



WBF Convention Card

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2over1

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE:

Natural system, 2 over 1 GF
1♣ could be 4432 or 5♦332, 1♦4+♦ usually 5+
 INT response over 1M is semi-forcing
 2♦ = both majors
 4th suit forcing to game
 Gazzilli over 1M-INT and 1♥-1♠

INT opening: (14)15-17 Hcp

2 over 1 Response: GF over 1M

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE

Openings:

2♣ = GF, strong

2♦ = both majors

2♥ and 2♠ = weak two 3-10

Responses:

transfers after weak 2M

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

only when it is very clear that hand belongs to us

IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE

Psychics: rare

- with fit

- on third position

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS AND SIGNALS

Suit	Lead		In Partners' suit	
	3 rd /low (count)	att	3 rd /low (count)	att / count
NT				
Subseq	att / count			
Other:				

L E A D S

Lead	vs. Suit	vs. NT
Acc	AKQ(+); AKJ(+); AK(+); Ax	AKQx+; AKJx+; Ax
King	AK; KQJ(+); KQ(+); Kx	KQ10x; Kx
Queen	QJx(+); QJ; Qx	AQJx; QJ9x; QJx; KQT9x
Jack	J10(+); Jx; KJ10(+)	HJ10x; J108x; J10x; Jx
10	109x; 10x; K109(+); Q109(+)	H109x; 109x; 10x
9	98xx; 9x	98xx; 9xx; 9x
Hi-x	Xx, xXxx, HxXx	xx(+)
Lo-x	xxX, HxX, xxxX, HxxxX	Hx(+)

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

Suit: 1 ST	Partner's Lead		Declarer's Lead		Discarding
	Enc	Cnt	Enc	Cnt	
2 ND	Cnt	SP			SP
3 RD	SP				
NT: 1 ST	Enc	Cnt			SP
2 ND	Cnt	SP			
3 RD	SP				

UDCA, Cnt – (Hi is Even), SP – Suit preference (natural)

Enc = (Lo is enc)

Signals (including Trump suit): suit preference.

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style, Responses, Reopening)

Style: (7+)10+ Hcp & support for unbid suits (especially Ms) or very strong

Responses: natural

Reopening: same

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES

Support double up to 2♥ (Majors only).

Maximum overall dbl, Dopi, Ropi

sometimes dbl is inv to 4M, competitive and cooperative double

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style, Responses, ½ Level, Reopening)

Style: standard when (semi)balanced; light with shape

Responses: new suit is F1, jump cue= mixed raise

Cue=good raise;

Reopening: similar

INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses, Reopening)

2nd position: (14+)15-17 (18) balanced hand

Responses: system on

4th position: 10-14 Hcp

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style, Responses, Unusual NT)

Style: nv: natural Weak, 0-9

Vul: intermediate [11-14] level 2; [14-16] level 3

Responses: transfers (2NT and 3rd level); 2M is natural

Unusual notrump: jump to 2NT or 4NT is two suiter – two lowest unbid suits

Reopening: Stronger 10-14 Hcp; (5)6+ cards

DIRECT and JUMP CUE BIDS (Style, Resp., Reopening)

Style: Michaels (unlimited); jump cue shows solid suit and asks for stopper (over 1M)

Responses: Nat.-new suit is F, 3NT is to-play, cue & 2NT F.

Reopening: Michaels

VS. NT (vs. Strong / Weak; Reopening; PH)

Strong & Weak: multi landy

Dbl is points over weak, 5M4m over strong NT

Reopening: same; dbl is points

Passed Hand: same; dbl is 4M5m

VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles, Cue-bids, Jumps, NT bids)

Doubles: take out

Cue bids: majors over minor pree; stop ask over major pree

Jumps: leaping Michaels (5M-5m)

NT bids: natural / minors

Non leaping Michaels

VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS

vs artif 1♣: 1♦ - minors, dbl – majors; 1NT - 5-5 M/m other bids – natural wide range

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKE OUT DOUBLE

natural

Opening	Artificial	Min.	Neg. Double	Description	Response	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1♣	no	2	5♦	[10-22] natural any balanced hand longer ♦ possible	1♣-2♣ inverted; 1♣-2♦/♥/♠ 8-10	1♣-1X-1Y=unbalanced; 1♣-1♦/♥-1NT=11-14 bal; can have 4♣ 1♣-1X-1NT-2♣ = puppet to 2♦ (to play or any inv) 1♣-1X-1NT-2♦ = any GF(not 5-5) 1♣-1X-1NT-2NT = puppet to 3♣(to play or 5-5GF) Similar as after 1♣	
1♦	no	4	5♦	[10-22] Natural	1♦-2♦ inverted; 1♦-3♣ 9-11, INV; 1♦-2♥/♠ 8-10		
1♥	no	5	5♦	[10-22] Natural	1NT=nat/SF; 2♣=GF (bal or clubs); 2♦/♥=5+c GF 2NT=4+♥ (inv+); 3♣=4+♥ [6-9]; 3♦=3♥ [10-12]; 3♠/4♠/4♦ = splinter 10-14 hp; 3♥=prece similar as 1♥,	1♥-1♠/NT-2♣ = gazzilli (4♣ or 16+ any) 1♥-1♠/NT-3m =5-5[14-17] 1♥-1♠/NT-2NT =GF onesuiter 1♥-2NT-3♣ = [10-15]any, (other bids show 16+)	
1♠	no	5	5♦	[10-21]			
1NT	no	-	5♦	[(14)15-17] 5c M possible	2♣=stayman; 2♦/2♥=trf; 2♠=asking for range of ♣ 2NT=♦; 3♣= puppet stayman; 3♦=5-5 MM inv+		
2♣	yes	0	5♦	GF	2♦=waiting; 2M/3m=HHxxx(x); 2NT=8+, bal		
2♦	yes	0	-	[5-4+] majors; 3-10 Hep	2♥/♠=to play; 2NT=ask; 3♥/♠=prece		
2♥	no	5-6		Weak two; 3-10 Hep	Transfers; 2♠=♠ NF; 2NT=♣; 3♣=♦ 3♦=inv+♥; 3♥=prece; Analogous as over 2♥		
2♠	no	5-6		Weak two; 3-10 Hep			
2NT	no	-	-	20-22	3♣=Stayman vulgaris; 3♠=minors		
3♣	no	5	-	Weak three	natural, new suit is F1; 4♦ = RKC		
3♦	no	6	-	Weak three	natural, new suit is F1; 4♣ = optional RKC		
3♥	no	6	-	Weak three	natural, new suit is F1; 4♣ = optional RKC		
3♠	no	6	-	Weak three	natural, new suit is F1; 4♣ = optional RKC		
3NT	yes	-	-	good prece in m			
4X	no	6	-	natural			
HIGH LEVEL BIDDING							
RKC 14//30//2noQ//2+Q//even+void//odd+void in suit bid DOP1 & ROP1; 1 st step 2-Q, 2 nd step 2-Q, Exclusion RKC 03-14-2no!-2Q 1 st step asks for trump Queen and Kings, 2 nd step for Kings; answers are King or other two Kings, Asking for Q (or xx) in specific suit							