

| DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING |
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| OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening) |
| Nat sound |
| Resp. : nat. weak jump raises, new suit F1 at the same level |
| Jump shift : fit showing / jump cue : good raise |
| 1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening) |
| Live : 15-18 hcp |
| Resp. stayman and transfers |
| Reopening : 9-13 hcp |
| JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT) |
| Weak, aggressive especially at favourite seat |
| Reopen: 6/7 cards 9-13 except 1m 2♦ : ♥+♠ ; 1M 2M :oM+m |
| DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen) |
| 1m 2♦ : ♥+♠ ; 1m 2NT : ♥+om |
| 1M 2M : oM+♣ ; 1M 2NT : ms ; 1M 3♣ : oM+♦ |
| Jump cue : ask for stopper (except 1♣ 3♣) |
| VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH) |
| 2♣ : ♥+♠ / dble : 5m4M or strong any/ 2♦ : multi / 2M : 5M4m |
| Reopening same as 2 nd seat |
| Vs weak NT : dble 13+ bal / 2♣ : Ms / 2M : 5M4m / 2NT :ms |
| Vs 1NT overcall over a minor opening bid : |
| 2♣ shows both M/ 2♦ : multi / 2♥/♠ : 5 cards |
| VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids) |
| After X, 2M weak , 2NT = Lebensohl with weak or Stong and. |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣ |
| 1♣ dble : 4 ⁺ /4 ⁺ MM' / 1NT : ♣/ 2♣ : 5/5 MM'/ 2♦ : M |
| 2♥/♠ : ♥/♠+m |
| Precision 2♣ : X T/O; 3♣ : 5+♥/♦ ; 3♦ : 5+♥/♠ |
| OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE |
| 1 over 1 F1 / jump shift : fit showing / Rdle : penalty seeking |
| Transfert responses from 1NT after 1M X ? |

| LEADS AND SIGNALS | | | |
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| OPENING LEADS STYLE | | | |
| | Lead | In Partner's Suit | |
| Suit | 3 rd and 5 th | 3 rd and 5 th | |
| NT | 4 th | 3 rd and 5 th / Raised suit : Xxx | |
| Subseq | Same as 1 st lead | | |
| Other: | | | |
| LEADS | | | |
| Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT | |
| Ace | A, AK(+) | AK(+) | |
| King | KQ(+) | KQJ10(+), AKJxx, KQ10xx | |
| Queen | QJ(+) | KQ(+), QJ10(+), QJ9(+) | |
| Jack | J10(+) | AJ10(+), KJ10(+), J109(+) | |
| 10 | 10x, K109(+), Q109(+) | H109(+), 109(+) | |
| 9 | 9, 9x | 9x, 9xx | |
| Hi-X | Xx | Xx, Xxx | |
| Lo-X | xxX, xxXx | xxxX, xXxx | |
| SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY | | | |
| | Partner's Lead | Declarer's Lead | Discarding |
| 1 | Hi-Low = Even | Hi-Low = Even | Hi-Low = Even |
| Suit 2 | Hi = encouraging | | |
| 3 | | | |
| 1 | Hi-Low = Even | Hi-Low = Even | Hi-Low = Even |
| NT 2 | Hi = encouraging | | Hi = encouraging |
| 3 | | | |
| Signals (including Trumps): Smith echo | | | |
| Count : Standard | | | |
| DOUBLES | | | |
| TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening) | | | |
| Can be light if shaped | | | |
| Responses are naturals / CB: F1 | | | |
| Reopening : 9+ hcp | | | |
| SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS | | | |
| Negative, competitive, informative, optional, max overcall, lightners | | | |

| W B F CONVENTION CARD |
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| CATEGORY: NATURAL – GREEN |
| NCBO: FRANCE |
| PLAYERS: Laurent THUILLEZ & Vanessa REESS |
| EVENT : All events |
| SYSTEM SUMMARY |
| GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE |
| 5 cards Major 1♦ usually 4 unless 4♠4♥3♦2♣ |
| 1NT : 15-17 |
| 2♣ GF |
| 2♦ : weak in ♥ or ♠ OR 22-23 BAL |
| 2♥♠ : 5♥♠ + 5m (5/4 If NV) |
| SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE |
| 3NT : gambling in a minor |
| SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES |
| When pass is forcing, bid is weaker than Pass then bid |
| IMPORTANT NOTES |
| BW 4130 clés |
| After Pass, jump shift is fit showing |
| PSYCHICS: rare |

| | | | | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT ACTION | PASSED HAND BIDDING |
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| 1♣ 1♦ | | 3 | 4♥ | 10+ HCP With 5♣ and 4♦ usually 1♣ but we can open 1♦ 1♣ may be (32)44 or 3343 | 1♣ 1M = may have longer ♦ 1♣ 2♦ = good ♣ raise (9-11) 1♦ 3♣ = good ♦ raise (9-11) 1m 2♥/♠ = inv 6 cards 1m 2m = 5 ⁺ ♠/4 ⁺ ♥ (4-9) | 1m 1M 3NT 4333 18-19 1m 1M 4m = 4M+5m-2-2 | Jump shift : fit showing |
| 1♥ 1♠ | | 5 5 | 4♦ 4♦ | 10+ HCP 10+ HCP | 1M 3M = inv, 4 cards Supp 1M 2NT= invitation w 3 cards supp 1♠ 3♣/♦/♥ = invitation Splinters | 1M 1NT 2NT : GF | Drury fit 2♠ or 2NT = 4 cards support + singleton |
| INT | | | 3♠ | 15-17 bal or semi bal 5M ok ; 6m ok | Stayman and transfers ; 2NT : ♦ 3♦ : 5/5 majeur propo de chelem | Smolen 1NT p 3♠ : mm's+short | |
| 2♣ | X | 0 | 4♥ | Game forcing | 2♦ : 0-1 control/ 2♥ : 2-3controls / 2♠ :4+ 2NT3♣♦♥ : 6 cards with 3H in ♣♦♥♠ | | |
| 2♦ | X | 6(5NV) | | Weak in one Maj. 4-10 HCP or 22-23 bal | 2♥♠ p/c / 2NT GF asking for the suit 3♦ : inv ♥ or GF ♠ ; 3♦ : ♥ inv+; 3♠ : inv ♠ | 2♦ 2NT 3♣ : maximum 3♦♥ : ♥♠ minimum | |
| 2♥ or 2♠ | | 5 | | 5M+ 5m 4-10 HCP | 2NT asking for minor 3♣ GF w fit | | |
| 2NT | | | 4♥ | 20-21 bal or semi bal | Stayman and transfers 4♣ : ♦ / 4♦ : MM 4♥ : 5♣ +4♦; 4 : 5♦ + 4♣ | | |
| 3♣ | | 7 | | Preempt | New suit F | | |
| 3♦ | | 7 | | Preempt | New suit F | | |
| 3♥ | | 7 | | Preempt | New suit F | | |
| 3♠ | | 7 | | Preempt | New suit F | | |
| 3NT | X | | | gambling | | | |
| 4♣ | | 7 | | Preempt | | | |
| 4♦ | | 7 | | Preempt | | | |
| 4♥ | | 7 | | Preempt | | | |
| 4♠ | | 7 | | Preempt | | | |
| 4NT | X | | | Both minors | | | |
| 5♣ | | 7 | | Preempt | | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING | |
| 5♦ | | 7 | | Preempt | | RKCB 41-30 | |
| 5♥ | | 7 | | Preempt | | Josephine | |
| 5♠ | | 7 | | Preempt | | Controls and Cue Bid | |

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Note 1 : 2 SUITERS

1♣ 2♦ ⇒ 5♥+5♠
2NT ⇒ 5♦+5♥

1M 2M ⇒ 5♣+5 oM
2NT ⇒ 5♣+5♦
3♣ ⇒ 5♦+5 oM

1♥ P 1NT 2♥ ⇒ 5♠+5♣
3♣ ⇒ 5♠+5♦
3♥ ⇒ asking for stopper

1♥ P 2♥ 2NT ⇒ 5♣+5♦
3♥ ⇒ asking for stopper
4♣ ⇒ 5♠+5♣
4♦ ⇒ 5♠+5♦

2♥ 3♥ ⇒ asking for stopper or both minors
4♣ ⇒ 5♠+5♣
4♦ ⇒ 5♠+5♦

3♣ 4♣ ⇒ 5♦+5♥
4♦ ⇒ 5♥+5♠

3♦ 4♣ ⇒ 5♥+5♣
4♦ ⇒ 5♥+5♠

3NT 4♣ ⇒ 5♥+5♠
4♦ ⇒ one Major
4♥/♠ ⇒ ♥/♠ + m

1♣ P P 2♣ ⇒ 5♥+5♦
2♦ ⇒ 5♥+5♠
2NT ⇒ 17-19

1M P P 2M ⇒ 5 oM +5m
2NT ⇒ 17-19
3♣ ⇒ 12-14, 6 good cards

1♠ P 1NT 2♠ ⇒ 5♥+5♣
3♣ ⇒ 5♠+5♦
3♠ ⇒ asking for stopper

1♠ P 2♠ 2NT ⇒ any 5/5
3♠ ⇒ asking for stopper
4♣ ⇒ 5♥+5♣
4♦ ⇒ 5♥+5♦

2♠ 3♠ ⇒ asking for stopper or both minors
2♠ 4♣ ⇒ 5♥+5♣
2♠ 4♦ ⇒ 5♥+5♦

3♣ P P 4♣ ⇒ 5♦+5♥
4♦ ⇒ 5♥+5♠

3♦ P P 4♣ ⇒ 5♥+5♣
4♦ ⇒ 5♥+5♠

3NT P P same

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Note 2 : DRURY

1♥ 2♠ ⇒ 4 cards support + a shortness → 2NT relay ⇒: 3♣ ⇒ short ♣
 3♦ ⇒ short ♦
 3♥ ⇒ short ♠

2NT ⇒ 5♠ + 4♥ invit

1♠ 2NT ⇒ 4 cards support + a shortness → 3♣ relay ⇒ 3♦ ⇒ short ♦
 3♥ ⇒ short ♥
 3♠ ⇒ short ♣

1♥♠ 2♣ ⇒ promises 3 cards support

1♥ 2♣
 2♦ 3♣ ⇒ 3♥ + 5♣
 3♦ ⇒ 3♥ + 5♦

1♠ 2♣
 2♦ 2♥ ⇒ 3♠ + 5♥
 3♣ ⇒ 3♥ + 5♣
 3♦ ⇒ 3♠ + 5♦

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Note 3 : DEVELOPMENTS AFTER 1M-1NT-2NT (GF)

1♥ 1NT
2NT 3♣ ⇒ asking for other suit
3♦ ⇒ 4 cards in ♦
3♥ ⇒ 6 cards in ♥ unbal
3♠ ⇒ 4 cards in ♠

1♥ 1NT
2NT 3♦ ⇒ weak with 3 cards ♥ or both minors (5+5+)
3♥ ⇒ TRF ♣
3♠ ⇒ TRF ♦
3NT ⇒ Natural

1♠ 1NT
2NT 3♣ ⇒ asking for other suit
3♦ ⇒ 4 cards in ♦
3♥ ⇒ 4 cards in ♥
3♠ ⇒ 6 cards in ♠ unbal

1♠ 1NT
2NT 3♦ ⇒ transfer to ♥
3♥ ⇒ either weak hand with 3♠ or both minors (5+5+)
3♠ ⇒ transfer to ♣
3NT ⇒ transfer to ♦

Note 4 : IF OPPTS INTERFERE OVER RCKB

Pass ⇒ 3-0
Dble (rdble) ⇒ 4-1
First suit ⇒ 2 no Q
Second Suit ⇒ 2 + Q

Note 5 : DEVELOPMENTS AFTER 1♥-1♠-2NT

1♥ 1♠
2NT 3♣ ⇒ transfer to ♦
3♦ ⇒ transfer to ♥
3♥ ⇒ transfer to transfer to ♠
3♠ ⇒ transfer to ♣

Note 6 : DEVELOPMENTS AFTER 1♦-2♣-2NT

1♦ 2♣
 2NT 3♣ ⇒ transfer to 3♦ (4 cards support), then 3♥ = 1345 / 3♠ = 3145 / 3NT = 2245 slam try
 3♦ ⇒ 4 cards in ♥
 3♥ ⇒ 4 cards in ♠
 3♠ ⇒ one suiter in ♣ slam interest

1♦ 2♣
 2NT 3♣
 3NT ⇒ 4432 with 3♦'s 12-14
 4NT ⇒ 4432 with 3♦'s 18-19

Note 7 : DEVELOPMENTS AFTER 1♦-2♣-3NT (4441 - 15-17HCP)

1♦ 2♣
 3NT 4♣ ⇒ RCKB ♦
 4♦ ⇒ transfer to 4♥
 4♥ ⇒ transfer to 4♠
 4♠ ⇒ strong ♣ one suiter. Opener can bid 4NT discouraging, otherwise he answers to RCKB ♣
 4NT ⇒ invitational

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Note 8 : STAYMAN AND DEVELOPMENTS

1NT 2♣
2♦ 2♥♠ ⇒ invitational

1NT 2♣
2♥ 3♣ ⇒ 4♠ + 5♣ GF
3♦ ⇒ 4♠ + 5♦ GF
3♥ ⇒ 4+♥ invitation
3♠ ⇒ 4+♥ hand slam invitation
4♣ ⇒ short slam invitation
4♦ ⇒ short slam invitation

1NT 2♣
2♠ 3♣ ⇒ 4♥ + 5♣ GF
3♦ ⇒ 4♥ + 5♦ GF
3♥ ⇒ 4♠ hand slam invitation
3♠ ⇒ 4♠ invitation
4♣ ⇒ short slam invitation
4♦ ⇒ short slam invitation