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## Competitive Bidding

## Overcalls (Style; Responses; Reopening)

## Aggressive 1-level if good suit; Sound 2-level

Cue-bid $=1$ round forcing
1 NT overcall (2ND/4TH; Responses; Reopening)
$15-18$ bal (subs auction as after 1 nt opening)
NT-system is on
Jump Overcalls (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Preemptive
(1M)-2NT=any strength normally 9HP+, $\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{+}$

Direct and Jump Cue Bids (Style; Responses)

Direct Cue $=$ majors o/minor, major/club o/major any strength Jump cue $=$ Asks for stopper. If $1 \mathrm{c}=2+$ then $2 \star=$ both M

VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopen: PH)

## Dbl : Strength

$2 \boldsymbol{*} \quad+, 2 \mathrm{NT}=\boldsymbol{*}+$ or strong 2-suits, $2 \star=$ one major strong $2 \boldsymbol{\omega} / \Delta=$ natural fight

## VS. Preempts (Doubles; Cue bids; Jumps; NT bids)

Take Out DBLs. VS. Multi: D=take out of 2a
2NT: 15-18
Versus 2 M , example over $2 \boldsymbol{\wedge}=4 \boldsymbol{\sim}=\boldsymbol{\bullet}+\boldsymbol{\bullet}$
VS. Artificial Strong Openings
Versus 1ヶ: Dbl=majors, 1NT=minors
Versus 2\&:Dbl=*

## Over Opponents' take out double

Rdlb $=9 / 10+$ hcp
After 1 major-(dbl)- 2 NT at least invit. in the bid suit 1 leve forcing for one round, 2 level not forcing

| Leads and Signals |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Opening Leads Style |  |  |  |  |
|  | Lead |  | In Partner's Suit |  |
| Suit | 3.15. |  | 3./5. |  |
| NT | $3 / 5$ but may be $4^{\text {th }}$ |  | 1st-3 $3^{\text {rd }}-5$ th |  |
| Subseq | Attitude when opening a new suit through declarer |  |  |  |
| Leads |  |  |  |  |
| Lead | Vs. Suit |  |  | Vs. NT |
| Ace | AK/AKx/AKxx(x)or A(xxxx) |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { AK/AKx/AKxx(x)or } \\ & \text { A(xxxx) } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| King | KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT(x)/AK |  | KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT(x)/ |  |
| Queen | QJ(x)/QJT(x) |  | AQJ(x)/QJ(x)/QJT(x) |  |
| Jack | HJT(x)/JT(x) |  | HJT (x)/JT(x) |  |
| 10 | HT9x//Tx/T9 |  | HT9(x)/T9 (x) |  |
| Signals in order of priority |  |  |  |  |
|  | Partners lead | Declarer |  | Discarding |
| Suit: | $\mathrm{Hi}=$ Disc | count |  | Hi=Disc |
| $2^{\text {nd }}$ | count |  |  | count |
| $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Lavinthal |  |  | lavinthal |
| NT: | $\mathrm{Hi}=$ Disc |  |  | Hi=Disc |
| $2^{\text {nd }}$ | count | count |  | count |
| $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Lavinthal |  |  | Lavinthal |
| Signals (including Trump's): Lavinthal Count: hi-low = even |  |  |  |  |
| Doubles |  |  |  |  |
| Takeout Doubles (Style; Responses; Reopening) |  |  |  |  |
| Takeout D in many situations |  |  |  |  |
| Special, Art and Comp Dbl/Rdbl's |  |  |  |  |
| NEG+RESP+COMP DBL (showing Take Out-distr) SUPP DBL and RDBL |  |  |  |  |

## Convention <br> Card

NBF

## Category: Green

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| Club | Bergen <br> Akademiske BK | Sunndalsøra BK |
|  | Norway | Norway |
| NBF memb | 2360 | 5013 |
| System Summary |  |  |
| General Approach and Style |  |  |
| 5 card major $1 \div=3+1$ <br> 1 NT: (14+)15-17, might be 5major/6 minor <br> 2 over 1: GF unless suit rebid/ $2 *$ after 1 major is invitational in major or natural forcing. (May pass 2M) |  |  |
| Special bids that may require defence |  |  |
| Special forcing pass sequences |  |  |
| $1 \mathrm{x}-($ ? y)-p = pass might be penalty, $\mathrm{dbl}=$ Take Out |  |  |
| Important notes that don't fit |  |  |
| X-Y-NT . Then 2* demands 2* 2 $2=$ GF (Dto 1X-1Y-1Z) <br> Lebensohl 2nt in most competitive situations <br> Muppet Stayman on $20+$ with NT distri. |  |  |
| Psychics |  |  |
| Rare |  |  |


| \% | $\frac{5}{4}$ | E |  | Description | Responses | Subsequent Auction | Passed Hand Bidding |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1* |  | 3 | 3sp | 10-22 hp | Inverted minor raises $10 / 11 \mathrm{HP}+, 1 \mathrm{NT}=6-10 / 11$ $1 \diamond / \vee / \wedge=$ natural. $2 \bullet / \vee / \wedge=$ strong $2 N T=$ invit. 3* pre-empt. $3 \star / \vee / \wedge=$ short and $5+$ clubs |  |  |
| 1 |  | 3 | 3sp | 10-22 hp | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline 2 \star \text { Inverted minor raises in } \uparrow, 11 \mathrm{HP}+ \\ 2 \vee / \uparrow=\text { natural strong } 6 \mathrm{card}, 2 \mathrm{NT}=\text { bal.invit. } \\ 3 \mathrm{cl}=\text { strong natural. Double jump }=\text { splinter } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \star-1 \vee-2 \boldsymbol{\wedge}=\text { natural GF } \\ & \text { After } 1 \star-(1 \vee) \text { : double }=4-5 \boldsymbol{\wedge}, 1 \boldsymbol{\wedge}=\text { no } \boldsymbol{\wedge} \text { suit. } \\ & 1 \star-(1 \vee)-2 \boldsymbol{\text { inverted minor raise } 1 0 / 1 1 + \text { HP }} \end{aligned}$ |  |
| $1 v$ |  | 5 | 3sp | 10-20 hp | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { 2NT }=\text { Jacoby GF. } 4+\text { card support } \\ 2 \star=\text { inviting game in } \downarrow \text {, short in } \uparrow \\ 3 \boldsymbol{*}=4+\text { card support inv.game, short in } \\ 3 \\ =\text { inviting game in } \downarrow \text {, short in } \uparrow, 3 \downarrow=\text { preempt } \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | Drury $2 \boldsymbol{*} /=$ Game interest with 3 /4+card support |
| 1^ |  | 5 | 3h | 10-20 hp | 2NT = Jacoby. 4+ card support 3e= inviting game in $\star$, short in $\star, 3 \star=$ short in $*$ inv. in $\uparrow, 3 \downarrow=$ splinter $3 \wedge=$ preemptive | Same as 1v | Same as 1v |
| 1 NT |  | --- |  | (14)15-17 bal., may be 5major/6-minor | $2 \boldsymbol{*}=$ Stayman, $2 \star, \boldsymbol{\bullet}$ is transfers, $2 \boldsymbol{\wedge}$ asking best minor, $3 \oplus / \bullet / \vee / \wedge=$ transfer 6 card slam invit. $4 \mathrm{c}=5-5$ major, $4 \mathrm{~d} / \mathrm{h}=$ transfer to $\mathrm{h} / \mathrm{s}$ | 1NT- $2 \boldsymbol{*}-2 \boldsymbol{\wedge} \boldsymbol{\wedge}=$ rele forcing (do not show $\boldsymbol{\wedge}$ ) <br> 1NT- $-2 \boldsymbol{*}-2 \boldsymbol{\wedge}=$ forcing 1 round $=5$ hearts +4 spades <br> 1NT-2 $\downarrow-2 \wedge-3 \boldsymbol{v}=$ forcing $5-4+$ in major <br> 1 nt-2*-2n-3* = asking. 1NT-2c-2x-3d= slamtry in d |  |
| 2* | X | 0 |  | 20-21 hp bal. or strong unbalanced | $2 \star=$ asking opener to clarify his hand (waiting) <br> 2 / NF ( $0-4 \mathrm{hp}$ ) $2 \div-2 \mathrm{NT}=$ both m <br> $2 \boldsymbol{*}-2 \mathrm{NT}-3 \boldsymbol{*}=$ muppet, $3 \star / \vee=$ transfer |  |  |
| 2 |  | 6 |  | ca.5-10 and 6 in d | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2NT =asking bid } \\ & 2 \vee / \uparrow / 3 * \text { F1 } \end{aligned}$ | 2d-2NT-3c/h/s=good week and some value in the suit. $2 \mathrm{~d}-2 \mathrm{Nt}-3 \mathrm{~d}=$ minimum |  |
| 2 |  | 6 |  | Ca.5-10 and 6 v | $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ asking. $2 \mathrm{sp} / 3 \mathrm{cl} / \mathrm{di}=\mathrm{F} 1$ | 2h-2NT-3c/d/s = single. 2h-2NT-3h=minimum 2h-2NT-3nt= maximum and no single |  |
| 2^ |  | 6 |  | Ca.5-10, 6^ | 2NT=asking. 3cl/d/h = F1 | Same as 2v |  |
| 2 NT |  | --- |  | 22-23 Balanced | Muppet stayman, transfers, $3 \boldsymbol{n}=$ ask for 5 card $3 \mathrm{NT}=$ to play $4 \% / \star=$ slamtry in $\vee / \wedge$ $4 \vee / \boldsymbol{n}=$ slamtry in $\boldsymbol{\oplus} /$. | Slam Conventions |  |
| 3 x |  | 6 |  | Preempts | $1 / 2$. Pos. Good suit in $\boldsymbol{*} / \uparrow$ New suit forcing | 4NT: Roman Key Card Blackwood <br> 5ヵ: 0/3, 5 : $1 / 4,5$ : 2,5 か 2 incl. Trumph Q <br> Cue bids: $1^{\text {st }}$ and $2^{\text {nd }}$ round controls up the line <br> Splinter \& Minisplinter <br> After 4 NT and answer=5NT=asking specific King, promise all aces <br> Exclusion Blackwood |  |
| 3NT | x | 7 |  | Running suit, No side ace/King | 4* to correct, 4* asks for shortness |  |  |
| 4*, * |  | 7 |  | Preempts |  |  |  |
| 4- , $\uparrow$ |  | 6 |  | To play | New suit is cuebid, 4NT=RKCB |  |  |
| 4NT | x | --- |  | Asks for specific aces | $5 *=0$ Aces, Suit=that Ace, $5 \mathrm{NT}=$ ace of $\%$ |  |  |

