

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit forcing Other: 6-9

Jump raises - majors limit forcing Other: <7

Jump shifts after minor opening 2d natural inv, 2h 5S 4+H, 2s 8-10 R, 3c nat inv

Jump shifts after major opening Mod Bergen

Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2d waiting, kokish 2h

Responses to 2NT opening Simple Stayman, transfers, 3s minor suit stayman

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 S Other: _____

From 4 small 2nd highest NT Other: 3rd

From 3 cards (no honour) top NT middle bottom S

Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage

Other: Suit preference sometimes

Signal on declarer's lead Reverse Count, reverse smith to NT

Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage

odd/even Other: _____

Count natural reverse Reverse original count

CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood RKCB Other: 1430

4♣ Gerber when? _____

Other Conventions

Inverted minors _____

Support doubles _____

Blackout _____

Swedish Jacoby _____

EKC _____



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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

Names: Nabil Edgton Paul Gosney

ABF Nos: 598933 600393

Basic System: 2/1 Brown Sticker

Classification: Green Blue Red Yellow



OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape

1♣ 2 1♦ 4 1♥ 5(4) 1♠ 5(4)

1 NT 9-12 1st/2nd favourable, else (14)15-17 may contain 5 card major

2♣ Stayman: simple extended Other: _____

Transfers 2♦ ->2h 2♥ ->2s 2♠ Range Probe/C

2 NT D Other: _____

2♣ GF or 22-23 Bal

2♦ (0) 3-7 5+ either major

2♥ 8-11 5/6+ hearts NV/V

2♠ 8-11 5/6+ spades NV/V

2 NT 20-21

3 NT Gambling

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

Transfers over 1c Freq light openings in 3rd seat

Transfers in competition Hcp only a guide

Mini NT 1st/2nd favourable

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through 4s Responsive doubles through 4s

Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT LUBS

1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 11-15

Immed cue of minor Majors

Immed cue of major OM + diamonds

Over opponent's 1NT (weak) 2c majors, 2d 1 major, 2h/s nat + minor, x penalties

Over opponent's 1NT (strong) 2c majors, 2d 1 major, 2h/s nat + minor, x penalties

Over weak twos X = t/o with lebensohl

Over opening threes X = t/o

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning

1♣	1♦	H	2NT	<6 5+C
	1♥/♠	S/5+D or no M	3♣	6-9
	1NT	11-12 may have 4 M	3♦	Void
	2♣	10+	3♥	Void
	2♦	Natural invitational	3♠	Void
	2♥	5S 4+H 4-8hcp	3NT	
	2♠	8-10 unbalanced 5+ C	4 bids	

1♦	1♥/♠	4+ M	3♣	Natural invitational
	1NT	4-10	3♦	4-9
	2♣	GF natural	3♥	Void
	2♦	10+	3♠	Void
	2♥	5S 4+H 4-8hcp	3NT	
	2♠	8-10 unbalanced 4+ D	4♦	
	2NT	11-12	4 Other	

1♥/♠	1NT	0-11	3♣	6-9/10+ Raise
	2♣	GF clubs or Bal	3♦	3 card limit R/6-9
	2♦	GF 5+	3♥/♠	<7 Raise
	2♥/♠	2-9 Raise	3NT	Good Raise to 4M
	2NT	10+ Raise / unknown splinter	4♣/♦	Void

2♣	2♦	waiting	2♥/♠	Natural
other		3m good 6+ suit 2+ controls		

2♦	2♥	p/c	3♣/♦	3c NF, 3d forcing
	2♠	p/c	3♥/♠	p/c
	2NT	Asking	3NT	To play

2♥/♠	2NT	Asking	3NT	To play
	3♣/♦	Nat forcing	4♣/♦	Splinters
	3♥/♠	To play	4♥/♠	To play

2NT	3♣	Stayman	4♣	5+5+ Majors GF
	3♦	Hearts	4♦	Trfr to 4h
	3♥	Spades	4♥	Trfr to 4s
	3♠	Minor suit stayman	4♠	5d 5332 Quant
	3NT	To play	other	

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to 1NT

3♣/3♦	3c dubious 3nt bid, 3d short spade
3♥/3♠	3h short h, 3s D shortage 6+ clubs
4♣	H
4♦	S
4♥	5332 quant with clubs
4♠	5332 quant with diamonds

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 4c majors _____

Defence to opening Two's: Multi 2♦ x 13-15 bal or 16+ _____

RCO style 2-s _____

Other 2-s _____

Defence to strong ♣ x majors 1nt minors _____

Lebensohl Over NT interference _____

Other uses 3c (x), 2M (x) _____

Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4♥/4♠ _____ 4♣/4♦ _____

OTHER NOTES

