

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
Natural
Responses forcing one round (except fit)
Reopening natural
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
Strong 16/18
If passer, generally two suits 6/4
Responses: Stayman, transfers as openings against minor openings against majors all are transfers.
Reopening: 9-14
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Weak (1 minor/2 Major) or two suiters (Michael's précised)
Responses natural (cue bid shows generally fit)
Reopen: Natural, generally 6 cards
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
Michael's two suiters
Jump cue bids: asking for stopper to play NT
On overcalls, cue bids shows fit or two suits
On overcalls, double jumps shows fit and shortness in overcalls' color otherwise fitted with good color
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
Vs strong: Double: 5minor, 4 major; 2 Clubs: landy; 2 Diamonds: 6 cards in one major; 2H/SP: Natural + (most often) 4 in a minor
Vs weak: double: at least 12 points (if weak 10/12); 2 Cl: Landy; Others, response to DbL and reopenings: transfers; 2NT: 2 minors
Reopening vs strong NT: after pass hand X is landy 4/4 2C landy at least 5/4 and 2D/2H/2S: natural
After a non passed hand X is one good suit with 12+ points
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
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Cue-bids: generally 2 suiters
NT generally natural
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
Double shows clubs; NT vs 1 Cl: Majors
Others natural
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Redouble vs 1Cl/Dble: 10 HCP+, others transfer in one level
Redouble vs 1 Di/Dble: Hearts, others: transfers in one level
1 NT: natural
Jumps: Natural weak, or natural + fit if passer

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3 rd and 5th	same	
NT	4 th best	3 rd and 5 th except in clubs	
Subseq	Same (little shows interest)	same	
Other: switch with Jack denies other honor			
10 and 9 Kantar			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	Ace, or AK	same	
King	KO	KQ Honour	
Queen	QJ	QJ10 or QJ9, or KQ smalls	
Jack	J10 or shortness	J10+ or QJ smalls	
10	10 or H109	same	
9	3 rd and 5th	Generally 3 or 4 smalls	
Hi-X	even	Generally 3 or 4 smalls	
Lo-X	odd	4 th best	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	parity	parity	parity
Suit 2	encouraging	Other suit interest	Other suit interest
3	Other suit interest		
1	Parity except on honours	Same as above	Same as above
NT 2			
3			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Short in opening suit (depending on strength)			
Responses natural (cue bid positive)			
Reopening doubles are generally strong			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Doubles of opponents bids shows a fit in partner's suit, or a strong hand			
Redouble in the sequence 1X/1Y/Dbl shows an honour in Y suit; some redoubles may be TOD to avoid a penalty.			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: NCBO: FRANCE PLAYERS: MARC BOMPIS/PHILIPPE SOULET
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
Natural, longest minor
5 cards major
Strong NT (14+/17)
2D weak or strong H, 2H weak or strong spades
Natural preempts
2 Clubs FTG except 22-23 regular
2 spades weak with a minor
2 NT 19+/21
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
3 NT opening: Good opening of 4 Hearts or spades (Direct 4H or 4S is more preemptive)
After partner's opening 2 Clubs, double of intervener shows a good hand min 5 points and cue bid shows one ace and some strenght
After Dbl overcalls ex: 1C/Dbl/1X X is transfer After 1C/2C or 1D/2C all 2X are also tranfers.
IMPORTANT NOTES
PSYCHICS: Possible in 3rd position

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIF	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DB L THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		3	4H	11+	Natural, except 2H = 5H+4Spades 5-9 HCP 2D good limit raise 2S 6 Diamonds limit Jump fit is preemptive	Natural, except 1club/Pass/1X/Dbl/2NT= 4 cards support and 15+ 3X preemptive	Doubles by opener shows 3 cards support
1♦		3	4H	Same as above	Natural, except 2H = 5H+4Spades 5-9 HCP 3C good limit raise 2S 6 Clubs limit Jump fit is preemptive	Same as above	Jumps after pass are fitted Same as above
1♥		5	4D	11/20	2Cl or 2Di FTG, 3C or D natural 6 cards 9/11 only on 1H opening, on 1S opening 3C 4 cards fit limit 3D 3 cards fit limit, 1S 3H 6H limit 2NT fitted (4 or more) FTG 14+	Natural	Natural
1♠		5	4D	11/20	1H 3S H fit with unknown void 1S 3NT same		Jump after pass are fitted with 5 cards in jump suit
INT				Balanced 14+/17- maybe 5 in a Major	Stayman, transfers in majors 2S Clubs or 8 balanced 3C stayman for research of 5 cards major	Natural	
2♣		0	ANY	FTG except 22-23 balanced	2D always except 2H 6 spades weak	Natural	
2♦		0		2D weak or strong H,	2NT relay encouraging, 2S/3C/3D natural semi forcing, 3H preemptive, 3NT slam try if partner is strong, 4C/4D natural with H support		
2♥		0		2H weak or strong spades	Same responses as 2D opening		
2♠		5		2 spades weak with a minor	2NT relay encouraging, 3C to play or correct to 3D		
2NT				19+/21 balanced, maybe 5 in a	Stayman with both majors at least 4 cards transfers with at least 4 cards, not necessarily 5.		
				bad major			
3♣		6	3Clubs	Preempt	New suit forcing in 3 level 4NT BW in opening suit		
3♦		6		Preempt	Same as above		
3♥		6		Preempt	New suit forcing, 4NT BW in opening suit		
3♠		6		Preempt	Same as above		
3NT				Good 4H or 4S opening in 1 st or 2 nd seat to play in 3 rd or 4 th seat	4Cl and 4 Di shows control and slam ambition 4H= pass or correct; 4S= pass or 5H		
4♣		7		Preemptive	Natural		
4♦		7		Preemptive	Natural		
4♥				More preemptive than 3NT	Controls, 4NT BW in H		
4♠				Same as above	Controls, 4NT BW in S		
4NT	X			Blackwood			
5♣		7+		Natural		HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦		7+		Nat		If intervention on BW, double is penalty or zero ace others, pass included, show aces	
5♥		7+		Nat			
5♠		7+		Nat			