

| DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING |
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| OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening) |
| 1 level might be light (7-17), (4)5+ card |
| 2 level: medium to sound (10-17) |
| (1X) P (1Y) D = 4+ in both unbid suits |
| (1X) P (1Y) 1NT = 5+ lower suit, 4+ higher suit |
| INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening) |
| 2 nd = 15-18, responses: System On |
| 4 th = 10-14, (after 1♠): 11-16, responses: System On |
| JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT) |
| weak, depending on vulnerability and position; |
| 2NT = lowest 2 unbid suits (or, after (1X) P (1Y) 2NT, 2 unbid suits, at least 5/5) |
| Reopen: intermediate, 12-15, 6+cd |
| DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen) |
| (1X) 2NT = lowest 2 unbid suits |
| 1♣-2♣=♠+♦, 1♦-2♦=♠+♣, 1♥-2♥=♠+♣, 1♠-2♠=♥+♣ |
| 1♣-3♣=♠+♥, 1♦-3♦=♠+♥, 1♥-3♥=♠+♦, 1♠-3♠=♥+♦ |
| VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening; PH) |
| Against strong NT Lionel: D = ♠ and 2 nd suit, 2♣ = ♣+♥, 2♦ = ♦+♥, 2♥ = ♥, 2♠ = ♠, 2NT = both minors, 3♣/♦ = natural |
| Against weak NT (max. 14) Landy and D = 14+ hcp – further bidding as if we had opened 1NT |
| Against “gambling” 3NT (or 3♠) opening Multi-Landy |
| VS. PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids) |
| D = 13-15(-) bal. or 18+ with transfer lebensohl |
| 2NT: natural 15-18, system on |
| 4NT: two suits, 5+/5+ |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣ |
| After strong 1♣ opening 2♣ is NAT |
| OVER OPPONENTS’ TAKEOUT DOUBLE |

| LEADS AND SIGNALS | | | |
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| OPENING LEADS STYLE | | | |
| | Lead | In Partner’s Suit | |
| Suit | 1/3/5 | 1/3/5 | |
| NT | 1/3/5 | 1/3/5 | |
| Subsequent | Low enc | Low enc | |
| LEADS | | | |
| Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT | |
| Ace | AK+ | AK+ | |
| King | AK, KQ+ | KQ109+, AKJ10+ | |
| Queen | QJ+, KQ10+ | QJ+, KQ10+, AQJ+ | |
| Jack | J10+, AJ10+, KJ10+ | 1/3/5 | |
| 10 | Q109+, 109+, 10x | 1/3/5 | |
| 9 | 9x | 9x | |
| Hi-X | 1/3/5 | 1/3/5 | |
| Lo-X | 1/3/5 | 1/3/5 | |
| Note we lead | 1/3/5 however highest | of internal series | |
| SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY | | | |
| | Partner’s Lead | Declarer’s Lead | Discarding |
| Suit | 1 Low = enc | Low = even | Low = enc |
| | 2 Low = even | Low = enc | Low = even |
| | 3 Lavinthal | Lavinthal | Lavinthal |
| NT | 1 Low = enc | Low = even | Low = enc |
| | 2 Low = even | Low = enc | Low = even |
| | 3 Lavinthal | Lavinthal | Lavinthal |
| Signals (including Trumps): UDCA | | | |
| Odd Ball (high card in 2 nd trick means lead was fine) | | | |
| Trump echo when needed | | | |
| DOUBLES | | | |
| TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening) | | | |
| Normal | | | |
| SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS | | | |
| Support D and RD as long as we can play 2M | | | |
| Negative D up to 4♥ | | | |
| Responsive D up to 4♥ | | | |

| W B F CONVENTION CARD |
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| CATEGORY: GREEN |
| NCBO: Netherlands |
| PLAYERS: Rene van Dijk & Rob Wijman |
| EVENT: 2025 Senior Championship |
| SYSTEM SUMMARY |
| GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE |
| 5533 |
| 2-over-1 GF, with possible exception of 1♥/♠ 2♣ |
| 1NT = 14-16 |
| 2♣ = weak 6card ♦ or GF ♣/♥/♠ or 21-22NT |
| 2♦ = weak 6card ♥/♠ or GF ♦ or 23+NT |
| 2♥ = weak, 4/5♥ + 4/5♠ |
| 2♠ weak, 5♠ + 4+♣/♦ |
| SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE |
| 2♣ = weak with ♦ or GF ♣/♥/♠ or 21-22NT |
| 2♦ = weak 2♥/♠ or GF ♦ or 23+NT |
| 2♥ weak both M’s |
| 2♠ weak, 5cd ♠ and 4+cd m |
| SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES |
| in most GF situations |
| IMPORTANT NOTES |
| PSYCHICS: rare |

| OPENING | TICK IF ARTIFICIAL | MIN. NO. OF CARDS | NEG.DBL THRU | | | | |
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| | | | | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT ACTION | COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING |
| 1♣ | | 3 | 4♥ | 11-22, 3+♣ | Natural bidding, no (transfer) Walsh Inverted minor (also after interference) Jump 2♦/♥/♠ = weak, 6+ card 1♣ 3♣ = 7-10, 1♣ 2NT = weak | Two-way checkback 1m 2m 3SA = 17-18 1♣-1♦-1SA=12-13 may have 4card Major 4 th suit GF 4 th suit on 1-level RF, 3 rd suit GF | Negative Free Bid; 2-in-suit-lower-than-suit-opened = 10+, RF After interference, bid in suit opponents is often fit, invite+ |
| 1♦ | | 3 | 4♥ | 11-22, 3+♦ | Inverted minor (also after interference) 1♦ 3♦ = 7-10, 1♦ 2SA = weak Jump 2♥/♠ = weak | Two-way Checkback | |
| 1♥ / 1♠ | | 5 | 4♥ | 11-22, 5+♥/♠ | 1NT = 6-11, semi-forcing; 1♥ /2♠ weak 2♣ natural and GF with ♣ or 3cd fit in M with 10-11p 2NT = 10-11, 4+cd support or 16+ 3♣/♦ invite met ♣/♦ 3NT = 12-15, 4cd support, no splinter 1♥ 3♠/4♣/4♦ 9-12 splinters 1♠ 3♥/4♣/4♦ 9-12 splinters | Two-way checkback 2♣ NAT / GF or 10+ with 3card fit M 2♦/2♥ 5+, GF | |
| 1NT | | | 3♠ | (14)-15-17 NT 5♥/♠ possible | 2♣ = stayman; 2♦/2♥/2♠/2NT= transfer ♥/♠/♣/♦ 3♣/♦ = natural, slem interest 3♥/3♠ = singleton; 4♦/4♥ transfer to 4♥/4♠ 4♠ = both minors Smolen / Minor suit ask | | After 1NT (D) depends on meaning of D; After 1NT (2X) D = penalty, and transfer lebensohl 1NT (3X) D = take-out, transfer/switch bids |
| 2♣ | x | 0 | 4♥ | weak ♦ or GF ♣/♥/♠ or 21-22NT | 2♦/2NT= NF/F relay 2♥/2♠/3♣/3♦ NF | After 2NT: 3♣ = max ♦ / 3♦ = min ♦ / 3NT = AHVxxx in ♦ | |
| 2♦ | | 0 | | weak 2♥/♠ or GF ♦ or 23+NT | 2NT = F relay; 2♥/2♠/3♣/3♦ NF; 3♥ = pass or convert | After 2NT: 3♣ = min ♥, 3♦ = min ♠, 3♥ = max ♠, 3♠ = max ♥ 4♣/♦ = transfer to resp. bid your suit | 2♦ (D) RD = bid your suit 2♦ (2M) D = pass or convert 4♣/♦ = same after interference |
| 2♥ | | 4 | | Weak, 5♥+4+♠ | 2NT = F relay, 3♣/♦ = to play, 3♥/3♠ = weak. 2NT: 3♣ min, 3♦ min 5-5; 3♥ max ♠, 3♠ max ♥, 3SA=max 5-5 | 2NT 3♣ min 3♦ asks 5card M | |
| 2♠ | | 5 | | Weak, 5♠+4+m | 2NT = F relay; 3♣ = pass or convert, 3♦i= invite, 3♥ invite for 4♥ | | |
| 2NT | | | 3♠ | 19-20 NT | 3♣ = Puppet Stayman; 3♦/3♥ = transfer to 3♥/3♠; 3♠ = transfer ♣, 4♣ transfer to ♦, 4♦/4♥ transfer to 4♥/4♠ 3NT = to play, 4♠ = both minors, Minor suit ask | 2NT 3♦/♥ 3NT = 5card other M 2NT 3♣ 3NT and 2NT 4♣ 4NT denies fit for ♣ resp. ♦ | 2NT (3X) D = take-out, transfer/switch bids |
| 3♣ | | 6 | | Preempt | New suit RF, unless bid = game | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING | |
| 3♦ | | 6 | | Preempt | | RKCB (5♣=1/4, 5♦=0/3, 5♥=2 without Q of trumps, 5♠=2+Q of trumps) | |
| 3♥ | | 6 | | Preempt | | Exclusion Blackwood (1/4, 0/3, 2 without, 2 with T Queen) | |
| 3♠ | | 6 | | Preempt | | Cuebids: 1 st or 2 nd round control; DIPO, RIPO, DEPO | |
| 3NT/4NT | | | | 3NT = gambling | 4NT opening = 6+/5+ minors, 4/5 losers | 5NT: King asking or pick a slam | |

