

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING	
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)	
Level 1 5 cards, 8+pts	
Level 2 5 cards 11+pts	
INT OVERCALL (2 nd /4 th Live; Responses; Reopening)	
15-18 pts	
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)	
6+ cards, weak	
Reopen:	
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)	
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)	
Don't : dbl – 6 card suit, Any bid promises 4+ cards and higher suit with min 9 cards both.	
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)	
Natural 12+ pts	
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣	
Natural	
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE	
Natural, rdbl 10+pts	

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	2 nd /4 th	Small under a honor, high from dblton	
NT	2 nd /4 th	Small under a honor, high from dblton	
Subseq	MUD		
Other:			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	A K or dblton	AK long suit	
King	K Q	K Q long suit	
Queen	Q J 10	Q J 10	
Jack	J 10 9	J 10 9 x	
10	10 9 8	10 9 8 x	
9	10 9 x, 9 x	10 9 x x	
Hi-X			
Lo-X			
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Odd encourage		leventhal
Suit 2	same		same
3	same		same
1	same		same
NT 2	same		same
3	same		same
Signals (including Trumps):			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
12+ pts short in opps suit			
Balancing may be 10+			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
DONT			

W B F CONVENTION CARD	
CATEGORY: i.e. Green / Blue / Red / HUM / Brown Sticker: NCBO:	
PLAYERS:	
EVENT (Open/Women/Senior/Transnational)	
SYSTEM SUMMARY	
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE	
5 card major	
2D multi	
2 major – two five card suit, weak	
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE	
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES	
IMPORTANT NOTES	
PSYCHICS:	

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		2		12+ pts	5 cl, 10+ pts		
1♦		4		12+ pts	4 d, 10+ pts		
1♥		5		12+ pts	2h – 3-9pts, 3 cards, 2c/2d better minor -3 cards in h, 10+ pnts Bergen, splinter, jacobly		
1♠		5		12+ pts	2h – 3-9pts, 3 cards, 2c/2d better minor -3 cards in h, 10+ pnts Bergen, splinter, jacobly		
INT		balanced		15-17 may have 5 majors	Staiman, transfer including minor, puppet	2nt after 2cl, inviting	
2♣		N/A		23+ pts, or 9+ tricks	2D 0-7, other bids - natural		
2♦				Multi: 6 weak major, 20-22 pts balanced or strong suit 8+ tricks	2h – relay, 2sp preference to H. 2nt 15+ pts	2h/2sp pass or correct, 3h/3sp weak major 6-8 pts, 3cl/3d weak major 8-10 pts.	
2♥		5		2 five card suits, 6-10 pts			
2♠		5		2 five card suits (may be H), 6-10 pts			
2NT				Weak, two 5+ cards minors			
3♣		7		preemptive	Pass 14- pts, other bids - natural		
3♦		7		preemptive	Pass 14- pts, other bids - natural		
3♥		7		preemptive	Pass 14- pts, other bids - natural		
3♠		7		preemptive	Pass 14- pts, other bids - natural		
3NT		-----					
4♣		8		preemptive			
4♦		same		same			
4♥		same		same			
4♠		same		same			
4NT							
5♣						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦						4nt – blackwood 0/3, 1/4	
5♥						5nt king asking to show lowest king	
5♠							
