

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style : Responses : 1/2 Level ; Reopening)
Style : Natural, 6/17 HCP.
Responses : New suit 1/1, 2/1 and 2/2 : forcing.
Reopening : Nat shows less than good opening hand.
1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live ; Responses ; Reopening)
Overcall : 16-18 HCP
Responses : Stayman and transfers
Reopening : 10-13 HCP
After Pass 1m Pass 1M : 6 in the cheapest and 4 in the other.
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style ; Responses ; Unusual NT)
One-suiter weak : 1m 2M / 1♥ 2♠ / 1M 3♦
Two-suiter : 1m 2♦ = Ms / 1m 2NT = m' + ♥
1M 2M = M' + ♣ / 1M 2NT = ms / 1M 3♠ = M' + ♦
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style ; Response ; Reopen)
1M 3M = Ask for stopper / 1♣ 3♣ = preempt / 1♦ 3♦ = preempt
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak ; Overcall)
Vs Strong NT (14+ HCP) : X = 5+min + 4Maj / 2♣ = majors / 2♦ = 6+ in a major 2♥ = 5♥ + 4+min / 2♠ = 5♠ + 4+min / 2NT = minors
Vs Weak NT (9-13 HCP) : 2♣ = Ms / Transfers / X = 14 HCP + (responses : Stayman/transfers)
Vs 1NT Overcall : 2♣ = both majors if opening of 1min / Transfers / X = 8+HCP 1♥ 1NT 2♦ = transfer ♥ - 1♠ 1NT 2♥ = transfer ♠
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles ; Cue-bids ; Jumps ; NT Bids)
VS WEAK TWO : Cue-bid = both min / 4m = 5m + 5 in other M 2NT = 15-18 HCP (responses : Stayman and transfers).
VS MULTI : 2♥/2♠/3♠/3♦ = Nat / 3♥ = Nat, strong / 3♠ = Minors 4m : 5♥ + 5m / 2NT = 15-18 HCP (responses : Stayman and transfers) → Take out doubles
VS. ARTIFICIAL 1♣ OPENING (STRONG)
Double = take out for majors 1♦/♥/♠ = natural with values / 2♣ = natural with values 1NT = both minors / 2NT = both majors 2♦/♥/♠ = Nat, weak
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
XX = 11 HCP + / Fit jumps = weak / 1M X 3y = 5y + 4M ; 4y = 10 cards 2NT = fit with 4 cards 11-12 HCP / 3NT = fit with 4 cards 13-15 HCP

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
Suit	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3 rd /5 th , 2 nd from 4 small cards	3 rd /5 th	
NT	2 nd or 4 th	3 rd /5 th , except after 1♣ : 4 th	
Subseq	Same as above	Same as above	
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AKJ10(+), AKx(+), Ax(+), A singl	AKQ(+), AKx, AKxx, AKJx	
King	AK, KQ(+), Kx, singl	AKJxx(+), KQJ(+), KQ10x(+)	
Queen	QJ(+), Q(x)	QJ10(+), QJ9(+)	
Jack	J10(+), J(x)	AJ10(+), KJ10(+), J109(+), J108(+)	
10	10(x)	109x(+), Q109(+)	
9	9(x)	9(+)	
Hi-X	Hxxx, Hxx, Hxxx	Hxxx, Hxx, Hxxx	
Lo-X	X, xxx, xxxxx, Xx, xxx	Xxx, Xx, xxx(+)	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Count : H/L = even	Count : H/L = even	Count : H/L = even
Suit 2	Hi = ENCRG	Suit preference	Hi = ENCRG
3			
1	Count : H/L = even	Count : H/L = even	Count : H/L = even
NT 2	Hi = ENCRG	Smith	Hi = ENCRG
3			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style ; Responses ; Reopening)			
STYLE : can be light if shaped.			
Responses : natural and limit - Cue-bid forcing one round.			
IN BAL POS : 8+ Pts. Responses : idem.			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Negatives doubles. Responsive doubles. - Double over fits and preempts. - Informative and optional doubles. - Maximal overcall double. - LIGHTNER doubles. 			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
PLAYERS : Grégoire Duterte Saveria Garcia CATEGORY : Green
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
better minor; Major 5 th ; 2♣ : Strong ; 2♦ : Game Forcing 2♥ : weak ; 2♠ : weak
1NT : 15-17 HCP
2/1 = GF ; 1M - 2min - 2M - 3min : 6+ min, GF.
Drury ; Blackwood 41-30
Cachalot : transfer on 1♦ ,on 1♥ or X overcall
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
→ Some competitive sequences, when double is negative if partner is short.
→ When pass is forcing, bid is weaker than pass then bid.
IMPORTANT NOTES
Opening in 3 rd position can be weak (8+HCP)
NV against vulnerable, preempt can be very weak (3+ HCP)
PSYCHICS
Seldom

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	DESCRIPTION	RÉSPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	MODIFICATION OVER COMPETITION AND WITH PASSE PARTNER
1♣		3	10-23 HCP ;	1♦ = natural ; 1♥ = 4+♥ ; 1♠ = 4+♠ ; 2♦ = 8-10, 5♣ ; 2♥ = strong ; 2♠ = strong ; 2♣ = 5♠+4♥5-9HCP		1♣ 1♦ X = 4♥+ ; 1♥ = 4♠+ ; 1♠ = NT 1♣ 1♥ X = 4♠+ ; 1♠ = NT 1♣ 1♠ 2♣ = natural X = 4♥ 8+HCP
1♦		3	10-23 HCP ;	3♣ = 8-10 5♦ ; 2♥ = strong 2♠ = strong ; 2♦ = 5♣/4♥ 6-9 HCP		1♦ 1♥ X = 4♠+ ; 1♠ = NT 1♦ 1♠ 2♣ = natural X = 4♥ 8+HCP
1♥		5	10-23 HCP ; 5+♥	2♠ = strong ; 2NT = Game forcing 3♣ = 10-13 hcp 3♥ ; 3♦ = 10-12 hcp 4♥ ; 3♥ = weak 4♥ with a shortness 3NT = balanced, 4♥, 13-15 HCP.	2♠ semi forcing game after 1NT	1♥ 1♠ 3min = preempt 1♥ 2♠ 3♦ = preempt / 1♥ X 2♦ = fit 1♥ 2♠ 3♠ = meeting / 1♥ X 3♣/♦ = fit 1♥ X 4♣/4♦ = 10 cards <u>After pass :</u> 2♠ = drury, 11+HCP with 3(+♥)
1♠		5	10-23 HCP ; 5+♠	2NT = Game forcing ; 3♠ = 10-13 hcp 3♣ 3♦ = 10-12 hcp 4♠ ; 3♥ = 6/7♥ 10-11 hcp 3♠ = 4♠ weak ; 3NT = balanced, 4♠, 13-15 HCP.	2NT semi forcing game after 1NT	1♠ 2♠ 3♦/♥ = Preempt 1♠ 2♦ 3♥ = Preempt / 1♠ X 3y = fit 1♠ X 2♥ = fit / 1♠ X 4y = 10 cards <u>After pass :</u> 2♠ = drury, 11+HCP with 3(+♠)
1NT			15-17 HCP	2♠ = Stayman ; 2♣ = transfert ♣ ; 2NT = balanced invit 3♠ = transfert ♦ 3♦ = ask for major 5th 3♥ = 6♥ strong ; 3♠ = 6♠ strong 4♠ = majors ; 4♦ = transfer ♥ ; 4♥ = transfer ♠	1NT 2♦ 2♥ 2SA = forcing. 1NT 2♥ 2♠ 2SA = forcing.	
2♣	X		Strong	2♦ = asking ; 2♥/♠ = 5 cards, 2 honors 3♣/♦/♥/♠ = 6+ cards, 2 honors		2♣ 2M X = 2+ cue ; pass = negative 2♣ 4M X = dissuasive ; pass = encouraging
2♦	X		Game forcing	2♥ = no ace ; 2♠ = one ace major 2NT = asking GF ; 3♣/♦ = ace of the suit 3♥ = red aces or black aces ; 3♠ = major aces or minor aces 3NT : ace ♥ + ace ♣ or ace ♦ + ace ♠		2♦ X XX = 7hcp+ 2♦ X Pass = to play 2♦X 2♦ X 2♥/2♠ = natural
2♥		6	preempt	2NT = Asking 3♣/♦ = to play 4♣/♦ = natural, GF		
2♠		6	Preempt	2NT = Asking ; 3♣/♦ = to play 3♥ = 6/7♥, invit ; 3♠ = invit 4♣/♦ = natural, GF ; 4♥ = to play		
2NT			20-21 HCP Balanced	3♠ = Stayman ; 3♦/♥/♠/4♣ = Transfer ; 4♦ = Majors		
3♣/3♦		6	Preempt	3♥/♠ = nat, forcing ; 4♥/♠ = to play		
4♣/4♦		6	Preempt with a major	4♥/♠ = no more to say		
3♥		6	Preempt	3♠, 4♣/♦ = ask for stop ; 4♠ = ask for stop		
3♠		6	Preempt	4♣/♦, 5♥ = ask for stop ; 4♥ = to play		
4♥		6	Preempt	4♠, 5♣/♦ = ask for stop		
4♠		6	Preempt	5♣/♦ = ask for stop		
3NT	X		ARDxxxx(x) in minor (Sid Str : +Q)	4♠ = not a stopper in all suiter / 4♦ = ask for shortness		
4NT	X		Minors			
					HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
					After 5NT : 6♣ = king ♣ ; 6♦ = king ♦ without king ♣	
					After Exclusion BW : 0 ; 1 ; 1½ ; 2 ; 2½	