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GENERAL APPROACH

2/1 GF, 1C 2+ Transfer Walsh, 1♦ 5332 WEAK BAL or 4+♦ unbal, INT Variable

Two Over One: Game Forcing Game Forcing Except When Suit Rebid

VERY LIGHT: Openings 3rd Hand Overcalls Preempts

FORCING OPENING: 1♣ 2♣ Natural 2 Bids Other

NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS

1NT
13+ to 16 3♣ Transfer to ♦
11-13 to FAV1/2 3♦ GF ♦, short ♣
 5-card Major common 3♥ short ♥ with 55mm
 System on over _____ 3♠ short ♠ with 55mm

2♣ Stayman Puppet

2♦ Transfer to ♥ 4♦, 4♥ Transfer

Forcing Stayman Smolen

2♥ Transfer to ♠ Lebensohl (___ denies)

2♠ inv to 3NT / ♣ Neg. Double

2NT puppet stayman Other: _____

2NT 19+ to 21
 Puppet Stayman

Transfer Responses:
 Jacoby Texas

3♠ 5+4+ minors _____

3NT _____ to _____
 1 Major / nat. 3rd seat

Conventional NT Openings

MAJOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length	4	5
1st/2nd	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3rd/4th	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

RESPONSES

Double Raise: Force Inv. Weak

After Overcall: Force Inv. Weak

Conv. Raise: 2NT 3NT Splinter

Other: _____

1NT: Forcing Semi-forcing

2NT: Forcing Inv. _____ to _____

3NT: _____ to _____

Drury : Reverse 2-Way Fit

Other: 2NT/3NT artificial raises

MINOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length	4	3	0-2	Conv.
1♣	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1♦	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

RESPONSES

Double Raise: Force Inv. Weak

After Overcall: Force Inv. Weak

Forcing Raise: J/S in other minor

Single raise Other: _____

Frequently bypass 4+♦

1NT/1♣ 11 to 12

2NT Forcing Inv. _____ to _____

3NT: 13 to 15

Other Transfer Walsh after 1♣

SPECIAL DOUBLES

After Overcall: Penalty _____

Negative thru 3♠

Responsive : thru 3♠ Maximal

Support: Dbl. thru 2♠ Redbl

Card-showing Min. Offshape T/O

NOTRUMP OVERCALLS

Direct: 15 to 18 Systems on

Conv. in VUL 16-18

Balancing: depends to _____

Jump to 2NT: Minors 2 Lowest

Conv.

DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP

vs: _____

2♣ LANDY _____

2♦ 1 Major _____

2♥ 5+♥ 4+m _____

2♠ 5+♠ 4+m _____

Dbl: 15+ _____

Other: _____

SIMPLE OVERCALL

1 level 7 to 18 HCP (usually)
 often 4 cards very light style

Responses

New Suit: Forcing NF Const NF

Jump Raise: Forcing Inv. Weak

Rubens Transfer

JUMP OVERCALL

Strong Intermediate Weak

OVER OPP'S T/O DOUBLE

New Suit Forcing: 1 level 2 level

Jump Shift: Forcing Inv. Weak

Redouble implies no fit

2NT Over Limit+ Limit Weak

Majors

Minors

Other xfers after 1♦♥♠(x) from 1NT

OPENING PREEMPTS

	Sound	Light	Very	Light
3/4-bids	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Conv./Resp.	_____	_____	_____	_____

DIRECT CUEBID

OVER:	Minor	Major
Natural	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Strong T/O	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Michaels	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

VS Opening Preempts Double Is

Takeout thru _____ Penalty

Conv. Takeout: _____

Lebensohl 2NT Response

Other: _____

SLAM CONVENTIONS Gerber : 4NT: Blackwood RKC 1430

mixed Control Bids, up-the-line, sometimes nonserious 3♠/3NT, sometimes shortness ask/showing, DIPO/RIPO

vs Interference: DOPI DEPO Level: _____ ROPI

LEADS (circle card led, if not in bold)

versus Suits	versus Notrump
x(x) x(x)x(x)	x(x) x(x)x(x)
x(x)x x(x)x(x)x	x(x)x x(x)x(x)x
(A)K x T(9) x	(A)K J x A Q J x
K Q x K J T x	A J T 9 A T 9 x
Q J x K T 9 x	K Q J x (K)Q T 9
J T 9 Q T 9 x	Q J T x Q T 9 x
(K)Q T 9	J T 9 x T(9) x(x)

LENGTH LEADS:

4th Best vs SUITS vs NT

3rd/5th Best vs SUITS vs NT

2/4, low from doubleton Attitude vs NT

Primary signal to partner's leads

Attitude Count Suit preference

DEFENSIVE CARDING

Standard:	vs SUITS	vs NT
Except <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Upside-Down:		
count	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
attitude	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

FIRST DISCARD

Lavinthal

Odd/Even

usually count

OTHER CARDING

Smith Echo

Trump Suit Pref.

Foster Echo

SPECIAL CARDING

PLEASE ASK