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SPECIAL DOUBLES

After Overcall: **Penalty** _____
Negative thru 6S
Responsive : thru 3S Maximal
Support: Dbl. thru 2H Redbl
Card-showing Min. Offshape T/O

NOTRUMP OVERCALLS

Direct: 15 to 18 Systems on
Conv. _____
Balancing: 11 to 16
Jump to 2NT: Minors 2Lowest
Conv. _____

GENERAL APPROACH

2 over 1
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 _____

SIMPLE OVERCALL

1 level 6 to 16 HCP (usually)
often 4 cards very light style
Responses
New Suit: Forcing NF Const NF
Jump Raise: Forcing Inv. Weak

DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP

vs: strong _____ weak _____
2♣ Majors _____ Majors _____
2♦ 1 M suit _____ 1 M suit _____
2♥ H + m _____ H + m _____
2♠ S + m _____ S + m _____
Dbl: 4M+Longer m Pen. _____
Other 2NT=Minors _____

NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS

1NT
14+ to 17
to _____
5-card Major common 3♥ 3-1-5(4)-4(5),FG
System on over 1c X 3♠ 1-3-5(4)-4(5),FG
2♣ Stayman Puppet
2♦ Transfer to ♥ 4♦, 4♥ Transfer
Forcing Stayman Smolen
2♥ Transfer to ♠ Lebensohl (fast denies)
2♠ rang asking _____ Neg. Double _____
2NT trans to D _____ Other: _____

2NT 20 to 21
Puppet Stayman
Transfer Responses:
Jacoby Texas
3♠ xfer to 3NT _____

3NT _____ to _____
gambling _____
Conventional NT Openings

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

OPENING PREEMPTS

Sound Light Very Light
3/4-bids
Conv./Resp. _____

VS Opening Preempts Double Is

Takeout thru 7H Penalty
Conv. Takeout: _____
Lebensohl 2NT Response
Other _____

MAJOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length 4 5
1st/2nd
3rd/4th

MINOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length 4 3 0-2 Conv.
1♣
1♦

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: _____

RESPONSES

Double Raise: Force Inv. Weak
After Overcall: Force Inv. Weak
Forcing Raise: J/S in other minor
Single raise Other: reverse minors
Frequently bypass 4+♦
1NT/1♣ _____ 7 to 10
2NT Forcing Inv. 11 to 12
3NT: 13 to 15
Other: _____

DIRECT CUEBID

OVER: Minor Major
Natural
Strong T/O
Michaels
over opp's 1c or 1d opening, 2c nature, 2d Majors

VS Opening Preempts Double Is

Takeout thru 7H Penalty
Conv. Takeout: _____
Lebensohl 2NT Response
Other _____

SLAM CONVENTIONS Gerber : 4NT: Blackwood RKC 1430

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
A K x T 9 x (A) K J x (A) Q J x
K Q x K J T x (K) Q J x (K) Q T 9
Q J x K T 9 x (Q) J T x (Q) T 9 x
J T 9 Q T 9 x (J) T 9 x (T) 9 x x
K Q T 9

DEFENSIVE CARDING

Standard: vs SUITS vs NT
Except
Upside-Down: _____
count
attitude

LENGTH LEADS:

4th Best vs SUITS vs NT
3rd/5th Best vs SUITS vs NT
Attitude vs NT

FIRST DISCARD

Lavinthal
Odd/Even

OTHER CARDING

Smith Echo reverse
Trump Suit Pref.
Foster Echo

Primary signal to partner's leads
Attitude Count Suit preference

SPECIAL CARDING PLEASE ASK

DESCRIBE RESPONSES/REBIDS

2♣ 22+ to _____ HCP
Strong Other
2♦ Resp: Neg Waiting
2♦ 5 to 10 HCP
Natural: Weak Intermediate Strong Conv.
2♥ 5 to 10 HCP
Natural: Weak Intermediate Strong Conv.
2♠ 5 to 10 HCP
Natural: Weak Intermediate Strong Conv.
2NT Force New Suit NF

OTHER CONV. CALLS: New Minor Forcing 2-Way NMF

Weak Jump Shifts: In Comp. Not in Comp.

4th Suit Forcing: 1 Rd. Game
XYZ, checkback, wolf signoff, mini-splinter, etc