



### SPECIAL DOUBLES

After Overcall: **Penalty**  \_\_\_\_\_  
 Negative  thru \_\_\_\_\_  
 Responsive  : thru \_\_\_\_\_ Maximal   
**Support:** Dbl.  thru \_\_\_\_\_ Redbl   
 Card-showing  Min. Offshape T/O   
 Snapdragon \_\_\_\_\_

### SIMPLE OVERCALL

1 level 7+ to \_\_\_\_\_ HCP (usually)  
 often 4 cards  very light style   
**Responses**  
 New Suit: Forcing  NFConst  NF   
 Jump Raise: Forcing  Inv.  Weak   
 JR=Mixed. 2NT=LR+4+M, txfr/1M(x)

### JUMP OVERCALL

**Strong**  **Intermediate**  **Weak**   
 Intermediate balancing seat \_\_\_\_\_

### OPENING PREEMPTS

Sound Light Very Light  
 3/4-bids     
 Conv./Resp. **4♣, 4♦=miniKC, OKSAV**

### DIRECT CUEBID

OVER: Minor Major  
 Natural    
 Strong T/O    
 Michaels

**SLAM CONVENTIONS** Gerber : 4NT: Blackwood  RKC  1430

Majors: RKC 1430, queen ask, specific kings, DIFS, RIFS, PISS

Minors: Redwood 1430, queen ask, specific kings. DIFS, RIFS, PISS

vs Interference: DOPI  DEPO  Level: \_\_\_\_\_ ROPI

**LEADS** (circle card led, if not in bold)

versus Suits		versus Notrump	
<b>X X</b>	x x x x	<b>X X</b>	x x x x
x x (X)	x x x x x	<b>X X X</b>	x x x x x
(A)K x	<b>T 9</b> x	A <b>K J</b> x	A <b>Q J</b> x
<b>K Q</b> x	K <b>J T</b> x	A <b>J T 9</b>	A <b>T 9</b> x
<b>Q J</b> x	K <b>T 9</b> x	<b>K Q J</b> x	<b>K Q T 9</b>
<b>J T 9</b>	Q <b>T 9</b> x	<b>Q J T</b> x	Q <b>T 9</b> x
<b>K Q T 9</b>		<b>J T 9</b> x	<b>T 9</b> x x

### LENGTH LEADS:

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

Vs. NT, K is power lead

**Primary signal to partner's leads**

Attitude  Count  Suit preference

### SPECIAL CARDING

### NOTRUMP OVERCALLS

**Direct:** 15 to 18 Systems on   
**Conv.**  **Stayman, transfers** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Balancing:** 11 to 15 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Jump to 2NT: Minors  2 Lowest   
**Conv.**  **Q=Stay over Bal 1NT/2NT**

### DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP

vs: **Strong** \_\_\_\_\_ **Weak** \_\_\_\_\_  
 2♣ **Majors** \_\_\_\_\_ **Majors** \_\_\_\_\_  
 2♦ **One major** \_\_\_\_\_ **One major** \_\_\_\_\_  
 2♥ **5♥, 4+m** \_\_\_\_\_ **5♥, 4+m** \_\_\_\_\_  
 2♠ **5♠, 4+m** \_\_\_\_\_ **5♠, 4+m** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dbl: **5+m, 4M** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cards (14+)** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### 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 JS=fit showing/3M, 3m=mixed

### VS Opening Preempts Double Is

Takeout  thru 4♠ **Penalty**   
**Conv. Takeout:** Over 2NT: **Q-bid Stay** txfrs  
**Lebensohl 2NT Response**   
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### DEFENSIVE CARDING

vs SUITS vs NT

Standard:

Except

**upside down remainder count**

Upside-Down: \_\_\_\_\_

count

attitude

### FIRST DISCARD

Lavinthal

Odd/Even

### OTHER CARDING

Smith Echo Rev

Trump Suit Pref.

Foster Echo

**NAMES** Jeff Blond and Brad Bart

### GENERAL APPROACH

2/1 with weak NT

**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** 11+ to 14 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

5-card Major common

System on over 2C.NPDb1

2♣ Stayman  Puppet

2♦ **Transfer to**

**Forcing Stayman**  **Smolen**

2♥ **Transfer to**

2♠ **To play** \_\_\_\_\_

2NT **m weak or M inv** **Other:** **Baron, DONT** runout ov/ pen x

\_\_\_\_\_

### MAJOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length 4 5

1st/2nd

3rd/4th

### RESPONSES

Double Raise: Force  Inv.  **Weak**

After Overcall: Force  Inv.  **Weak**

Conv. Raise: **2NT**  **3NT**  **Splinter**

**Other:** **3M=mixed, 2NT is limit+**

**1NT:** **Forcing**  **Semi-forcing**

2NT: **Forcing**  **Inv.**  \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

3NT: 13 to 15 \_\_\_\_\_

**Drury**  **Reverse**  **2-Way**  **Fit**

**Other:** **Cue=3-card limit, jumps are in** txfrs

**Other:** **1M-1NT-2C is Gazilli**

### MINOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length 4 3 0-2 **Conv.**

1♣

1♦

### RESPONSES

Double Raise: Force  Inv.  **Weak**

After Overcall: Force  Inv.  **Weak**

Forcing Raise: **J/S in other minor**

**Single raise**  **Other:** **criss-cross LR**

Frequently bypass 4+♦  **Mix raises**

1NT/1♣ 6 to 10-

2NT **Forcing**  **Inv.**  10+ to 12

3NT: 13 to 15 \_\_\_\_\_

**Other:** **2M=5♠, 4-5♥, 2♥=3-7/2♠ 8-10**

### DESCRIBE

### RESPONSES/REBIDS

2♣ 20+ to \_\_\_\_\_ HCP

**Strong**  **Other**  **Strong** \_\_\_\_\_

2♦ **Resp:** **Neg**  **Waiting**  **Kokish** \_\_\_\_\_

2♦ 5 to 10 HCP

Natural: **Weak**  **Intermediate**  **Strong**  **Conv.**

Ogust 0123, 4C=miniKC

2NT **Force**  **New Suit** **NF**

2♥ 5 to 10 HCP

Natural: **Weak**  **Intermediate**  **Strong**  **Conv.**

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2NT **Force**  **New Suit** **NF**

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2NT **Force**  **New Suit** **NF**

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

**Weak Jump Shifts:** **In Comp.**  **Not in Comp.**  **Un vs Un:** **L ? L** \_\_\_\_\_

**4th Suit Forcing:** **1 Rd.**  **Game**  **2♦=art.** **GF** after 1NT rebid

**Ingberman** after reverses, **transfers** after 1M(dbl); **Rolling Xfers** over 2NT rebid

**2C=Stay, 3C=minors, transfers** over opps' 1NT overcall

Over interference of our 2♣, Dbl by resp=broke, pass=something