

| Defensive and Competitive Bidding | |
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| Overcalls (Style; Responses; Reopening) | |
| 1 - level: 5-17hp | |
| 2 - level: Sound, usually opening strength | |
| 1 NT overcall (2ND/4TH; Responses; Reopening) | |
| 1NT = 15-18 | |
| Balancing 1NT = 11-14 over ♣ / ♦ | |
| Balancing 1NT = 15-18 over ♥/♠ | |
| Jump Overcalls (Style; Responses; Unusual NT) | |
| 2NT=two lowest suits (5+-5+), both minor if ♣=2+ | |
| Reopen: 11-14 HCP, 6+ | |
| Direct and Jump Cue Bids (Style; Responses) | |
| Over 1 ♣: NAT if 2+ (2 ♦ = 5+-5+ M), 5-5 M if 3+ (2 ♦ = Weak) | |
| Over 1 ♦: Both Majors (5+-5+) | |
| Over M: Other Major + ♣ (5+-5+) | |
| Jump cue-bid: Asks for stopper, except 1m-3m =nat, if m=2+ | |
| VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopen: PH) | |
| Dbl = equal strength+ (or tricks) | |
| 2♣ = both major | |
| 2♦ = 5+ ♥ or ♠ | |
| 2M = 4(5)M + 5+minor | |
| 2NT = both minor or strong 2-suiter | |
| 4 th hand or after pass: x = MM or m, 2m = m + M, 2M= nat | |
| Vs weak nt(up to 14) 2♦ = 1M fight or strong, 2M=constructive, x/2♣ as vs strong | |
| VS. Preempts (Doubles; Cue bids; Jumps; NT bids) | |
| X=t/o | |
| 2NT = 15-18 | |
| Leaping/Non-leaping Michaels: 4m after 2x/3x= m + OM (♥ if M unknown), 5+5+, GF | |
| VS. Artificial Strong Openings | |
| vs 1♣: X=t/o, 1NT=4+♠ + a minor, 2♦ =55+M, 2NT55+m | |
| vs 2♣/2♦: X=both M, 2NT=both m | |
| Over Opponents' take out double | |
| XX = 10+hp. After 1m: 1lvl = system on, 2lvl = trsf | |
| After 1M: transfers from 1NT to 2M, 2M-1 = 8-11, 2M = 3-7, 3♦ = 7-9 4+M | |

| Leads and Signals | | | |
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| Opening Leads Style | | | |
| | Lead | In Partner's Suit | |
| Suit | 3 rd -5 th | 3 rd -5 th | |
| NT | ATT, 4 th best (1 st /2 nd bad suit) | 3 rd -5 th | |
| Subseq | Low = enc | | |
| Leads | | | |
| Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT | |
| Ace | AKx/AKxx(x) | AK/AKx/AKxx(x) | |
| King | AK/KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT(x) | KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT(x) | |
| Queen | AQJ(x)/QJ(x)/QJT(x) | AQJ(x)/QJ(x)/KQ109(x)/KQJ(x) | |
| Jack | HJT(x)/JT(x) | HJT(x)/JT(x) | |
| 10 | HT9x/AQT(x)/T9x | HT9x/AQT9(x)/T9x(x) | |
| 9 | KJ98/9/9x | HH98/9x | |
| X | Hx <u>xx</u> / xx <u>x</u> (x), <u>xx</u> | Hxx <u>x</u> (x)/HT9 <u>x</u> , <u>xx</u> x(x) | |
| Signals in order of priority | | | |
| | Partners lead | Declarer | Discarding |
| Suit: | Low = enc | Low = 3/5 th | Low = enc |
| 2 nd | Low = 3/5 th | Lavinthal | Low = 3/5 th |
| 3 rd | Lavinthal | | Lavinthal |
| NT: | Low = enc | Smith | Low = enc |
| 2 nd | Low = 3/5 th | Low = 3/5 th | Low = 3/5 th |
| 3 rd | Lavinthal | Lavinthal | Lavinthal |
| Signals (including Trump's): Smith: low from leader = enc, high from partner = enc (switched if we lead p suit) | | | |
| Doubles | | | |
| Takeout Doubles (Style; Responses; Reopening) | | | |
| Light | | | |
| Special, Art and Comp Dbl/Rdbl's | | | |
| Support dbl/rdbl | | | |

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|  WBFF | System Card | |  |  |
| System: | | | | |
| Players |  | |  | |
| | Tor Eivind Grude | | Christian Bakke | |
| System Summary | | | | |
| General Approach and Style | | | | |
| Nat, 5533 Transfer responses to 1♣ opening (14+)15-17NT Usually sound openings/preempts, but green vs red might be very light | | | | |
| Special bids that may require defence | | | | |
| Transfer responses to 1♣ opening 2♦ = Multi (6M 4-10hp) or 24+NT or GF any 4441 2♥/2♠ = 5-cards ♥/♠ 5-10 hp 1M – 1M/NT – 2♣ = Gazzili (11-15 6+M or 16+ “any”) 4m opening VUL = Good 4M (♣=♥, ♦=♠) | | | | |
| Special forcing pass sequences | | | | |
| Some places | | | | |
| Important notes that don't fit | | | | |
| 2-way checkback stayman | | | | |
| Psychics | | | | |
| Rare | | | | |

| Opening | Art | Min. # | Neg. D. through | Description | Responses | Subsequent Auction | Passed Hand Bidding |
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| 1♣ | | 3 | 4♥ | 3+♣, 11-22hp | 1♦ = 4+♥, 1♥ = 4+♠, 1♠ = 6-10 bal or any with ♦, 1NT = 11-12 2♣ = inverted minor GF, 2♦ = unbalanced inv with ♣, 2♥/2♠ = 6-card, 8-11 hcp, 2NT = 13-15 or 19-20 3♣ = preempt in ♣, 3nt = 16-18 | 1♣-1♦: 1♥ = usually 3, 2♥ = 4 11-14, 2♦ = 2,5 M or nat strong | 2M = fitjump |
| 1♦ | | 3 | 4♥ | 3+♦ (4432) 11-22 hp | 1♥/1♠/1NT = nat, 2♣ = nat GF, except rebid, 2♦ = inverted minor GF, 2♥/2♠ = 6-card, 8-11 hp, 2NT = Nat inv, 3♣ = unbalanced inv with ♦, 3♦ = preempt in ♦ | | 2M = fitjump |
| 1♥ | | 5 | 4♦ | 5+♥ 11-21hp | 2/1 = GF if not rebid, 2♠ = minisplinter in any, 2NT = GF Jacoby, 3♣ = limit raise in ♥, 3♦ = mixed raise, 3♥ = preempt | Gazzilli: 1♥ -1♠/NT 2♣ = 11-14(15) 6+♥ or 16+ "any" | 2♣ = (9)10-11 3+♥, 2♦ = (7)8-9 3+♥ |
| 1♠ | | 5 | 4♦ | 5+♠ 11-21hp | 2m = GF if not rebid, 2NT = GF Jacoby, 3♣ = limit raise in ♠, 3♦ = 7-9 4+ ♠, 3♥ = nat inv, 3♠ = preempt | Gazzilli: 1♠ - 1NT 2♣ = 11-14(15) 6+♠ or 16+ "any" 2♦ = 5♠3♥ (41/50/15/05), 11-15 | 2♣ = (9)10-11 3+♠, 2♦ = (7)8-9 3+♠ |
| 1 NT | | | 4♦ | (14)15-17NT (5M/6m/5422, rarely sing) | Stayman/transfer, 2♠ = bal inv or 6+♣, 2NT = weak with both m or 6+♦, 3♣ = ask 5c M, 3♦ = GF 5-5 in minors, 3♥/♠ = singleton with 3(+) in other M | | |
| 2♣ | X | 0 | 4♦ | 22-23NT or strong unbalanced | 2♦ = waiting bid, 2♥ = 5+♥, 2♠ = 5+♠ 2NT = 5+♣ 6+hcp, 3♣ = 5+♦ 6+hcp, 3♦ = 5+5+ minors, 6+ hcp | | |
| 2♦ | X | 0 | | Multi (6M 4-10hp) or 24+NT or GF 4441 any | 2/3♥/♠ = pass or correct, 2NT = Asking, 4♣ = ask for transfer | 2♦-2NT: 3♣ = any max, 3♦/♥ = min ♥/♠, 3♠ = AKQxxx in ♥/♠, 3NT = 24-25 | |
| 2♥ | X | 5 | | 5♥ 5-10HP, VUL normally with a minor (4+) Might be light 1 st green vs red | 2NT = asking for strength and distribution, 3♣ = pass or correct to better minor 3♦ = inv+ with 5+♠, normally 6+♠ | After x: 3m = nat NF, 2NT ask for better minor | |
| 2♠ | X | 5 | | 5♠ 5-10HP, VUL normally with a minor (4+) Might be light 1 st green vs red | 2NT = asking for strength and distribution, 3♣ = pass or correct to better minor 3♦ = inv+ with 5+♥, normally 6+♥ | | |
| 2 NT | | | | 20-21 bal | Puppet stayman: 3♣ - 3♥ deny 4+M, 3NT = 5♥ 3♦/♥ transfers, 3M usually deny fit | Slam Conventions | |
| 3x | | 6 | | PRE, ACC to VUL Usually 7c/sound style VUL, non vul 1 st /3 rd might be agg | 4♣(4♦ over 3♣) = KeyCard | (Mini)-Splinter | |
| 3NT | X | | | Running minor, max Q on side | 4♣ = p/c, 4♦ = Asks for control | Italian Cue-bids Jacoby | |
| 4♣, ♦ | X | 6 | | PRE in green, aggressive 1 st seat, good 4M in VUL, 8,5-9 tricks max 1 loser | | | |
| 4♥, ♠ | | 6 | | To play | | RKCB (0314) | |
| 4NT | | | | Asking for specific aces | 5♣ = 0, 5♦/♥/♠ = that ace, 5NT = ace of ♣, 6x = 2 aces (CRO) | DOPI/ROPI (but xx on 4nt is to play) DEPO if bids higher than 5 in trump suit | |