

SPECIAL DOUBLES

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

SIMPLE OVERCALL

1 level _____ to _____ HCP (usually)
 often 4 cards very light style
Responses
 New Suit: Forcing N/Const NF
 Jump Raise: Forcing Inv. Weak

JUMP OVERCALL

Strong **Intermediate** **Weak**

OPENING PREEMPTS

| | | | |
|-------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | Sound | Light | Very Light |
| 3/4-bids | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Conv./Resp. | _____ | | |

DIRECT CUEBID

| | | |
|------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | OVER: Minor | Major |
| Natural | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Strong T/O | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Michaels | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

SLAM CONVENTIONS Gerber : 4NT: Blackwood RKC 1430

vs Interference: DOPI DEPO Level: _____ 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 |
| 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: _____ to _____ Systems on
Conv. _____
Balancing: _____ to _____
 Jump to 2NT: Minors 2Lowest
Conv. _____

DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP

vs: _____
 2♣ _____
 2♦ _____
 2♥ _____
 2♠ _____
Dbl: _____
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 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Minors | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other | _____ | | |

VS Opening Preempts Double Is

Takeout thru _____ **Penalty**
Conv. Takeout: _____
Lebensohl 2NT Response
Other: _____

DEFENSIVE CARDING

| | | |
|-----------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | vs SUITS | vs NT |
| Standard: | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Except | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Upside-Down:
 count
 attitude

FIRST DISCARD

Lavinthal
 Odd/Even

OTHER CARDING

Smith Echo
 Trump Suit Pref.
 Foster Echo

NAMES

GENERAL APPROACH

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 _____ to _____
 _____ to _____
 5-card Major common
 System on over _____
 2♣ Stayman Puppet
 2♦ **Transfer to** ♥ **4♦, 4♥ Transfer**
Forcing Stayman **Smolen**
 2♥ **Transfer to** ♠ **Lebensohl** (____ denies)
 2♠ _____ **Neg. Double** : _____
 2NT _____ **Other:** _____

2NT _____ to _____
 Puppet Stayman
Transfer Responses:
Jacoby **Texas**
 3♠ _____

3NT _____ to _____
Conventional NT Openings

MAJOR OPENING

| | | |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Expected Min. Length | 4 | 5 |
| 1st/2nd | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3rd/4th | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

RESPONSES

Double Raise: Force Inv. **Weak**
 After Overcall: Force Inv. **Weak**
 Conv. Raise: 2NT 3NT **Splinter**
Other: _____
1NT: Forcing **Semi-forcing**
 2NT: Forcing Inv. _____ to _____
 3NT: _____ to _____
Drury : **Reverse** **2-Way** **Fit**
Other: _____

MINOR OPENING

| | | | | |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Expected Min. Length | 4 | 3 | 0-2 | Conv. |
| 1♣ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 1♦ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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♣ _____ to _____
 2NT Forcing Inv. _____ to _____
 3NT: _____ to _____
Other: _____

DESCRIBE

RESPONSES/REBIDS

| | |
|--|--|
| 2♣ _____ to _____ HCP Strong <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> 2♦ Resp: Neg <input type="checkbox"/> Waiting <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 2♦ _____ to _____ HCP Natural: Weak <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Strong <input type="checkbox"/> Conv. <input type="checkbox"/> | 2NT Force <input type="checkbox"/> New Suit <input type="checkbox"/> NF <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2♥ _____ to _____ HCP Natural: Weak <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Strong <input type="checkbox"/> Conv. <input type="checkbox"/> | 2NT Force <input type="checkbox"/> New Suit <input type="checkbox"/> NF <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2♠ _____ to _____ HCP Natural: Weak <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Strong <input type="checkbox"/> Conv. <input type="checkbox"/> | 2NT Force <input type="checkbox"/> New Suit <input type="checkbox"/> NF <input type="checkbox"/> |

OTHER CONV. CALLS: **New Minor Forcing:** **2-Way NMF**
 Weak Jump Shifts: In Comp. **Not in Comp.**
4th Suit Forcing: 1 Rd. **Game**

SPECIAL CARDING **PLEASE ASK**

When attention is called to an irregularity – CALL THE DIRECTOR.

| BD # PAIRS | DLR AND VUL | BD # TEAMS | VS | CONTRACT & DECLARER | PLUS | MINUS | PTS EST. | PTS. | BD # PAIRS | DLR AND VUL | BD # TEAMS | VS | CONTRACT & DECLARER | PLUS | MINUS | PTS EST. | PTS. |
|------------|-------------|------------|----|---------------------|------|-------|----------|------|------------|-------------|------------|----|---------------------|------|-------|----------|------|
| 1 | N NONE | | | | | | | | 17 | N NONE | | | | | | | |
| 2 | E N-S | | | | | | | | 18 | E N-S | | | | | | | |
| 3 | S E-W | | | | | | | | 19 | S E-W | | | | | | | |
| 4 | W BOTH | | | | | | | | 20 | W BOTH | | | | | | | |
| 5 | N N-S | | | | | | | | 21 | N N-S | | | | | | | |
| 6 | E E-W | | | | | | | | 22 | E E-W | | | | | | | |
| 7 | S BOTH | | | | | | | | 23 | S BOTH | | | | | | | |
| 8 | W NONE | | | | | | | | 24 | W NONE | | | | | | | |
| 9 | N E-W | | | | | | | | 25 | N E-W | | | | | | | |
| 10 | E BOTH | | | | | | | | 26 | E BOTH | | | | | | | |
| 11 | S NONE | | | | | | | | 27 | S NONE | | | | | | | |
| 12 | W N-S | | | | | | | | 28 | W N-S | | | | | | | |
| 13 | N BOTH | | | | | | | | 29 | N BOTH | | | | | | | |
| 14 | E NONE | | | | | | | | 30 | E NONE | | | | | | | |
| 15 | S N-S | | | | | | | | 31 | S N-S | | | | | | | |
| 16 | W E-W | | | | | | | | 32 | W E-W | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 33 | N NONE | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 34 | E N-S | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 35 | S E-W | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 36 | W BOTH | | | | | | | |

20-PT. VP SCALE

30-PT. VP SCALE

| IMPs | VPs | IMPs | VPs | IMPs | VPs | IMPs | VPs |
|-------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|------|
| 0 | 10-10 | 14-16 | 16-4 | 0 | 15-15 | 9-10 | 24-6 |
| 1-2 | 11-9 | 17-19 | 17-3 | 1 | 18-12 | 11-13 | 25-5 |
| 3-4 | 12-8 | 20-23 | 18-2 | 2 | 19-11 | 14-16 | 26-4 |
| 5-7 | 13-7 | 24-27 | 19-1 | 3 | 20-10 | 17-19 | 27-3 |
| 8-10 | 14-6 | 28 + | 20-0 | 4 | 21-9 | 20-23 | 28-2 |
| 11-13 | 15-5 | | | 5-6 | 22-8 | 24-27 | 29-1 |
| | | | | 7-8 | 23-7 | 28 + | 30-0 |

INTERNATIONAL MATCHPOINT SCALE

*Always Disclose, Never Abuse,
Don't Intimidate, Practice Active Ethics*

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| Diff. in Pts. | IMPs |
|---------------|------|
| 20-40 | 1 |
| 50-80 | 2 |
| 90-120 | 3 |
| 130-160 | 4 |
| 170-210 | 5 |
| 220-260 | 6 |

| Diff. in Pts. | IMPs |
|---------------|------|
| 270-310 | 7 |
| 320-360 | 8 |
| 370-420 | 9 |
| 430-490 | 10 |
| 500-590 | 11 |
| 600-740 | 12 |

| Diff. in Pts. | IMPs |
|---------------|------|
| 750-890 | 13 |
| 900-1090 | 14 |
| 1100-1290 | 15 |
| 1300-1490 | 16 |
| 1500-1740 | 17 |
| 1750-1990 | 18 |

| Diff. in Pts. | IMPs |
|---------------|------|
| 2000-2240 | 19 |
| 2250-2490 | 20 |
| 2500-2990 | 21 |
| 3000-3490 | 22 |
| 3500-3990 | 23 |
| 4000 and up | 24 |

