| SPECIAL DOUBLES | NOTRUMP OVERCALLS | NAMESGeorge Jacobs & Craig Gardner | | |
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| After Overcall: Penalty | Direct: 15 to 18 Systems on 🗸 | GENERAL APPROACH | | |
| Negative 🗸 thru4H | Conv. | Walsh style | | |
| Responsive: 🗸 thru3H Maximal 🗸 | Balance: 11 to 15 | Two Over One: Game Forcing C Game Forcing Except When Suit Rebid | | |
| Support: Dbl 🗹 thru2H Rdbl 🗹 | Jump to 2NT: Minors 🗹 2 Lowest 🗌 | VERY LIGHT: Openings 3rd Hand Overcalls Preempts | | |
| Card-showing 🗌 Min. Offshape T/O 🗌 | Conv | FORCING OPENING: 1 - 2 - 2 Natural 2 Bids Other | | |
| Snapdragon | DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP | NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS | | |
| SIMPLE OVERCALL | vs: strong weak: CAP | 1NT | | |
| 1-level 6 to 16 HCP (usually) | 2♣ both Majors one suit | | | |
| Often 4 cards 🗹 Very light style 🗌 | 2♦ 1M 2H p or C both M | <u>15</u> to <u>17</u> | 3♦ Preemptive | Puppet Stayman 🗹 |
| Responses | 2♥ 5H+4m 5H+4m | to | 3♥ <u>3-1-54 or 45</u> | Transfer Responses: |
| New Suit: Forcing 🗹 NFConst 🗌 NF 🗌 | 2♠ 5S+4m 5S+4m | 5-Card Major Common 🗹 | 3 <u>≜</u> <u>1-3-54 or 45</u> Jacoby ∠ Texas ∠ | |
| Jump Raise: Forcing 🗌 Inv. 🗌 Weak 🗹 | Dbl 4M + longer m 15+ HCP | System On Overdb&2c | | 3≜ relay to 3N (slam) |
| | Other: 2N both m | 2♣ Stayman ✓ Puppet □ | | 4c,4d sla 1 suit M=Sho |
| JUMP OVERCALL | 3x=preemptive | 2♦ Transfer to ♥ ✓ | 4♦, 4♥ Transfer 🗸 | 3NT to |
| Strong 🗌 Intermediate 🗌 Weak 🗹 | OVER OPP'S T/O DOUBLE | Forcing Stayman | Smolen 🔽 | Gambling 4C 4d asks |
| | New Suit Forcing: 1-level 🗸 2-level 🗌 | 2♥ Transfer to ♠ 🗹 | Lebensohl 🗹 (fast denies | Conventional NT Openings |
| OPENING PREEMPTS | Redouble implies no fit 🗹 | 2≜ stre asking | Negative Double 🗹 3H | o conventional NT Openings |
| Sound Light Very Light | 2NT Over Limit + Limit Weak | 2NT | _Garbege stayman | |
| 3/4-bids 🗹 🔽 🗌 | Majors 🗹 🗌 | MAJOR OPENING | | |
| Conv./Resp | Minors 🗹 🗌 | | European And Market Market | |
| DIRECT CUEBID | Other: fit M 2c=7-9 | Expected Min. Length 4 5 | | lin. Length 4 3 NF 0-2 Conv. |
| Over: Minor Major | VS OPENING PREEMPT DOUBLE IS | 1st/2nd | 1♣ | |
| Natural 🗌 🗌 | Takeout thru4H Penalty | 3rd/4th □ 🗹 | 1♦ | |
| Strong T/O | Conv. Takeout: | RESPONSES | | RESPONSES |
| Michaels 🗹 🗹 Lebensohl 2NT Response 🗹 | | Double Raise: Force 🗌 Inv. 🗹 Wea | blk Double Raise: Force Diny. DWeak | |
| Other: leaping Michaels | | After Overcall: Force D Inv. D Wea | Weak After Overcall: Force □ Inv. □ Weak linter Forcing Raise: J/S in other minor □ | |
| SLAM CONVENTIONS Gerber 🗹 4NT: Blackwood 🗌 RKC 🗌 1430 🗹 | | Conv. Raise: 2NT ☑ 3NT □ Splinter ☑ Forcing Raise: J/S in other m Other: Spiral Raises over 2M Single raise ☑ Other: for/ lin | | |
| 5NT specific low K | | | | |
| 1 minor-P-2H= 5S and 4+ Hearts and 3-8 HCP | | 1NT: Forcing | Frequently t 1NT/1&:6 | bypass 4+♦ ✓ |
| vs. Interference: DOPI 🗹 DEPO 🗹 Level: ROPI 🗌 | | 3NT:13 to15 | | <u></u> o g Inv. ☑ 11 to12 |
| LEADS (click card led, if not in bold) | DEFENSIVE CARDING | Drury ✓: Reverse □ 2-Way □ Fit □ 3NT:13 to15 | | |
| versus Suits versus Notrump | vs Suits vs NT | | | |
| | tandard: 🗹 🗹 | Other: (Drury2C=3or4 pc) | Other: 1m- | p-js in other miner 8-10 |
| $\mathbf{x} \times \mathbf{x}$ $\mathbf{x} \times \mathbf{x} \times $ | | DESCRIE | E | RESPONSES/REBIDS |
| | ead A attitude; leadKcount | | | 2D=0,1;2H=2;2S=3+contr |
| K Q x K J 10 x A J 10 9 A 10 9 8 | Upside-Down Count | Strong 🗸 Other 🗌 Kokish | | |
| Q J x K 10 9 x K Q J x K Q 10 9 L J 10 x Q 10 9 x Q J 10 x Q 10 9 8 F | Ipside-Down Attitude | 2♦ Response: Neg 	 Waiting | | |
| | IRST DISCARD | | | 2NT Forcing ,3m asks |
| | avinthal | | | 2NT Force 🔽 New Suit NF 🗌 |
| 4th Best vs Suits vs NT | 0dd/Even | | | 3C asks shortness,2nt |
| | | Natural: Weak 🗸 Intermediate 🗌 Strong 🗋 Conv 📄 2NT Force 🗸 New Suit NF 🗋 | | |
| 3rd/5th Best vs Suits ✓ vs NT OTHER CARDING Attitude vs NT ✓Smith Echo ✓ | | | | 3C asks shortness,2nt |
| Primary signal to partner's leads Trump Suit Pref. | | Natural: Weak 🗹 Intermediate 🗋 Strong 🗋 Conv 🗍 🛛 2NT Force 🗹 New Suit NF 🗋 | | |
| Attitude ✓ Count □ Suit Preference □ F | Attitude 🗸 Count 🗌 Suit Preference 🗌 Foster Echo | | | C(D)askKC0,1,1.5,2 |
| | Veak jump shifts: In Comp. 🗹 Not In Comp. Even lead 3rd,Odd lead small | | | |
| SPECIAL CARDI | 4th Suit Forcing: 1 Round 🗋 To Game 🗹 | | | |
| | | if 1Cor2C strong open defense use CAP (when partner open 1m, | | |
| | oponent overcall 1N) Spiral Raises, U vs U | | | |
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