

SPECIAL DOUBLES

After Overcall: Penalty 35
 Negative or thru _____
 Responsive ☐ : thru _____ Maximal ☐
 Support Dbl ☐ thru _____ Rdbl ☐
 Card-showing ☐ Min. Offstage T/O ☐

Simple Overcall

1 level 8 to 11 HCP (usually)
 often 4 cards ☐ very light style ☐
Responses
 New Suit: Forcing ☐ NF Const ☐ NF ☐
 Jump Raise: Forcing ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☐

JUMP OVERCALL

Strong ☐ Intermediate ☐ Weak ☐

OPENING PREEMPTS

Sound ☐ Light ☐ Very Light ☐
 Conv./Resp ☐

DIRECT CUEBID

OVER: Minor Major
 Natural ☐ ☐
 Strong T/O ☐ ☐
 Michaels ☐ ☐

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 x x	x x x	x x x x
AKx	T9x	AKJx	AQJx
KQx	KJT x	AJT9	AT9x
QJx	KT9x	KQJx	KQT9
JT9	QT9x	QJT x	QT9x
KQT9		JT9x	T9xx

LENGTH LEADS

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

Primary Signal to partner's lead

Attitude ☐ Count ☐ Suit preference ☐

NOTRUMP OVERCALLS

Direct 15 to 18 Systems on ☐

Conv ☐
 Balancing: 10 to 16
 Jump to 2NT: Minors ☐ 2 Lowest ☐
 Conv ☐

DEFENSE vs NOTRUMP

vs: Natural
 2 ☐
 2 ☐ to 17
 to ☐
 5-card Major common ☐
 System on over interference
 2 ☐ Stayman ☐ Puppet ☐
 2 ☐ Transfer to ☐
 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	Weak
Majors	☐	☐
Minors	☐	☐
Other	☐	☐

VS Opening Preempts Double Is

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

DEFENSIVE CARDING

vs SUITS vs NT

Standard: ☐ ☐
 Except ☐

Upside - Down
 count ☐ ☐
 attitude ☐ ☐

FIRST DISCARD

Lavinthal ☐ ☐
 Odd/Even ☐ ☐
☐ ☐

OTHER CARDING

Smith Echo ☐ ☐
 Trump Suit Pref. ☐ ☐
 Foster Echo ☐ ☐

NAMES Jim & Brenda

General Approach

2/1
 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 ☐

NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS

1NT 15 to 17
 to ☐
 5-card Major common ☐
 System on over interference
 2 ☐ Stayman ☐ Puppet ☐
 2 ☐ Transfer to ☐ 4 ☐ 4 ☐ Transfer ☐
 Forcing Stayman ☐ Smolen ☐
 2 ☐ Transfer to ☐ Lebensohl ☐ (denies) Conventional NT Openings
 2 ☐ clubs Neg. Double ☐
 2NT 8-9 Other: ☐

2NT 20 to 21
 Puppet Stayman ☐
 Transfer Responses:
Jacob Texas
 3 ☐
 3NT ☐ to ☐

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 ☐ Splitter ☐
 Other: Bergen
 1NT: Forcing ☐ Semi-Forcing ☐
 2NT: Forcing ☐ Inv ☐ to ☐
 3NT: ☐ to ☐
 Drury: Reverse ☐ 2-Way ☐ Fit ☐
 Other: ☐

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: ☐
 Frequently bypass 4 ☐ ☐
 1NT/1 ☐ 6 to 9
 2NT: Forcing ☐ Inv ☐ 10 to 11
 3NT: 12+ to ☐
 Other: ☐

DESCRIBE

RESPONSES/REBIDS

2 ☐ 20+ to _____ HCP
 Strong ☐ Other ☐
 2 ☐ Resp: Neg ☐ Waiting ☐
 2 ☐ 6 to 10 HCP
 Natural: Weak ☐ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv ☐ 2NT Force ☐ New Suit NF ☐
 2 ☐ 6 to 10 HCP
 Natural: Weak ☐ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv ☐ 2NT Force ☐ New Suit NF ☐
 2 ☐ 6 to 10 HCP
 Natural: Weak ☐ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv ☐ 2NT Force ☐ New Suit NF ☐
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 OTHER CONV. CALLS: New Minor Forcing: ☐ 2-way NMF ☐
 Weak Jump Shifts: In Comp. ☐ Not in Comp. ☐
 4th Suit Forcing: 1 Round ☐ Game ☐

Italics Bold Double Underlined are announcements ☆

SPECIAL CARDING ☐ PLEASE ASK