Defensive and Competitive Bidding

Overcalls (Style; Responses; Reopening)

1-level: Light 2-level: Sound

Responses: 1- and 2-level F1 if next hand pass, 2-level constructive if next hand bids, cue-bid is a good raise in overcaller's suit.

1 NT overcall (2ND/4TH; Responses; Reopening)

15-18 HCP.

NT-system on.

Jump Overcalls (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

1-Suit: Light jump overcalls 2-Suit: 2NT = 2 lowest suits (5+-5+) weak/strong

Direct and Jump Cue Bids (Style; Responses)

Over m: Both Majors (5+-5+) Over M: Other Major + m (5+-5+)

VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopen: PH)

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DBL = Same strength as opener 2 = both Majors (at least 4-4) 2 / < = Natural (at least 5 cards) 2NT = both minors (at least 5-5) 3x = Preemptive

VS. Preempts (Doubles; Cue bids; Jumps; NT bids)

Natural

2 NT = 15-18 with stopper in oponents suit DBL = Takeout

VS. Artificial Strong Openings (1 &/2 &)

Natural and Preempts

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VS. 2 🔶 Multi

DBL = Takeout against spades or strong 2 NT = (15)16-18 HCP, (semi)balanced

Leads and Signals								
	Opening Leads	Style						
	Lead		In Partner's Suit					
Suit	Encrg/Discrg		Encrg/Discrg					
NT	Encrg/Discrg		Encrg/Dis	crg				
Subseq								
Leads								
Lead	Vs. Suit		Vs. NT					
Ace	AKx(x)		AK(x)					
King	AK, KQ(x)		KQ(x), AKQ(x), AKJ10(x)					
Queen	QJ(x)		QJ(x), HQJx(x), KQ109(x)					
Jack	J10(x), KJ10(x)		J10(x), HJ10(x)					
10	109(x), H109(x)		109(x), H109(x)					
9	9x		9x, 98(x)					
Hi-X	Even number		xx, xxx, xxxx(x)					
	Signals in order	of pri	iority					
	Partners lead	Decla	arer	Discarding				
Suit:	Encrg/Discrg	None		Encrg/Discrg				
2 nd	Lavinthal	None		None				
3 rd	None	None		None				
NT:	Encrg/Discrg	None		Encrg/Discrg				
2 nd	None	None		None				
3 rd	None	None		None				
Signals (including Trump's): Attitude: Low-Hi = Encrg Hi-Low = Discrg (If we give count: Low-Hi = odd number Hi-Low = even number)								
D	oubles							
Takeout Doubles (Style; Responses; Reopening)								
Light style, also reopenings								
	Special, Art and	Com	p Dbl/Rdbl	ľs				
Neg, support x up to 2 hearts 1♣ - (1♦) – DBL shows both Majors.								
1m - (1♥) - DBL shows 4♠,								
$1m_{-}(1 \wedge) - db = 1 + m_{-}$								

1m- (1♠) – dbl = 4+♥



Opening	Art	Min.#	Neg. D. thru		Solveig Dræge – Sienna Vedå Vangdal NOR U16 Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1*		3	3▲	(10)11-21 HCP, 3+♣	$1 \neq / \neq A = 6+$ HCP and 4+ cards in the suit 1 NT = 6-10 (11) HCP (no majors) $2 \neq = 10+$ HCP, $5+ \neq (no M)$, $3 \neq = 6-9$ HCP, $5+ \neq 2 \neq / \neq A = Preemptive$, 6 card suit, $3-5$ HCP 2 NT = 11-12 HCP, $3 NT = 13-15$ HCP $3 \neq / \neq A =$ Shortness, INV+, $5+ \neq A$	xyz-NT : 2♣=sign off in ◆ OR INV, 2♦=GF Artificial	
1•		3	3♠	(10)11-21 HCP , 3+ ◆	1 ♥/♠ = 6+ HCP and 4+ cards in the suit 1 NT = 6-10 (11) HCP (no majors). 2♣= 11+ HCP Nat or bal, 4 (3)+♣ 2♦ = 10+ HCP, 5+♦ (no M), 3♦= 6-9 HCP, 5+♦ 2♥/♠ = Preemptive, 6 card suit, 3-5 HCP 2 NT = 11-12 HCP, 3 NT = 13-15 HCP 3♣/♥/♠ = Shortness, INV+, 5+♦	xyz-NT : 2♣=sign off in ◆ OR INV, 2♦=GF Artificial	
1 🗸		5	3♠	(10)11-21 HCP , 5+♥	1 ▲ = 6+ HCP and 4+ cards, 1 NT = 6-11 HCP 2 ▲= 11+HCP Nat or 3 (4)+♥, 2 ◆= Nat GF, 4+♦ 2 ♥ = 6-9 HCP, 3+♥, 3♥= 6-9 HCP, 4+♥ 2 NT = Jacoby, GF with 4+♥ 3 NT = 13-15 HCP 4♥ = Preemptive	1 ♥-2NT, 3 ♣/ ♦/ ♠ = Natural, 15+HCP 1 ♥-2NT, 3 ♥ = 15+HCP, 6+ ♥ 1 ♥-2NT, 3NT = 18-19 HCP Bal 1 ♥-2NT, 4 ♥ =Minimum (<15 HCP) 1 ♥-2NT, 4 ♣/ ♦/ ♠ = void	After 3 rd and 4 th hand major openings: 2 4 = 3+ card support and invitational
1 🛦		5	3♠	(10)11-21 HCP , 5+ ▲	Similiar as for 1♥	Similiar as for 1 •	Similiar as for 1 •
1 NT			3♠	15-17 HCP May have 5c M, 6c m	2♣=Stayman, 2♦/2♥/ = Transfer to 2♥/2♠ 2♠ = Minor Stayman, 2 NT = Inv to game 3♣/3♦/3♥/3♠/ = Inv to game, solid suit (normally 2 TH)		
2*	~			Strong, HCP (20+) OR tricks	2 ◆ =Weak OR waiting, 2M=GF 5+,3m=GF 5+		
2•		6	X	Weak 2, (5)6-9(10) HCP, 6+♦	2NT= Ask for shortness. 3♦= preemptive New suit = Natural (5+) and forcing	2 ← -2NT, 3 ♣/♥/♠ = Shortness 2 ← -2NT, 3 ← = Minimum, no shortness 2 ← -2NT, 3NT = Maximum, no shortness	
2♥		6	X	Weak 2, (5)6-9(10) HCP, 6+♥	2NT= Ask shortness 3♥= preemptive New suit = Natural (5+) and forcing	Similiar as for 2	
2♠		6	Х	Weak 2, (5)6-9(10) HCP, 6+ A	2NT= Ask shortness 3♠= preemptive New suit = Natural (5+) and forcing	Similiar as for 2 •	
2 NT				20-21 HCP	3♣ = Stayman, 3♦/3♥ = Transfer to ♥/♠, 3♠ = both minors		
Зx		7 (6)	Х	PRE, ACC to VUL	New suit = Forcing,3NT= To play		
3NT	~			Solid minor, gambling	4 ♣ =p/c, 5 ♣ =p/c	High Level Bidding	
4♣/4♦		7-8	Х	PRE, ACC to VUL	4 v ▲ =To play, 4NT=BW	RKCB (0314)	
4♥,♠		7-8	х	PRE, ACC to VUL	4 ▲ =To play	Cuebids (Italian style)	
4NT	V			PRE, 55+ m			