfers to majors, 3S=5S, 4H

PLAY CONVENTIONS

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

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

Underlead Other: A for att, K for count

Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude

3rd/5th Other:

From 4 small 2nd highest Other: 3rd in suit

From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom

Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage

Other: Count

Signal on declarer's lead Count

Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage

odd/even Other:

Count natural reverse

CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood RKCB Other: 3014

4♣ Gerber when?

Other Conventions



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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

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Basic System: 2/1 Game Force Brown Sticker

Classification: Green Blue Red Yellow



OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape

1♣ 3+, 10+ 1♦ 3+, 10+ 1♥ 5+, 10+ 1♠ 5+, 10+

1 NT 15-17 may contain 5 card major

2♣ Stayman: simple extended Other: Lavings

Transfers 2♦ H 2♥ S 2♠ C

2 NT D Other: Super accepts

2♣ GF

2♦ Weak 2

2♥ Weak 2

2♠ Weak 2

2 NT 20-22 and flattish

3 NT Specific Ace Ask

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

Bergen Raises	

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through 4H Responsive doubles through 4H

Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT LUBS

1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 10-14

Immed cue of minor Michaels

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Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Capelletti

Over opponent's 1NT (strong) Capelletti

Over weak twos x= lebensohl

Over opening threes x=takeout

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning

1♣	1♦	4+, 6+	2NT	10-12, flat, no 4 card major
	1♥/♠	4+, 6+	3♣	4+C, 6-9 pts
	1NT	flat, 6-9 pts	3♦	splinter
	2♣	10+pts, 4+C	3♥	splinter
	2♦	Weak, 0-6, 6+	3♠	splinter
	2♥	Weak, 0-6, 6+	3NT	to play, 13+ pts, no 4 card maj
	2♠	Weak, 0-6, 6+	4 bids	Exclusion
1♦	1♥/♠	4+, 6+	3♣	Weak, 0-6, 6+
	1NT	forcing 1 round, no 4 card maj	3♦	6-9 pts, 4+D
	2♣	GF	3♥	Splinter
	2♦	10+, 4+	3♠	Splinter
	2♥	Weak, 0-6, 6+	3NT	13+, no 4 card major
	2♠	Weak, 0-6, 6+	4♦	KC in D
	2NT	10-12, flat, no 4 card major	4 Other	Exclusion
1♥/♠	1NT	Forcing for 1 round, 6+ pts	3♣	Bergen
	2♣	GF, 4+	3♦	Bergen
	2♦	GF, 4+	3♥/♠	Weak, 0-6, preemptive
	2♥/♠	6-9 pts, 3 card support	3NT	flat, 13+, to play
	2NT	Jacoby, 14+, 4+ support	4♣/♦	Splinter
2♣	2♦	waiting,	2♥/♠	2H = negative
	other	2NT = H, encouraging		
2♦	2♥	non-forcing	3♣/♦	preemptive
	2♠	non-forcing	3♥/♠	ROCK!!!! Splinter
	2NT	Ogust	3NT	To play
2♥/♠	2NT	Ogust	3NT	To play
	3♣/♦	non-forcing	4♣/♦	ROCK!!!! Splinter
	3♥/♠	Preemptive	4♥/♠	To play
2NT	3♣	Puppet stayman	4♣	Texas transfer
	3♦	transfer to H	4♦	Texas transfer
	3♥	Transfer to S	4♥	To play
	3♠	5S, 4H	4♠	To play
	3NT	To play	other	4NT = quant

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to 1NT

3♣/3♦	Slam Try in suit, further bids are cues, 3NT= weak, 2 card support
3♥/3♠	Slam Try in suit, further bids are cues, 3NT= weak, 2 card support
4♣	Texas transfer
4♦	Texas Transfer
4♥	To play
4♠	To play

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 2 way

Defence to 3NT opening

Defence to opening Two's:

Multi 2♦

RCO style 2-s

Other 2-s

Defence to strong ♣

Lebensohl

Over NT interference

Other uses

Take out of 4 level pre-empt

4♣/4♦ 4♥ 4♠

OTHER NOTES