

OTHER OPENING BIDS						
	HCP	see Note	Min length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes
1♣	10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2		Limit raise / splinters	3,4,5
1♦	10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2			3,4,5
1♥	10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5		Drury	1, 5
1♠	10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5		Drury	1, 5
3 bids	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	6	Constructive minors	Destructive majors	
4 bids	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	7			
*(Please enter your normal HCP range in the HCP column. Please tick box if you have any special agreements involving different values in particular positions (e.g. light openings in third seat) and include further details under Supplementary Details).						
DEFENSIVE METHODS AFTER OPPONENTS OPEN						
OPPONENTS OPEN A NATURAL ONE OF A SUIT		CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes		
Simple overcall		4+				
Jump overcall		Weak				
Cue bid		Michaels (weak or – rarely – strong)				
1NT	Direct: Protective	15-17		System on		
2NT	Direct: Protective	Unusual				
OPPONENTS OPEN WITH	DEFENSIVE METHODS	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes			
Strong 1♣	X majors; 1NT minors					
Short 1♣/1♦	Natural					
Weak 1NT	Modified Cappelletti				2	
Strong 1NT	Modified Cappelletti				2	
Weak 2	X T/O; 2NT 16-18				6	
Weak 3	X T/O					
4 bids	X T/O except 4♠					
Multi 2♦	X penalties; 2♥/2♠ T/O of that suit					
SLAM CONVENTIONS						
Name	Meaning of Responses	Action over interference				
RKCB	14/30, 2, 2 with Q	DOPI / ROPI				
	Exclusion Blackwood					
	Gerber over NT					

COMPETITIVE AUCTIONS					
Agreements after opening of one of a suit and overcall by opponents					
Level to which negative doubles apply			3♠ unless obvious		
Special meaning of bids					
Exceptions / other agreements					
Agreements after opponents double for takeout					
Redouble	9+	New suit	NF	Jump in new suit	Weak
Jump raise	Weak	2NT	Nat.	Other	
Other agreements concerning doubles and redoubles					
Try not to let the opposition play at the two level					
OTHER CONVENTIONS					
RKCB 14/30 / 2 / 2 with queen					
FSG/F					
UCB					
1♥ p 1♠ p 2♥ X (protective 0+)					
SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS					
(Please cross-reference where appropriate to the relevant part of card, and continue on back if needed).					
1. Drury over 1♥/1♠: 2♣ asks about opening values. Shows 8+ with trump support, 11+ without. Opener's rebids: repeat of major shows poor values; 2NT shows 6-card Major; other bids show good values.					
2. Modified Cappelletti: 2♣ = 5-5 majors (2♦ response with equal length), 2♦ = unspecified 6 card suit, 2♥/2♠ = that suit and Minor.					
3. 1♣/1♦ and responses: 1♣ asks for 5-card major (1♦ response denies 5-card, promises 4-card major; 2♥/2♠ 5+ cards). 1♦ asks for 4-card major.					
4. Inverted minor-suit raises					
5. Splinters: Mini + Maxi (game+; single jump = singleton, double-jump = void).					
6. Defence to weak 2s: Reverse Lebensohl after x; responses natural after 2NT.					



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OPENING LEADS							
For all the card combinations shown, clearly mark the card normally led if different from the underlined card.				Hatch over or shade this box if using non-standard leads.			
v. suit contracts	A <u>K</u>	<u>A</u> K x	<u>K</u> Q 10	<u>K</u> Q x	K <u>J</u> 10	K <u>10</u> 9	<u>Q</u> J 10
	<u>Q</u> J x	<u>J</u> 10 x	10 x <u>x</u>	<u>10</u> 9 x	9 <u>8</u> 7 x	10 x x <u>x</u>	H x <u>x</u>
	H x x <u>x</u>	H x x <u>x</u> x	H x x <u>x</u> x x	<u>x</u> x	x <u>x</u> x	x <u>x</u> x x	
v. NT contracts	<u>A</u> K x (<u>x</u>)	<u>A</u> <u>J</u> 10 x	<u>K</u> Q 10	<u>K</u> Q x	K <u>J</u> 10	K <u>10</u> 9	<u>Q</u> J 10
	<u>Q</u> J x	<u>J</u> 10 x	10 x <u>x</u>	<u>10</u> 9 x	9 <u>8</u> 7 x	10 x x <u>x</u>	H x <u>x</u>
	H x x <u>x</u>	H x x <u>x</u> x	H x x <u>x</u> x x	<u>x</u> x	x <u>x</u> x	x <u>x</u> x x	
Other agreements in leading, e.g. high level contracts, partnership suits:-							
CARDING METHODS							
	Primary method v suit contracts			Primary method v NT contracts			
On Partner's lead	Reverse attitude; K count			Reverse attitude; K count			
On Declarer's lead	Count			Count			
When discarding	Reverse attitude			Reverse attitude			
Other carding agreements, including secondary methods (state when applicable) and exceptions to above							
SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS (continued)							
7. 5-Card Puppet Stayman: 1NT – 2♣ – 2♦ denies 5-card, promises 4-card.							

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF BIDDING METHODS			
5 CARD MAJORS STRONG NT			
1NT OPENINGS AND RESPONSES			
Strength	15/17	Tick if artificial and provide details below <input type="checkbox"/>	
Shape constraints	4432/5332/4333/2326	Tick if may have singleton <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Responses	5-card puppet Stayman (Note 7) and transfers		
2♦	Xfer to ♥	2♥	Xfer to ♠
2♠	9+	2NT	Weak minor
Others			
Action after opponents double		System on; pass forces redouble	
Action after other interference		Rev Lebensohl (+Direct NT denies stop)	
TWO-LEVEL OPENINGS AND RESPONSES			
	Meaning	Responses	Notes
2♣	Strong unbalanced; GF balanced	2♦ relay	
2♦	4-9, 6+♥ or 5-5 ♠ + minor	2NT asking; 2♥ pass/correct	
2♥	4-9, 6+♠ or 5-5 ♥ + minor	2NT asking; 2♠ pass/correct	
2♠	4-9, 5-5 major/minor 2-suiter	2NT asking	
2NT	20-22, six top tricks balanced	5-Card Puppet Stayman, red-suit Xfers	
OTHER ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE			
All third seat bids may be adj. in length and values			
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Both players of a partnership must have identically completed convention cards. Cards must be exchanged with opponents for each round.