



SPECIAL DOUBLES

After Overcall: **Penalty** ☐ _____
Negative ☐ thru 4♥
Responsive ☐ : thru 4♥ Maximal ☐
Support: Dbl. ☐ thru 2♥ Redbl ☐
Card-showing ☐ Min. Offshape T/O ☐

SIMPLE OVERCALL

1 level 7 to 18 HCP (usually)
often 4 cards ☐ very light style ☐
Responses
New Suit: Forcing ☐ NFConst ☐ NF ☐
Jump Raise: Forcing ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☐

JUMP OVERCALL

Strong ☐ Intermediate ☐ Weak ☐

OPENING PREEMPTS

Sound Light Very Light
3/4-bids ☐ ☐ ☐
Conv./Resp. ☐

DIRECT CUEBID

OVER: Minor Major
Natural ☐ ☐
Strong T/O ☐ ☐
Michaels ☐ ☐

SLAM CONVENTIONS Gerber ☐ 4NT: Blackwood ☐ RKC ☐ 1430 ☐
RKC 30/41

vs Interference: DOPI ☐ DEPO ☐ Level: 5 of trump suit+ ROPI ☐

LEADS (circle card led, if not in bold)

versus Suits	versus Notrump
x x x x (x) x	x x x (x) x x
x x (x) x x x x (x)	x x x x (x) x (x) x
(A) K x T 9 x	A K J x A Q J x
K Q x K J T x	A J T 9 A T 9 x
Q J x K T 9 x	K Q J x K Q T 9
J T 9 Q T 9 x	Q J T x Q T 9 x
K Q T 9	J T 9 x T 9 x x

LENGTH LEADS:

4th Best vs SUITS ☐ vs NT ☐
3rd/5th Best vs SUITS ☐ vs NT ☐
Attitude vs NT ☐

Primary signal to partner's leads

Attitude ☐ Count ☐ Suit preference ☐

NOTRUMP OVERCALLS

Direct: 15 to 18 Systems on ☐
Conv. ☐ _____
Balancing: 10 to 16
Jump to 2NT: Minors ☐ 2 Lowest ☐
Conv. ☐ _____

DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP

vs: Strong Weak
2♣ majors >4-4
2♦ Mayor 6°
2♥ 5°+ menor 4°
2♠ 5°+ 4+ menor
Dbl: menor 5+ Mayor 4°
Other _____

OVER OPP'S T/O DOUBLE

New Suit Forcing: 1 level ☐ 2 level ☐
Jump Shift: Forcing ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☐
Redouble implies no fit ☐
2NT Over Limit+ Limit Weak
Majors ☐ ☐ ☐
Minors ☐ ☐ ☐
Other _____

VS Opening Preempts Double Is

Takeout ☐ thru 4♠ Penalty ☐
Conv. Takeout: _____
Lebensohl 2NT Response ☐
Other: _____

DEFENSIVE CARDING

vs SUITS vs NT
Standard: ☐ ☐
Except ☐

Upside-Down:
count ☐ ☐
attitude ☐ ☐

FIRST DISCARD

Lavinthal ☐ ☐
Odd/Even ☐ ☐

OTHER CARDING

Smith Echo ☐ ☐
Trump Suit Pref. ☐ ☐
Foster Echo ☐ ☐

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GENERAL APPROACH

2 over 1, Bergen Raises

Two Over One: Game Forcing ☐ Game Forcing Except When Suit Rebid ☐

VERY LIGHT: Openings ☐ 3rd Hand ☐ Overcalls ☐ Preempts ☐

FORCING OPENING: 1♣ ☐ 2♣ ☐ Natural 2 Bids ☐ Other ☐ _____

NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS

1NT 15 to 17
to _____
5-card Major common ☐ 3♥ 31(45)
System on over X, 2♣ 3♠ 13(45)
2♣ Stayman ☐ Puppet ☐
2♦ Transfer to ♥ ☐ 4♦, 4♥ Transfer ☐
Forcing Stayman ☐ Smolen ☐
2♥ Transfer to ♠ ☐ Lebensohl ☐ (Fast denies)
2♠ transfer to ♣ ☐ Neg. Double ☐
2NT transfer to ♦ ☐ Other: _____

2NT 20 to 21

Puppet Stayman ☐

Transfer Responses:

Jacoby ☐ Texas ☐

3♠ MSS

3NT _____ to _____
gambling _____

Conventional NT Openings

MAJOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length 4 5
1st/2nd ☐ ☐
3rd/4th ☐ ☐

RESPONSES

Double Raise: Force ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☐
After Overcall: Force ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☐
Conv. Raise: 2NT ☐ 3NT ☐ Splitter ☐
Other: Jacoby
1NT: Forcing ☐ Semi-forcing ☐
2NT: Forcing ☐ Inv. ☐ to _____
3NT: _____ to _____
Drury ☐ : Reverse ☐ 2-Way ☐ Fit ☐
Other: 3 lower = nat, inv
Bergen Raises

MINOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length 4 3 NF
0-2 Conv.
1♣ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
1♦ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐

RESPONSES

Double Raise: Force ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☐
After Overcall: Force ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☐
Forcing Raise: J/S in other minor ☐
Single raise ☐ Other: _____
Frequently bypass 4+ ♦ ☐
1NT/1♣ 6 to 10
2NT Forcing ☐ Inv. ☐ 11 to 12
3NT: 13 to 15
Other double js = splitter

DESCRIBE

RESPONSES/REBIDS

2♣ _____ to _____ HCP
Strong ☐ Other ☐ strong, ART
2♦ Resp: Neg ☐ Waiting ☐

2♦ 5 to 10 HCP
Natural: Weak ☐ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv. ☐
Feature
2NT Force ☐ New Suit NF ☐

2♥ 5 to 10 HCP
Natural: Weak ☐ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv. ☐
Feature
2NT Force ☐ New Suit NF ☐

2♠ 5 to 10 HCP
Natural: Weak ☐ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv. ☐
Feature
2NT Force ☐ New Suit NF ☐

OTHER CONV. CALLS: New Minor Forcing ☐ 2-Way NMF ☐

Weak Jump Shifts: In Comp. ☐ Not in Comp. ☐

4th Suit Forcing: 1 Rd. ☐ Game ☐ Unusual vs Unusual

SPECIAL CARDING ☐ PLEASE ASK