




<b>DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING</b>
<b>OVERCALLS (Style; Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening)</b>
6-16 aggressive at 1-level
Responses: new suit F1
2NT = Nat inv
Cuebid = Good raise
Jump cue = about 8+ 4+ supp
Sound on 2-level 5+suit
<b>1NT OVERCALL (2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Live; Responses; Reopening)</b>
15-18 sys on
4 th live 15-18 sys on
Reopen: 11-14 sys on or 11-16 sys off (11-16 vs 1m)
<b>JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)</b>
2M = preemptive (Exceptions: (1♣ neb) – 2♦ = 5/5M)
(1M) – 3♣ = 5/5 oM+♦
2NT = 5-5 two lowest unbid
Reopen: 2M 6+M 10-13; 2NT 19-21 bal sys on
<b>DIRECT &amp; JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)</b>
(1M) – 2M = 5-5 oM+♣
(1m) – 2m = 5-5 M's
(2M) – 3M = ♣+♦
(1m neb) – 2m = nat
<b>VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)</b>
Dbl = strength; 2♣ = MM; 2♦= a) weak M b) strong M+m
2M = Nat (better than 2♦) 2NT = both m's
By PH: dbl= ♠+any suit; 2m = m+♥; 2M = nat
<b>VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)</b>
Dbl = T/O; (2/3M) – 4m = 5-5 m+oM (Exception after 3♠)
Vs 3 ♠ : 4 ♣ = ♦ + ♥, 4 ♦ = ♥, 4 ♥/♠ = ♥ + ♣ NF/F
(3m) – 4♣ = 5-5 om+M; 4♦ = 5-5 M
2♦ multi: dbl=13-15 bal/17+; 2NT=16-19; 4m = 5-5 m+♥
<b>VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣</b>
Vs strong 1♣: dbl = strong hand; 1X = Nat
1NT/2NT = ♣ or ♦-♥; 2X = The suit above or next two suits
Vs strong 2♣/♦: dbl = M's; 2X = nat; 2NT = any two-suits
<b>OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE</b>
New suit is F1
TRF after 1M - (dbl) starts with 1NT showing 5+suit
Rdbl = strength

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3/5	3/5	
NT	3/5	3/5	
Subseq	3/5 (always in p suit)	3/5	
2/4 through declarer in untouched suits			
Other: K asks for count against 5-level and higher			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AKQ+ AKx+ Ax	AKx+ Ax	
King	KQJ+ KQT+ KQ+ AK	KQ+ Kx AKQx+	
Jack	JT9+ JT+ Jx	JT9+ JT+ Jx	
10	HJT Tx	HJT+ T9x	
9	HT9+ KJ9+ 9x	HT9+ 9x	
Hi-X	Xx, xxXx xxXxxx	Xx, xxXx xxXxxx	
Lo-X	xxX xxXx xxxxxX	xxX, xxXx, xxxxxX	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
Suit 1	Low = enc	Low = even	Low = enc
2	Low = even	S/P	Low = even
3	S/P		S/P
NT 1	Low = enc	Low = even	Low = enc
2	Low = even	S/P	Low = even
3	S/P		S/P
Signals (including Trumps): Lavintahl			
High-low = Discouraging or odd. Low-high = Encouraging or even			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
May be light with good distribution			
Dbl is almost always take-out			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLs			
1 NT (dbl(pen)) rdbl shows a weak one-suiter			
Maximal doubles when no other bid available			
1♣-(1♠)-dbl = Take-out (very often 4♥)			
No support dbls			

W B F CONVENTION CARD	
CATEGORY:	  
NCBO: SWEDEN	
PLAYERS: Simon Hult Adam Stokka	
SYSTEM SUMMARY	
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE	
Generally sound openings, preempts may be (very) light	
1♦ = 3+ (with 44 in m)	
1M = 11+ 5+M	
1NT = 14-16bal (10-13 green vs red in 1st/2nd/3rd seat)	
2♣ = 17-18NT	
2♦ = Any FG/22-24NT	
2M = 4-9, (5)6+suit	
2NT = 19-21	
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE	
2♣ 17-18NT	
2♦ Any FG/22-24NT	
1♣-2♦ = 5+♣, G/T+	
1NT = (9)10-13 green vs red in 1st/2nd/3rd seat (may be 6331,5431, 4441)	
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES	
In game force situations	
After we rdbl for strength to 2S	
IMPORTANT NOTES	
Psychics: rare	
May choose to show single A/K as no single	
Not strict about hcp ranges	
3rd hand openings may be light	
1NT-(dbl(pen))-pass forces rdbl	
1NT-(dbl(pen))-rdbl forces 2C	

OPENING	TICK IF	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG. DBL	Adam Stokka- Simon Hult			SWEDEN U26	
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION		
1♣	X	3	4♠	a) (11) 12-13(14)bal b) 11-23nat	1♦ may be 3 if less than bal inv. 1♥/♠ = nat; 1NT = G/T to 3NT; 2♣ = 5+ ♣ 5-10; 2♦=5+♠, G/T+; 2M = 6+M 3-8; 2NT = 55+m's NF vs 12-14NT; 3♣ = Preemptive; 3♦/M = 5+♠, splinter	1♣ - 1x - 1M = 5+♠, 4+M 1♣ - 1x - 1NT = (11)12-13(14)NT (may contain 4M) 1♣ - 1M - 3M = Typically min 5♦4M(31) or 4♦4M(41)		
1♦		3	4♠	Only 3 if 4432	1M = 4+M F1; 1NT = Nat (0)3-11; 2♣ = 4+♣ FG; 2♦ = 4+♦ 0-9; 2♥ = 5+♦, GF; 2NT = bal inv; 3♣ = 4+♦ 10-12; 3♦ = PRE; 3M = Void SPL	1♦-1♥: 1♠=4+♠ F1; 1NT= (11) 12-13NT, may have 4sp; 2♣=Nat; 2♦= Nat; 2♥=Nat; 2♠=6+♦ 17+; 2NT= 4♥ 16+ 18+; 3♣ = 5/5m's, FG 1♦-1♠: 1NT = nat bal; 2♥=Nat; 2♠=Nat; 2NT= 4+♠ 16+ 3♣ = 5/5m's, FG; 3♥= 4+♠ 16+ 1♦-1NT: 2♣ = Nat F1; 3♣ = Nat NF		
1♥		5	4♠	5+♥ 11-23 May have 4♥ in 3rd/4th	1♠ = 4+♠ F1; 1NT = Nat (0)3-11; 2♣ = (3)4+♣ FG/10-12 3-cards support; 2♦ = 4+♦ FG; 2♥ = 6-9 3-4♥; 2♠ = 6+♠ 3-8; 2NT=4+♥ INV+; 3m=Nat INV; 3♥=0-8; 3♠= Any void 12-14	1M-1X: 2♣ = 11-15(nat) or 16+ any; 2NT = 6+M 4+m 15+; 3m = 5/5 13-15; 3♥ = 5/5 13-15; 3M=7+M mild invite 1M-2NT: 3♣=Min any; 3♦= No SPL; 3♥/ ♠/3NT=SPL ♠/♦/oM		
1♠		5		Same as above	Same as above (2♥ = 5+♥ FG; 2♠ = 6-9 3-4♠)			
INT			4♠	14-16bal/10-13 non vul vs vul May have 5M or 6m	2♣ = Stayman; 2♦/2♥/2♠/2NT = TRF; 3♣ = FG both m's 3♦ = 6+M INV; 3M = 0-1M(54mm) FG; 4♠/♦ = TRF to 4♥/♠	1NT-2♣: 2♦ = no 4M; 2M = 4+M 1NT-2♠/2NT: 3♣/♦ = likes ♣/♦		
2♣	X	0		17-18 Bal	2♦/♥/♠ = TRF; 2NT = 6+♠, 3♣ = 6+♦ we always take transfer. Can jump to 3M. 3♦= 55+mm GF			
2♦	X	0	4♠	Any GF / 22-24 bal	2♥=relay Other= Nat strong suit			
2♥		5		4-9	V: 2♠ = 5+♠ F1; NV: 2S not forcing 2NT = INV+ ask; NV 3m = Not forcing; V 3m=Nat F1 3♥ = PRE			
2♠		5		4-9	2NT = INV+ ask; V3♣/♦/♥ = Nat F1; 3♠ = PRE NV 3m= not forcing			
2NT			4♠	19-21 Bal	3♣ = Mod Puppet; 3♦/3♥/3♠/4♠/4♦ = TRF 3NT=nat	2NT-3♣: 3♦=one or both 4cM; 3♥=no M; 3♠ = 5+♠; 3NT = 5+♥		
3♣		6		PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free	New = F1; 4♦ = S/T w supp			
3♦		6		PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free	New = F1; 4♠ = S/T w supp			
3♥		6		PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free	New = F1; 4♠ = S/T w supp			
3♠		6		PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free	New = F1; 4♠ = S/T w supp			
3NT	X			Solid minor	4♣ = P/C; 4M = Nat			
4♣		6		PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free	4♦ = Nat FG; 4M = to play			
4♦		6		PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free	4M = to play; 4NT = RKCB; 5♠ = S/T w supp			
4♥		6		PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free	4♠ = to play(NV); 4NT = RKCB			
4♠		6		PRE aggressive 1st NV, 3rd free	4NT = RKCB			
4NT	X			Specific ace asking	5♠ = no Ace; 5♦/♥/♠ = that Ace; 5NT=♣ Ace; 6X=2Aces			
						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING		
						1430 (5NT = odd + void, 6X = even + void)		
						Voidwood, DOPI, DEPO		
						Cue bids up the line 1st or 2nd		
						4NT often 2 places to play, 5NT often pick a slam		
						When FP pass and pull is S/T		