DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

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

Normal style, (4)5 card suit

Ghestem modified:
Cue = 2 extremes
2NT = 2 lowest
1♣ -3♣/1♦-3♦ = 2 highest

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

Natural, system on

4th hand : 11-14 with or without stop, system on

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

Weak according to vul and seat

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

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

Multi landy

X = strong

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

Std /Lebensohl

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

Dbl = Majors, 1NT = minors, other natural (may be lead directing)

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

Natural

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	Lead	In Partner's Suit
Suit	3/5	3/5
NT	3/5	3/5
Subseq		

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	std	std
King	std	std
Queen	std	std
Jack	std	std
10	std	std
9	std	std
Hi-X	std	std
Lo-X	std	std

	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Low enc.	count	Lavinthal
Suit 2			
3			
1	Low enc.	count	Lavinthal
NT 2			
3			

Signals (including Trumps):

Lavinthal

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)

std

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS

Most doubles are takeout

Support x/xx

W B F CONVENTION CARD

CATEGORY: National 2A
NCBO:
PLAYERS: Philippe Volcke 14295
Marie Heyvaert 14896
Occasionaly with **Kobe Wees 33253, Ivan Peeters 25858, Dirk Lankhorst 17413, Luc Meeuwsen 12411**

SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

Majors 5 Diamond 4

1NT = 15-17

2 over 1 : forcing for one round

Pre-alert: Walsh, Stayman-relay

1x-(1♥)-1♠ = 4-card +

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

2 ♣ = SF, 23-24 NT

2 ♦ = GF, 25 NT

2 major = 6 crd, 6-11

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

When the auction is forcing to a certain level

IMPORTANT NOTES

When the auction is forcing to a certain level

PSYCHICS: rare in 1&2, with passed p anything goes

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		2+		Walsh / Inverted minor / 2♦, 2♥, 2♠ is strong / Roudi		System-on after interfering
1♦		4	naturel	Inverted minor / 2♥, 2♠, 3♣ is strong / Roudi		System-on after interfering
1♥		5	Natural – 11 - 20	2NT= FIT = 4-card+ at least limit 3 ♥ = 4-card, 5 – 9 Roudi	1♥-2NT -? 3X = nat+medium, 4X= nat (5-5), 3NT = strong,	System-on after interfering
1♠		5	Naturel – 11 - 20	2NT= FIT = 4-card + at least limit 3 ♠ = 4-card, 5 - 9	1♠-2NT-? Like 1♥ opening	System-on after interfering
INT			15-17 semi balanced	2♣ relay, 4 suit transfers 2♠= transf clubs, 2NT = transf diamonds Lebensohl after interfering	When refusing transfer on 2♠ and 2NT : support and at least one top card.	
2♣	yes		SGF / NT 23-24	2♦ waiting,2♥=2♠= pos 5 card, 2NT= 8hp+ 3♣=3♦= pos 5-6 card		
2♦	yes		GF	2♥=0-1 italian control, 2♠= 2controls, etc	4NT= asking queen counts	
2♥		6	weak	2NT rel, new suit = forcing	After 2♥-2NT: 3X = pos 3 NT = max	
2♠		6	weak	2NT rel, new suit = forcing	Same as 2 ♥	
2NT			20-22 semi balanced	Puppet stayman, trf, 3nt= 5spades,4hearts 4♣=4♦= nat		
3♣		(6)7	Pre-empt			
3♦		(6)7	Pre-empt			
3♥		(6)7	Pre-empt			
3♠		(6)7	Pre-empt			
3NT			Gambling	4♣ pas/correct 4♦= pos, asks single		
4♣		7	Pre according to vul and seat			
4♦		7	Pre according to vul and seat			
4♥		7	Pre according to vul and seat			
4♠		7	Pre according to vul and seat			
4NT	yes	5 - 5	Pre-empt 2 minors			
5♣			To play		**HIGH LEVEL BIDDING**	
5♦			To play		Roman keycards – 41/30	
					1st & 2nd round controls, serious 3NT	