Defence, conventions

Overcalls: Natural.

X =Take out. Normal bids.

1 NT overcall:

15-18 in 2nd and 3rd seat 15-18 in 4th seat

Jump-overcalls:

2NT = 2 lowest colours.

Colour jump = Preempt.

Direct Overcalls:

Michaels

Jump-overcall show a good suite and ask for stop.

Defence against 1 NT:

Dbl = Good hand

2 = Diamond or both major.

 $2 \blacklozenge = \text{Only hearts or spade} + \text{minor.}$

 $2 \checkmark = \text{Hearts} + \text{minor}.$

 $2 \blacktriangle = Natural.$

2NT = Both minor or strong with two colours.

Same approach if passed first.

Defence against preempt openings:

Weak 2 Dbl = take out. 2NT = 15-18hp.

3 level Dbl = take out.

Leaping Michaels

Defence against strong 1♣ or strong 2♣:

1 ♣: x = major, 1NT = Both minor.

2 : x = 3, 2NT = Both minor.

After take out double from opponents:

- New colour is forcing.
- New colour jump is weak.
- 2NT = invitational after minor, invitatinal Jacoby after major.
- RD show 10hp+.
- Jump raise is preempt.

Leads and signals

Lead-style: 3-5th, MUD.

	Leads	In partners colour	
Colour	3-5th, MUD	3-5th	
NT	3-5th, MUD	3-5th	
Further	3-5th from remaining cards	3-5th from remaining cards	

Other: Low is encouraging.

Leads: Standard from sequence.

Card	Colour	NT
Ace	AKx/AKxx(x)	AK/AKx/AKxx(x)
King	AK /KQ/KQJ(x)/ KQT(x)	KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT(x)
Queen	AQJ(x)/QJ(x)/QJT(x)	AQJ(x)/QJ(x)/QJT(x)
Jake	HJT(x)/JT(x)	HJT(x)/JT(x)
10	HT9x/AQT(x)/T9x	HT9x/AQT(x)/T9x
9	9x/98xx/98x	9x/98xx/98x
Х	Hx <u>x</u> x/H <u>T</u> 9x/xxxx <u>x</u>	Hx <u>x</u> x/H <u>T</u> 9 <u>x</u> /xxxx <u>x</u>

Carding in priority order:

		Partners	Decleares	Discard	
Farge	1	Encouraging		Encouraging	
Farge	2	Lavintahl		Count	
Farge	3	Count		Lavintahl	
NT	1	Encouraging	Smith	Encouraging	
NT	2	Lavintahl		Count	
NT	3	Count		Lavintahl	
Count: Low-High = 1-3-5. High-Low = 2-4-6					

Enc: Low card.

Doubles

Take out doubles (Style, Response; Re-opening):

Focused on major colours. Support doubles and RD up to 2, responsive doubles up to $4 \spadesuit$, take out doubles up to $3 \spadesuit$.



SYSTEM CARD



System card for

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Basic System

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1NT opening is (14)15-17, balanced, 5 card major and 6 card minor is allowed.

Special openings that can require defence agreements:

 $2 \spadesuit = \text{multi } 2 \checkmark / 2 \spadesuit = \text{tartan } 6-10\text{hp}$

2NT = minor 6-10hp

Forcingpass situations:

1x-(>3)-p = Pass MIGHT be forcing and encourage partner to doble if short in opponents colour.

Forcingpass in competitive game and slam bidding sequenses.

Important principles that don't fit anywhere else:

X-Y NT.

Lebensohl.

Psychic bids:

Rarely, but happends.

Opening.	Artificial	Minimum number.	Neg. Dobl. Up to.	Description	Responds	Further biddings	Differences after opponents overcall or with passed hand
1*		3	3♠	11-20 hp 3-card +	1 ♥, ♠ might have ♦ if weak 2 ♣ = inverted minor with 4+card support 2 ♦, ♥, ♠ = Natural 14hp 2NT = 10-12 hp, deny major, 3 ♣ = Preempt	1 4 - 2 4 , 2NT = 12 - 14 NT	After pass or overcall 1 *-2 * is a simple raise with 6-9hp. After overcall raise to 3 * is invitional.
1♦		4	3♠	11-20 hp 4-cardt +	2 ♦ = inverted minor with 4+card support 2 ♥ ♠ og 3 ♣ = Natural 14hp 2NT = 10-12 hp, deny major, 3 ♦ = Preempt	ninor with 4+card support 1 ♦-2 ♦, 2NT =12-14 NT Natural 14hp	
1♥		4	3♠	10-20 hp 4-card +	2♠ = Natural 14hp 2NT = Stenberg 3♣♦ = Natural 14hp 3♥ = invite for game 3♠ og 4♣♦ = renons	1 ♥-2NT, 3 ♣ ♦ ♠=natural, not minimum, (might be 3-card) 1 ♥-2NT, 3NT = 18-19 hp 1 ♥-2NT, 4 ♣ ♦ ♥ ♠= renons	2♣ = Toronto after pass in opening with (3)4- ▼ 1♥ - (x) - 2NT = Invitational Stenberg 1♥-2NT = Balanced 10-12 if passed first
1 🛦		5	3♠	10-20 hp. 5-card+	2NT = Stenberg 3♣♦♥ = Natural 14hp 3♠ = invite for game 4♣♦♥♠ = renons	1 . →-2NT, 3 . ★ . = natural, not minimum (might be 3-card) 1 . →-2NT, 3NT = 18-19 hp 1 . →-2NT, 4 . ★ . ★ . = renons	2♣ = Toronto after pass in opening with 3-♠ 1♠ - (x) - 2NT = Invitational Stenberg 1♠-2NT = Balanced 10-12 if passed first
1NT			2.	(14)15-17, balanced, 5 card major and 6 card minor is allowed.	2♣ = Stayman, 2♠,♥ = transfer, 2♠ = minorseeking, 2NT = invite med HHxxxx in one minor. 3-level show 2-colours and invite strenght.	1NT-2*, $2 \diamondsuit -3 \clubsuit$ = new question, 1NT-2*, $2 \diamondsuit -2 \spadesuit$ = new question. 1NT-2*, $2 \spadesuit -3 \clubsuit$ = new question. 1NT-2*, $2 \heartsuit -3 \clubsuit$, \diamondsuit =Natural forcing	Lebensohl Dbl = Negative at 3♦
2*	X	0		Artificial forcing, strong.	2 NT = 5-5 in minor and positive cards 3 NT = 6-card, any selfplaying colour	$2 \div - 2 + 2 / 4$, $3 \div =$ second negative $2 \div - 2 + 3 / 4 =$ Natural, gameforcing $2 \div - 2 + 3 / 4 =$ Natural, ask for cue	
2♦	X	0		Multi with 20-21 NT	2NT = Forcing 3 ♥ = Preempt, ask for preference. Puppet stayman	2 - 2NT, $3 - 4 = Max$ with weak 2	After overcall double is punishment.
2♥	X	5		6-10 hp, 5card♥+minor	2NT = Forcing		
2 🛦	X	5		6-10 hp, 5card♠+minor	2NT = Forcing		
2 NT	X			6-10 hp Both minors	3♥/♠ = Forcing	Slam konventions	
3x		6		Preempt, HHxxxx in minor 1 and 2 hand	New colour = Forcing	RKCB 03-14. Dopi/Ropi	
3NT	Х	7		Selfplaying minor; deny side ace or king in 1th. and. 2nd.	4♣ is for preference.4♠ is slaminvite, ask for single/renons	Cue-bid with 1. og 2. controls mixed Stenberg Splinter	
4♣,♦		7		Preempt	4 in major is for play. 4NT er RKCB	Josephine 5NT	
4♥,♠		6		Preempt	New colour is cue-bid, 4NT=RKCB		
4NT				Ask for specific aces	5♣ deny aces, 5NT show ♣-ace, 6♣♦♥=CRO scale		