

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
5-17hcp, aggressive at 1 st level
Responses: new suit F1, cuebid F1 - usually support
(1m)-1M-pass-2M = 5-10hcp supp, 2NT = inv+ 4+c supp
(1c)-1d-(p/dbl)-1M = 5cards
(1m)-1h-(p/dbl)-1S = 4cards
(1m)-1M-pass-3m = mixed raise, 7-10 4+c supp
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
15-18hcp, cue = only gf
Reopen: 10-14hcp for minors, 11-16 for majors, system on
After double, rdbl is one suit; 2X=X+higher; pass is to play
1m-(1NT)-2C=majors, 2D=one major, 2M=5M3m, 2N=4m5+om
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
(1m)-2M = 10-16, 4M and 5+ in other m or any m if 1m doesn't promise 3; (1h)-2S = same, 4S and 5+ any m
2NT = two lower suits, 5-5
3NT = to play, 4NT = twosuit
Reopen: 2M = same
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
(1M)-2M=5-5 oM+c, (1M)-3c=om+d (1dhs)-3dhs=asking for stop
(1m)-2D=5-5 MM; (1m)-3c=S+om; 1x-(1y)-3y = transfer to 3NT
Reopen: 1m-2m = M's, 1c-2d=d+M, 1M-2M=oM+m
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
Against strong NT: Dbl = 5+m4M
2♦ = one 6+m, 2M = 5M 4+m, 2NT = mm, 2♣ = MM
Against weak NT: Dbl = 13+hcp, 2C = MM, 2D = 1M
2M = 5M 4+m, 2NT =5+m4H, 3m = 6+m4S
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
Dbl: Opening values in at least two playable suits
(2X)-4m = 5m-5M; (3X)-4m = 5+m4M
vs 2d multi and ekren: x= 33+ in M's 14+ or strong; 2nt=15-18
vs weak known 2suiter (55): cue=t/o with shortness in that suit
if one suit is 4 cards, overcall and continuations = nat
VS. STRONG CLUB - i.e. 1♣ (or 2♣)
Dbl=majors, 1NT =5+m4M, 2d=majors 55, 2NT=minors, similar over (1C) - p - (1D); Vs 2♣ str, dbl = majors
vs polish x = 12+ 33+ in M's or strong, 1NT=15-18 bal
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Rdbl: 9+hcp, penalty oriented, new suit on the first level is 5+ cards F1, 2nd level NF; transfers over 1M-(x) except 1H-(x)-1S
(1x)-1y-(dbl)-rdbl = A or K doubleton in partner's suit

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	4th best, second from low	3 rd best or att if supp	
NT	att	3 rd best or att if supp	
Subseq	same	3 rd best or att if supp	
Other: K power lead vs NT – asks count or unblock; no Smith; From our known long suit vs NT - K&Q ask for unblock of lower H or CT, J nat			
Rusinow leads vs 5+th level, journalist in p's suit, length dependant honor leads vs NT			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT (we didn't bid suit)	
Ace	AKx+, Ax, AKJ+	Ax, AKx+ asks for att	
King	AK, Kx, KQ+	AKJ10+, KQ10x+	
Queen	Qx,QJ+	3-c: KQ(x), QJ(x), Qx	
Jack	Jx, JT+, HJT+	top from 3- or with Q 4+c	
10	Tx, T9+, HT9+	top from 3- or with J 4+c	
9	9x, 98x	top from 3- or with T 4+c	
Hi-X	Xx, xXx(+)	Xx, XXx(x), HXx	
Lo-X	HxX, HxxX, HxxXx	att	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	high=enc	high=even	high=higher suit
Suit 2	high=even	S/P	low=lower suit
3	S/P		
1	high=enc	S/P	high=higher suit
NT 2	S/P	high=even	low=lower suit
3	high=even		
Middle odd can be encouraging in the known long suit			
Smith on 2nd trick of NT			
Signal: S/P with trumps, std present count, att w/ count through declarer			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Can be light			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Support doubles and redoubles up to 2 of our Major			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: GREEN
NCBO: Serbia
PLAYERS: Altman Boris & Vujcic Veljko
EVENT: Small Fed Games 2024
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
2/1 GF, 5533, 1NT = (14)15-17hcp,
2♣ = 23+ (semi)balanced or GF
2♦ = Flannery, 5+H 4S 10-16
2M = weak two
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
XYZ
inverted minors GF except when we don't have a stopper
Walsh, Lebensohl, non-serious 3NT
Transfers over : (1x)-1M-(x), 1M-(x), 2M-(x), ♠ stays natural
All jumps suit bids from responder are nat good 6card suit 9-11, 8-10 after interference
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
After 2/1 bid or if we open, opps overcall and we cuebid
IMPORTANT NOTES
Not strict about hcp ranges
PSYCHICS: occasionally

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DB L THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		3	4♥	10-21hcp	1 st lvl 4+hcp nat, 2♣=5+♣ almost gf, 1/2/3NT standard, jump =inv 6+cards, 9-11hcp, 3m=weak, double jump =nat weak (6)7+	1♣-2♣-3X = splinter	no inv minors after overcall after dbl suit jumps are 8-10
1♦		3	4♥	10-21hcp 3d only if 4-4-3-2	similar	similar	similar
1♥		5	4♦	10-21hcp	1♠=5+cards nat, 1NT=NF 5-11hcp can have 4♠, 2♣=2+cards GF, 2♦=5+cards GF, 2♠/3m=inv 6+♠/M 2♥=5-10hcp sup, 2NT=inv+supp jacoby-like	1♥-2nt-3♥=min	after dbl transfers,jumps are 8-10 p-1♥-2♠/3m=fit bid
1♠		5	4♦	10-21hcp	similar	similar	
INT		-	4♠	(14)15-17hcp 5M/6m/5-4/singletonH	2♣=mod. stayman, 2♦/2♥=transfers, 2♠=clubs, 2NT=diamonds, 3♣=puppet Stayman, 3♦=55M GF+, 3M=55M spl, 4♣=BWOOD	1NT-3♣-3♦=no 5M, can be 4M	Lebensohl, 2NT = Leb, double followed by double is penalty
2♣	x	0(F)	-	23+hcp bal or any GF hand	2♦=waiting, suit = 5+cards, 2topH, 2nt = 0+55M	2♣-2♦-2♥=kokish, nat or 25+bal	
2♦	x	5(SF)	-	10-16hcp, 5+♥4♠	2NT=F1, 2M=to play, 3m=nat, inv, 3M=mixed		after dbl pass and rdbl show ♦
2♥	x	4	-	weak , 5-11hcp	2NT=F1, 3♠=5+oM F1, 3♦=nat F1, 3♥=5+♠ F1		after dbl transfers
2♠		5	-	same	similar		similar
2NT		-	4♠	21-22(23)hcp, 5M/6m/5-4/singleton	3♣=pupp, 3♦/3♥=transfers, 3♠=minor stayman SF, 4♣/♦=5-5ms short ♥/♠, 4♥=optional rkc ♣, 4♠=optional rkc ♦	2NT-3♣: 3♦=4/5♠ and/or 4♥; 3♥=3 or 5♥, 3♠=3♠	
3♣		6	-	at least AJTxxx in 1st/2nd	new suit F1, possibly lead-directing, 3♦=asking for 3 cards in M, 4♦ is mod. minor key card: 1, 1+q, 2, 2+q		wide range in 3 rd seat
3♦		6	-	at least AJTxxx in 1st/2nd	new suit F1, possibly lead-directing, 3NT=to play, 4♣ is mod. minor key card		wide range in 3 rd seat
3♥		6	-	random	new suit F1, possibly lead-directing, 3NT=to play, 4♣ is mod. major key card: 0, 1, 1+q, 2, 2+q		wide range in 3 rd seat
3♠		6	-	random	same		wide range in 3 rd seat
3NT	x	7	-	solid m suit no outside A/K	4♣=p/c, 4♦=strong F1, asking for shortness, 4M=to play		
HIGH LEVEL BIDDING							
4X	x	7		pre, can be light in non-vul		0314 RKCB, EXCL, DOPI ROPI	
4NT	x	6/6		6-6 in minors, weak		over NTs 4NT quantitative-baron, 5NT pick a slam	
5X		7		pre, can be light in non-vul		Cuebids up the line 1 st or 2 nd ; after major fit 3NT=non serious (except 1M-2M-3NT and 1M-(2x)-3x-3NT)	
						after rkcb/cuebids 5NT is invite for grand; if we cuebid on 5th level and missed rkcb, 5NT is rkcb	