DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)

Natural

1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)

In 2nd seat: 15-18HL

In 4th seat: 11-13HL

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

2M weak over 1m opening

Ghestem 2 suited hands

Reopen: strong 1 suited

DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)

Ghestem

VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)

Multi-Landy in all positions

VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)

Vs 2M: 4m shows the minor and the other major, 3M shows the two minors

VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣

Vs any strong opening we play **Raptor**, any suit shows the following suit or a two suited hand with the next two suits and xNT shows ♣ + ♥ or ♦ + ♠.

Eg: 1♣ – 2♦ – shows (♥) or (♠ and ♣).

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

We ignore it

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	Lead	In Partner's Suit
Suit	3rd 5th	3rd 5th
NT	Small encouraging	3rd 5th
Subseq		

Other: head of sequence, AK Romanet

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	Asks attitude	Asks attitude
King	Asks count	Asks unblocking
Queen	Shows the Jack	Shows the Jack and the 10 or 9
Jack	Shows the 10	If in partner's suit, may be 3rd without the 10
10		Kantar
9		Kantar
Hi-X		
Lo-X		

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1			italian
Suit 2			
3			
1			italian
NT 2			
3			

Signals (including Trumps): Smith signalling via low cards

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS

W B F CONVENTION CARD

CATEGORY:
NCBO:
PLAYERS: Xavier Ligot (71587)
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SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

Major 5th, 2/1 GF in major, best minor, 2♣ all GF or SF in major or 20-21 HL balanced, 2♦ multi, 2♥ Ekren, 2SA weak with both minors, Texas openings 2●/3♣♦♥

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

IMPORTANT NOTES

		PSYCHICS: never

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣/♦		3	4♥		Inverted Minors, 2♥ 4h+5s, 8-10HL	Walsh, double 2	
1♥		5	4♦		1NT forcing, 2SA support, 2/1 GF	Double 2	
1♠		5	4♥		1NT forcing, 2SA support, 2/1 GF	Double 2	
1NT				15-17HL, singleton possible	2♣ weak Stayman, 3♣ Puppet Stayman GF, 2♦ to 2NT Texas, 3♦ 5m+5m' 9HCP+, 3♥ 31(54) GF, 3 ♠ 13(54) GF, Quest transfert	2♦-> Texas ♥ or weak 5m+5m' 2♠ -> Texas ♣ or 9HL with no interest for the majors	
2♣	x			All GF or 8½ tricks in major or 20-21 HL balanced			
2♦	x			Multi: either weak M (5+ cards), strong m (8½ tricks) or 22-23 HL balanced	2NT forcing, 2♥/♠ pass or correct, 3♥/♠ pass or correct, 4♥ pass or correct		
2♥		(54)xy		The 2 majors at least 54	2NT forcing, 3M preempt, 4M to play		
2 ♠	x			Weak with both minors	2NT description (m=m'), 3 ♣/♦ pass, 3NT to play, 4 ♣/♦ > 5 ♣/♦		
2NT	x			Shows ♣, either preemptive at least 6 cards or two suited 55 strong with ♣	3♣ pass or 3/4 x forcing, 3 NT to play		
3♣	x			Shows ♦, either preemptive at least 6 cards or two suited 55 strong with ♦	3♦ pass or correct, 3/4/5 x forcing, 3NT to play		
3♦	x			Shows ♥, either preemptive at least 6 cards or two suited 55 strong with ♥	3♥ pass or correct, 3/4/5 x forcing, 3NT to play		
3♥	x			Shows ♠, either preemptive at least 6 cards or two suited 55 strong with ♠	3♠ pass or correct, 4/5 x forcing, 3NT to play		
3♠	x			10+ H, any suit, 7 cards with AKQ or 8 cards with AK~~, no extra holding~~	3NT to play, 4♣ pass or correct, 4x non forcing		
3NT	x			Preemptive unknown minor, the suit is not solid	4♣ pass or correct		
4♣/♦	x			Preemptive with ♥/♠, to be played by the partner		**HIGH LEVEL BIDDING**	
4♥/♠				Preemptive with ♥/♠, to be played by the opener		BWL, BW5, BW6 (41-30) Question to the Queen of trumps : if positive, the suit of the first King or 5NT	
4NT	x			Preemptive, both minors			
5♣/♦/♥/♠				Preemptive			