| DEFENSIVE AND COMPETI TIVE BIDDING | LEADS AND SIGNALS |  |  |  | WBF and SBF Convention Card |  |  | SVENSK BRIDGE |
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| OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening) | OPENING LEADS STYLE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6-16 aggressive at 1-level |  | Lead | In Partner's Suit |  |  |  |  |  |
| Responses: new suit F1 | Suit | 3/5 | 3/5 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2NT = Nat inv | NT | $3 / 5$ $3 / 5$ |  |  | Category: | Green |  |  |
| Cuebid = Good raise | Subsequent | $3 / 5$ (always in p suit) $\quad 3 / 5$ |  |  | NCBO: | Sweden |  |  |
| Jump cue $=$ about $8+4+$ supp |  | 2/4 through declarer in untouched suits |  |  | Event: | All |  |  |
| Sound on 2-level 5+suit | Other : | K asks for count against 5-level and higher |  |  | Players: | Simon Ekenberg- Simon Hult |  |  |
| 1NT OVERCALL (2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} / 4^{\text {th }}$ Live; Responses; Reopening) | LEADS |  |  |  | SYSTEM SUMMARY |  |  |  |
| 15-18 sys on | Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT |  | GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE |  |  |  |
| $4^{\text {th }}$ live $15-18$ sys on | Ace | AKQ+ AKx+ Ax | AKx+Ax |  | Generally sound openings, preempts may be (very) light |  |  |  |
| Reopen: 11-14 sys on or 11-16 sys off | King | KQJ+ KQT+ KQ+ AK | KQ+ Kx AKQx+ |  | 1\% $=11-13 \mathrm{bal} / 17-19 \mathrm{bal}$ or nat |  |  |  |
| JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT) | Queen | QJT+ QJ9+ QJ+ |  |  | $1 \star=11+4+\star$ always unbal $/$ semi-bal (can be bal $3^{\text {rd }} / 4^{\text {th }}$ seat) |  |  |  |
| $2 \mathrm{M}=4 \mathrm{M} 5+\mathrm{m} 11-16$ (Exceptions: (12 neb) $-2=5 / 5 \mathrm{M}$ ) | J ack | JT9+ JT+ JX |  |  | $1 \mathrm{M}=11+5+\mathrm{M}$ |  |  |  |
| (1M) - 3e $=5 / 5 \mathrm{oM}+$ + | 10 | HJT Tx |  |  | $1 \mathrm{NT}=15-17$ |  |  |  |
| 2NT $=5-52$ lowest unbid | 9 | HT9+ KJ9+ 9x |  |  | 2 = FG or 20-21bal |  |  |  |
| Reopen: 2M 6+M 10-13; 2NT 19-21 bal sys on | Hi-x | Xx |  |  | $2 *$ Weak M or FG with 5+ |  |  |  |
| DIRECT AND JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses) | Lo-x | xxX xxXx xxxxX |  |  | $2 \mathrm{M}(\mathrm{NV})=$ Weak 4M 5+m 0-9. $2 \mathrm{M}(\mathrm{V})=10-13 \mathrm{cc}$ suit |  |  |  |
| (1M) - $2 \mathrm{M}=5-5 \mathrm{oM}+$ ¢ | SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY |  |  |  | 2NT = 22-24 |  |  |  |
| (1m) $-2 \mathrm{~m}=5-5 \mathrm{M}^{\prime} \mathrm{s}$ |  | Partner's Lead | Declarer's Lead | Discarding | SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE |  |  |  |
| (2M) $-3 \mathrm{M}=\boldsymbol{+}$ | Suit: $1^{\text {st }}$ | Low = enc | Low = even | Low = enc | $\text { 1\& opening }=2+$ |  |  |  |
| (1m neb) $-2 \mathrm{~m}=$ nat | $2^{\text {nd }}$ | Low = even | S/P | Low = even | $2 \star$ opening = Weak M or FG with 5+ |  |  |  |
| VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening; Passed Hand) | $3^{\text {rd }}$ | S/P |  | S/P | 2 M opening (NV) $=4 \mathrm{M} 5+\mathrm{m} \mathrm{0-9}$ |  |  |  |
| $\mathrm{Dbl}=$ strength; $2=\mathrm{MM}$; $2=$ a) weak M b) strong M +m ; | NT: $1^{\text {st }}$ | Low = enc | Low = even | Low = enc | 1*-1red = Trf |  |  |  |
| $2 \mathrm{M}=$ Nat (better than $2 \star$ ) $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ both $\mathrm{m}^{\prime} \mathrm{s}$ | $2^{\text {nd }}$ | Low = even | S/P | Low = even | 1*-1 $=$ Trf |  |  |  |
| By PH: dbl= + +any suit; $2 \mathrm{~m}=\mathrm{m}+\boldsymbol{\bullet}$; $2 \mathrm{M}=$ nat | $3^{\text {rd }}$ | S/P |  | S/P | 1*-2* $=5+4+3-10$ |  |  |  |
| VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT-bids) | High-low = Discouraging or odd. Low-high = Encouraging or even. |  |  |  | SPECIAL F | CING PAS | EQUENCES |  |
| $\mathrm{Dbl}=\mathrm{T} / \mathrm{O} ;(2 / 3 \mathrm{M})-4 \mathrm{~m}=5-5 \mathrm{~m}+\mathrm{oM}$ (Exception after 34) | DOUBLES |  |  |  | In game force situations |  |  |  |
| (3m) - 4e $=5-5 \mathrm{om}+\mathrm{M} ; 4 * 5-5 \mathrm{M}$ | TAKE-OUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening ) |  |  |  | After we rdbl for strength to a certain level |  |  |  |
| 2 multi: dbl =13-15 bal/17+; 2NT-16-19; $4 \mathrm{~m}=5-5 \mathrm{~m}+\bullet$ | May be light with good distribution |  |  |  | I MPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE |  |  |  |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS | Dbl is almost always take-out |  |  |  | Psychics: Very rare |  |  |  |
| Vs strong 1\&: dbl = strong hand; 1X = Nat | SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES |  |  |  | May choose to show single $\mathrm{A} / \mathrm{K}$ as no single |  |  |  |
| 1NT/2NT $=$ or $-2 \mathrm{X}=$ The suit above or next two suits | 1 NT (dbl(pen)) rdbl shows a weak one-suiter |  |  |  | Not strict about hcp ranges |  |  |  |
| Vs strong 2-1 : dbl = MM; 2X = nat; 2NT = any two-suits | No support dbls |  |  |  | Often transfers and 2NT as artificial in competition |  |  |  |
| OVER OPPONENTS' TAKE-OUT DOUBLE | Maximal doubles when no other bid available |  |  |  | 3rd hand openings may be light |  |  |  |
| TRF after 1\% - (dbl) |  |  |  |  | 1NT-(dbl(pen))-pass forces rdbl |  |  |  |
| TRF after 1M - (dbl) starts with 1NT showing 5+suit | $1 \times-(1)$ - $\mathrm{dbl}=4+$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rdbl $=$ strength |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


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| Open ing | $\begin{gathered} \text { Tick } \\ \text { if } \\ \text { Art } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Min } \\ \text { No } \\ \text { Cards } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { Neg } \\ \text { Dbl } \\ \text { Thru } \end{array}$ | Description | Responses | Subsequent Auction |
| 12 | X | 2 | 4, | a) 11-13bal (includes $5 \$ 2$ ) <br> b) 17-19bal (includes $5 * 2$ ) <br> c) 11-23 nat |  | ```Trfs are accepted with 11-13 BAL and some semibalanced hands 1*-1red - 1+red= 11-13NT (or some 11-15unbal 3v) 1% - 1red - 1NT= 17-19NT 1& - 1red - 3M= Typically min 5:4M(31) or 4:4M(41)``` |
| 1* |  | 4 | 4, | a) $5+11-23($ not $5 \star(332))$ <br> b) $4 \uparrow(441) 11-23$ <br> 1st/2nd always unbal or semibal <br> 3rd/4th may be balanced | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{M}=4+\mathrm{M} \mathrm{~F} 1 ; 1 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{Nat} 3-11 ; 2 \boldsymbol{2}=4+\boldsymbol{\mathrm { FG }} ; \\ & 2=3+0-9 ; 2 \mathrm{M}=6 \mathrm{M} 3-8 ; 2 \mathrm{NT}=4+\text { intrest in slam; } 3 \boldsymbol{m}= \\ & 4+10-14 ; 3=\text { PRE; } 3 \mathrm{M}=\text { Void SPL } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 14 |  | 5 | 4, | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline 5+\checkmark 11-23 \\ \text { May have } 4 \vee \text { in 3rd/4th } \end{array}$ |  |  |
| 14 |  | 5 | $4 \stackrel{1}{4}$ | Same as above | Same as above ( $2 \uparrow=5+\uparrow$ FG; 2 $\downarrow=8-113-4 \boldsymbol{\oplus}$ ) | Same as above |
| 1NT |  |  | 4, | 14-16bal May have 5 M or 6 m |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1NT- } 2 \boldsymbol{\bullet}: 2 \star=\text { no } 4 \mathrm{M} ; 2 \mathrm{M}=4+\mathrm{M} \\ & \text { 1NT- } 2 \mathrm{~A} / 2 \mathrm{NT}: 3 \boldsymbol{*} / \star=\text { likes } / \star \end{aligned}$ |
| 20 | X | 0 |  | a) $20-21 \mathrm{bal}$ <br> b) $F G \mu / \mathbf{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2=\text { Waiting. } 2 \downarrow \text { Any hand } 0-3.2 \wedge=55+\text { any suits, } \\ & 2 N T=A K Q x x \text { any suit, } 3 x=\text { TRF HHxxxx } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 2 | X | 2 | 4, | a) Weak (5)6-c M <br> b) FG | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 2 / 3 \mathrm{M}=\mathrm{P} / \mathrm{C} ; 2 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{F} 1 \text { ask; } 3 \mathrm{~m}=\mathrm{Nat} \mathrm{~F} 1 \\ & 4 \boldsymbol{*}=\text { transfer to your } \mathrm{M} ; 4 \boldsymbol{\mathrm { c }}=\text { bid your } \mathrm{M} \\ & 4 \mathrm{M}=\text { To play } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 2- | X |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { NV: } 4 \vee 5+\mathrm{m} 0-9 \\ & \text { V: } 6 \vee 10-13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{NV}: 2=5+\mathrm{F} 1 ; 2 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{INV}+\text { ask; } 3=\mathrm{P} / \mathrm{C} 3=\mathrm{INV} \text { in M } \\ & \mathrm{V}: 2 \boldsymbol{2}=\mathrm{F} 1 ; 2 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{INV}+\text { ask; } 3 \mathrm{~m}=\mathrm{Nat} \mathrm{~F} 1 ; 3 \downarrow=\text { PRE } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 24 | X |  |  | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l\|} \hline \text { NV: } 4+\mathrm{m} \\ \text { V: } 6-10-13 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  |  |
| 2NT |  |  | 4. | 22-24bal |  |  |
| 3X |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{NV}$, $3^{\text {rd }}$ free | New = F1; 3X-4\& = S/T; 3e-4* = S/T |  |
| 3NT | X |  |  | Solid minor | 4\& $=\mathrm{P} / \mathrm{C} ; 4 \mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Nat}$ | HI GH LEVEL BIDDI NG |
| 4\% |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{NV}, 3^{\text {rd }}$ free | $4 *=$ Nat FG; $4 \mathrm{M}=$ to play | 1430 (5NT = odd + void, 6X = even + void) |
| 4* |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{NV}, 3^{\text {rd }}$ free | $4 \mathrm{M}=$ to play; $4 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{RKCB} ; 5 \boldsymbol{s}=\mathrm{S} / \mathrm{T}$ | Voidwood, DOPI, DEPO |
| 4 |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{NV}, 3^{\text {rd }}$ free | 4 = to play; 4 NT = RKCB | Cue bids up the line $1^{\text {st }}$ or $2^{\text {nd }}$ |
| 4, |  | 6 |  | PRE aggressive $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{NV}$, $3^{\text {rd }}$ free | 4NT = RKCB | 4NT often 2 places to play, 5 NT often pick a slam |
| 4NT | X |  |  | Specific ace asking | 5 $=$ no Ace; $5 \leqslant / \mathrm{p} / \boldsymbol{\alpha}=$ that Ace; $5 \mathrm{NT}=\boldsymbol{*}$ Ace; $6 \mathrm{X}=2$ Aces | When FP pass and pull is S/T |

