DEFENSIVE & COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS

NAT ; 8 - 16 HCP ; 5+ suit
After 1 level overcall passed by opp 2♣ = RDrury
if opp bids : Dbl=3+ supp, suit(incl 2♣)=nat, noF
opp suit F1

1NT OVERCALL

16-19 HCP BAL or HBAL
Responses = look at 1NT opening resp.

TRF to opp.suit = F1, Nat

JUMP OVERCALLS

PRE 6+ Nat
3NT = gambling w/minor AKExxxx
2NT= minors, weak

DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS

Direct = michael's cue 10+ HCP ; resp. 2NT = relay

VS. NT

Landy - 2C= Majors, other Nat

VS. PREEMPTS

Overbid = NAT 5+ ; 2NT = 16 - 19 HCP BAL/HBAL ;
cue-bid = F1: w/good hand or Michaels style 2 suiter
Resp.: NAT ; LEB after DBL
Dbl = 11-16 HCP take-out or any strong hand

VS. ARTIFICAL STRONG OPENINGS

DBL = NAT ; 1X = NAT 5+ ; UnNT
2♣= Majors

OVER OPPONENT'S TAKE-OUT DOUBLE

RD = Nat 12+HCP ; then dbl is penalty
bidding on level1 = F1, on leve2=noF

SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH & STYLE

2 over 1
2♣ strong 22+
1♥♠ 5+ suit;
1NT=(14)15-17(18) BAL or HBAL

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

2♣=22+ HCP
2 ♦♥♠ =6+ Nat 6-9 HCP
3NT= gambling w/minor AKExxxx

FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

PSYCHICS

often

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES

10+ HCP, usually at least 2 unbid suits or any strong (16+HCP)
Responses : NAT; NT = constr. ; cue & jump = F1 (10+ HCP)

SPECIAL, ARTIFICAL & COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES

NEG DBL thru 3♠ (from 4-th level = values)
Supp. DBL thru 3♠
Lightner
Resp. DBL thru 3♠ (usually minors)

LEADS & SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	Lead	Partner's suit
Suit	3. / 5.	Same
NT	3. / 5.	Same
Subseq.	3.	Same
Other	K - parity	Same
	A or Q - attitude	Same

LEADS

Lead	Vs. suit	Vs. NT
Ace	AK(x) ; Ax(x)	AK(x) ; Ax(x)
King	AK(x) ; KQ(x) ; Kx	AK(x) ; KQ(x) ; Kx
Queen	KQ(x) ; QJ(x) ; Qx	KQ(x) ; QJ(x) ; Qx
Jack	QJx(x) ; J10(x) ; Jx	QJx; J10(x) ; Jx
10	K109(x) ; 109(x) ; 10x	HJ10(x) ; 10x
9	KJ9(x) ; 9x	H109(x) ; 9x
Hi - Lo	Even	
Lo - Hi	Odd	

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

		Partner's lead	Declarer's lead	Discarding
Suit	1	K - parity	Lavinthal	Italy
	2	A,Q - dir or enc	parity	Lavintahl
	3	enc: 3,5,7;dec:hi		
NT	1	K - parity	Smith	Italy
	2	A,Q - dir or enc		Lavintahl
	3	enc: 3,5,7;dec:hi		

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