DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING			LEA	DS AND SIG	NALS		EBL CONVENTION CARD
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening)	OPENIN	G LEAD	S STYLE				
Solid / lead directing	1				In Part	ner's Suit	CATEGORY:
Jump support pre-emptive, opp's suit good raise, new suit from	Suit		1,3,5,		1,3,5		NCBO: Finland
non-passed partner F1	11						
Reopening 8+ hcp	NT		1,3,5		1,3,5		PLAYERS: Jouko Paganus – Olli Puurtinen
	Subseq		1,3,5		1,3,5		EVENT Nordic Championship Seniors 2025
	Other: Tl	hrough de	eclarer also a	attitude			
1NT OVERCALL (2 nd /4 th Live; Responses; Reopening)	LEADS						SYSTEM SUMMARY
15-18/12-14 SYSTEM ON	- I		Un Carit		V. NIT	,	
Reopening 18-20, SYSTEM ON	Lead		Vs. Suit		Vs. NT		CENEDAL ADDROACH AND STYLE
Reopening 18-20, SYSTEM ON	Ace		AK(x)		AK(x) KQJ, KQ10,AKJ		GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
	King		KQ(x)				5542 Two-over-one FG
	Queen		QJ(x)		QЛО, I		1M – 1NT Semi-Forcing
	Jack		J10x		J10x, A	`	Inverted minor suit raises
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)	10	1	109x		109x, I	XJ10, AJ10	1NT 15-17, Stayman, transfers
Pre-empt, new suit F1	9	9	9x		9x		2D Multi: weak 2 in a Major or 20-22 balanced
	↓ └ ──						2H/S: 4 cards in the opening suit and a longer minor, 5-10hcp
2NT lowest unbid suits	Hi-X		doubleton		double		2NT 18-19, Puppet, transfers
	Lo-X		tripleton		tripleto	n	2C FG or 23+ balanced
Reopen: Jump=invitational	SIGNAL		DER OF P				XyNT, 2C relay to 2D, sign-off or any invite, 2D FG
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)	J ∟	Partner's	s Lead	Declarer's Le	ad	Discarding	SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
Michaels' cue (highest + other)	1	1 attitude		count		Attitude (1 st Italian)	3NT solid minor, no side A/K
Jump cue asking for stopper	Suit 2 count 3 Suit preference		Suit preference	erence Suit preference		4m Namyats (solid Major), no side A/K	
			erence	,			
	1	1 attitude		count		Attitude (1 st Italian)	
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)	NT 2	2 Count		Suit preference	e	Suit preference	
Strong: Dbl=16+, 2C=One-suiter, 2D=Majors, 2H/S 5+cards and minor 4+ cards, 2NT both minors"		3 Suit pref	erence				
Weak: Dbl min=opp's max, others same	Signals (i	including '	Trumns):				
Reopening: Dbl 14+, others same	Signals (including Trumps): Low-high encouraging / even number						
PH: Bids are the same	1	In trumps suit preference					
11. Date are the sume	1 III didilips	, suit piele	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	DOUBLES			
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)	TAKEOI	ит вол	DI EC (Ctol	o. Dosponsos.	Doononi	ra)	
v 5.1 REENT 15 (Doubles; Cue-bius; Jumps; N1 Blus)							
Against Multi: Dbl=Hearts, 2H=4c S, 2S=5c S	Shape priority, points after vulnerability, jump response 6+ hcp Reopening 8+ hcp						
	1 Etopenin	-60 mep					
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣							SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
Dbl=Majors, NT=minors	SPECIA	L, ARTII	FICIAL &	COMPETITIV	VE DBLS	S/RDLS	When FG "on"
	Lead dire	ecting					
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OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE] [IMPORTANT NOTES
SYSTEM ON, Rdbl 10+ tends to deny support] [
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OPEN ING	IF AR TI FI CI AL			DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		2	4 H	10+ unbal or 12+ bal.	Natural, 2C F1, 2NT 10-11 bal, 3C pre	1M F1, 1NT 12-14, reverse F1, jumpNT=good 6c opening suit and 3c support	Cue-bid shows good raise
					2D good support, 8-10 hcp, 2H/S 6 cards 5-7hcp, 2NT:11-13 bal, 3C pre-empt, 3D/H/S Splinter	After reverse 2NT is Lebensohl After 1C 1any 1NT : 2C forces 2D, 2D FG	
1♦		4	4 H	10+ unbal or 12+ bal	Natural, 2D F1, 2H/S 6 cards 5-7hcp, 2NT: 11-13 bal, 3C good support 8-10, 3D pre-empt, 3H/S 4C Splinter	1M F1, 1NT 12-14, reverse F1, jump NT as above, after reverse 2NT is Lebensohl After 1D 1M 1NT: 2C forces 2D, 2D FG	Cue-bid shows good raise
1♥		5	4H	11+hcp	1NT F1, 3H pre, 2NT 4c support FG, 2S weak	2m not always suit, jump NT as above	Drury from PH
					3C 4c supp 9-11, 3D 3c supp. 10-11, 4C/D 3S void	After reverse 2NT is Lebensohl	Cue-bid shows good raise After Double 2C good raise
14		5	4H	11+hcp	1NT F1, 3S pre, 2NT 4c support FG 3C 4c supp 9-11, 3D 3c supp. 10-11, 4C/D/H void, 3H 6c.inv.		Cue-bid shows good raise Drury from PH After Double 2C good raise
INT				15-17, 5M and 6m possible	2C stayman. 2D/H trf, 2S trf C, 2NT trf D, 3C Puppet, 3D Majors FG, 3H Majors invite, 3S minors slammish. 4C/D RKCB, 4H/S to play	After trf New suit FG Smolen after 1nt 2c 2d	After strong Dbl Rdbl=1 minor, other actions see Notes
2♣	X		4H	Any FG or 23-24 bal.	2D 4+hcp, 2H 0-3, 2S Hhxxx in H, 2NT HHxxx in S, 3C/D HHxxx(x), 3H/S min. QJ10xxx	After opener's 2NT Puppet, after opener's 3NT BARON	
2♦	X			Multi, weak 2 in a Major or 20-22 bal (5M 6m possible)	2H p/c, 2S good H-support, 2NT asking: 3C/D=max H/S, 3H/S= min.	After 2D 2M 2NT same as opening 2NT	
2♥				4H and longer minor, 5-10hcp	2NT serious game try, asking, 3C p/c, 2S/3D to play		
2♠				4S and longer minor, 5-10hcp	2NT serious game try, asking, 3C p/c, 3D/H to play		
2NT			4H	18-19 bal, 5M/6m possible	Puppet Stayman 3C, 3D/H trf	After 3C 3M is 5c, 3D is at least 1 Major 4c.	
2111				20 17 out, 5112 out possible	3S TRANSFER TO 3NT!!! 3NT=54 Majors 4C/D RKCB, 4H/S to play	After trf to 3NT: 4C=minors, 4D=Majors, 4H/S slammish	
3♣				Pre-empt with 7(6) cards	New suit F1		
3♦				Same	Same		
3♥				Same	Same		
3♠				Same	Same		

3NT		Gambling, solid 7c, no side A/K	4C p/c		
4♣	X	Namyats, solid 8c in H	Relay shows slam-interest		
4♦	X	Namyats, solid 8C in S	Same		
4♥		To play			
4 ♠		To play			
4NT		Pre-empt in minors?			
5♣		To play		HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦		To play		Cue-bids, 1 st or 2 nd	
5♥				RKCB 0314	
5♠					
3#					
3 x					
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