

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING	
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)	
1-level 6-17 rarely 4-card	
2- level sound	
Suit responses F1 if 3 <sup>rd</sup> hand passes	
INT OVERCALL (2 <sup>nd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> Live; Responses; Reopening)	
2nd: 15-18 Stayman, transfers	
Reopen: 12-16 Stayman, transfers	
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)	
2x/3x weak except 2♦/3♣ 5-5 suit + highest	
2NT sound two suiter two lowest (reop. 19-21)	
Reopen: 6+ suit, 12-16	
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)	
2x = two suiter, both highest	
3m = two-suiter, both highest, strong	
3M = asking for stopper	
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)	
Vs strong D = 3+-3+ in majors, 4 + in one minor or 19+bal	
2♣ 4-5 ♥ + any other	
2♦ 4-5 ♠ + any other	
2M usually 6+ suit	
Vs weak D = strong	
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)	
T/O doubles (except vs 3♠/4♠: OPT)	
4m two-suiter (except vs 3♠: longer minor T/O)	
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣	
Vs. 1♣ D = both Majors	
1NT/2NT = both minor	
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE	
1NT good raise	
1♣ (D) RD shows ♦	

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	1st / 3rd / 5th	1st / 3rd / 5th	
NT	1st / 3rd / 5th	1st / 3rd / 5th	
Subseq	1st / 3rd / 5th	1st / 3rd / 5th	
Other: Vs NT sometimes 4th is lead when 3rd is a high small card			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AKx(+)	AK (+)	
King	AK, KQ(+),	AK, KQ(+),	
Queen	QJ(+)	QJ(+)	
Jack	J10(+)	J10(+)	
10	T9(+), KJT(+)	T9(+), KJT(+), AJ10(+)	
9	9x, HT9(+)	9x, HT9(+), 98(+)	
Hi-X	Xx, Xxxx	Xx+	
Lo-X	xxX, xxxxX	xxX, xxxxX	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Hi = discrg	Hi/Lo = odd	Hi = discrg
Suit 2	Hi/Lo = odd	Suit preference	Hi/Lo = odd
3	Suit preference		Suit preference
1	Hi = discrg	Hi/Lo = odd	Hi = discrg
NT 2	Hi/Lo = odd	Suit preference	Hi/Lo = odd
3	Suit preference		Suit preference
Signals (including Trumps):			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Opening values, 3+ M unless 17+, Resp dbl 8+ hcp			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Most low level doubles = T/O			
1♣ (D) RD shows ♦			

W B F CONVENTION CARD	
CATEGORY: Red	
NCBO:	Sweden
PLAYERS:	Johnny Östberg –Tommy Bergdahl
EVENT	Senior
SYSTEM SUMMARY	
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE	
Two-way 1♣: 11–13 (14) BAL <u>or</u> 16+ any distribution	
5 card majors 11-15	
1NT = 14-16 (in 3/4 pos 15-17)	
2/1 GF except when suit rebid directly	
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE	
Two-way 1♣: 11–13(14) BAL <u>or</u> 16+ any distribution	
2♦ Multi, weak 2M only. VUL 6-c 6-9, NV 5+c 4-9	
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES	
IMPORTANT NOTES	
4414 11-15 has no systemic opening bid	
PSYCHICS: Rare (occasional weak openings in 3rd position)	

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣	yes	0	3♠	11-13 (semi)BAL, 11-14 in 3/4 or 16+ any	1♦ 0-7, OP may pass 1M 8+, 4+ suit 1NT 8-11, 2NT 12-13, 3NT 14-18, no M 2♣/♦ 8-12 NF no M 2♥ ART 14+ with ♣/18+ BAL/weak 6+♠ 2♠ ART 14+ with ♦/14-17 BAL	1♣-1♦; 1M two-way, others strong NAT 1♣-1M; 1♠ two-way, 1NT/2♠ weak 1♣-1M; 2♣ clubs/diamonds/ bal, strong 1♣-1M; 2♦ 12-13 nice hand 4-support M 1♣-1M; 2NT strong, support	After comp: Transfers 8+
1♦		4	3♠	11-15, 5+ or 4441 or 4-5 m, not bal	2♦ 10+, 4+♦, 3♦ 4-9, 4+♦	1♦-2♦; new shortness	1♦ (bid) 2♦ 3+ support, weak
1♥/1♠		5	3♠	11-15 5+	Supp: 3♣ 4+ 7-11, 3♦ 3-c 10-12, 3♥ 4+ 4-7 2NT GF 3+	1M - 1♠/NT; 2M 6-card not min	Reverse Drury
1NT			3♠	14-16 (semi)BAL, 15-17 in 3/4	Staym, TRF, 2♠ clubs or INV diamonds, 3♣ diamonds weak/GF, 3♦ one M INV 3M short, both m, 4m TRF to 4M		After ART DBL or 2♣ (not both M): SYSON, else TRF LEB
2♣		5	3♠	11-15, 6+ or 5-c & 4-c M	2♦ ask, INV+ 2♥/♠ 5 + forcing		
2♦	yes	0		Weak 2M. NV 4-9, 5+ suit VUL: 6-9, 6+ suit	2♥/♠ & 3♥ pass/correct 2NT ART, INV+ VUL 3m NAT F1, 3♠ 6+ GF	2♦-2NT; 3♣ max w hearts 3♦ max w spades 3M min	Over D: pass = diamonds, RD = bid 2♥ 2M = P/C, 3m = NF
2♥/♠		6		10-12, 6+	2NT ART INV+ New suit NAT F1		
2NT				20-22	3♣ Stayman, 3♦/♥ = transfer, 3♠ minors, 4m TRF to 4M, 4M S/I ♣/♦		
3♣/3♦ 3♥/3♠		6		PRE	3♣-3♦ ask 3♦-4♣ ask		
3NT	yes			Solid M,	4♣ ask for singleton 4♦ how many?		
4♣/♦		7		PRE			
4♥/4♠		6		PRE			
4NT	yes			Both m			
						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
						RKCB 0314 (DEPO), Voidwood Control bids 1 <sup>st</sup> /2 <sup>nd</sup> , Last Train	

Sweden Seniors :