

# CONVENTION CARD

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING	
<b>OVERCALLS — General Style: 8-17 (4)5+ cards</b>	
Responses	PRE raises, transfers from cue to raise
IN BAL. POS.	Maybe light with short opening suit
Responses	as above
<b>TAKE-OUT DOUBLE — General Style:</b>	
<b>10+ proper distribution or strong one-suiter</b>	
Responses	Limit bids, cue promises another bid
IN BAL. POS.	same
Responses	
<b>1NT OVERCALL</b>	Responses
2nd pos. 15-18	system on
4th pos. 12-15	system on
<b>JUMP OVERCALL — WEAK</b>	
Responses	Cue ART F1, shift F1
<b>UNUSUAL NT — two lowest unbid suits 5+5+, weak or strong</b>	
Responses	pre raises
<b>DIRECT CUE-BID —</b>	
<b>two-suiter with highest unbid + one lower, weak or strong</b>	
Responses	2NT; ask lower suit
<b>Vs. weak NT (max 15)</b>	Responses
DBL strong 2♣ onesuiter	2♦ P/C 2M own suit
2♦M's	2M toplay
2M 5+M & 4+m	
<b>Vs. strong NT — Millenium DONT</b>	
DBL: m or M's 2♣: C+higher 2♦: D+higher 2♥,♠ NAT, 2NT: ms	
<b>Vs. PRE-EMPTS</b>	
<b>2-Level:</b> Leaping Michaels;	
<b>3-Level:</b> X = T/O, <b>4-level:</b> X = Optional	
<b>Vs. ARTIFICIAL STRONG CLUB &amp; DIAMOND OPENING</b>	
X, 1♦, 1♥, 1♠ = good that or bad next suit; 1NT = majors	
2♣ = majors good hand; 2♦ = major; 2♥, ♠, NT = two-suiters	
<b>OVER OPPONENTS TAKE-OUT DOUBLE</b>	
RDBL: after 1st/2nd pos. opening 12+, after 3rd/4th pos. opening 9-11 bal	
2NT: raise INV+	

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS	SUIT	3th/5th	
	NT	3th/5th	
SUBSEQUENT LEADS		3th/5th	
Underline opening leads vs. no-trumps			
Bold leads against suit contracts if different			
<b>A</b> K	<u>K</u> Q	Q J	↓ 10
<u>A</u> K x	<b>K</b> <u>Q</u> x	Q J x	↓ 10 x
<u>A</u> K J x	<b>K</b> Q <u>x</u> x	Q J 10 9	↓ 10 9 8
<b>A</b> <u>K</u> J 10 x	<u>K</u> Q J x	<u>K</u> Q 10 x	K (↓) 10 9
<b>A</b> Q <u>↓</u> x	K J <u>10</u> x	<u>K</u> Q 10 9 x	K 10 9 8
<b>A</b> J <u>x</u> x	K <u>x</u> <u>x</u>	Q <u>x</u> <u>x</u>	J <u>x</u> <u>x</u>
K J <u>x</u> <u>x</u>	K <u>x</u> <u>x</u> x	Q <u>x</u> <u>x</u> x	J <u>x</u> <u>x</u> x
K <u>x</u> <u>x</u> <u>x</u> x	K <u>x</u> <u>x</u> <u>x</u> x	Q 10 <u>9</u> x	J <u>x</u> <u>x</u> <u>x</u> x
10 x	10 9	10 9 x	10 x x
9 8 x	x x	x x x	x x x x
SAME LEADS IF OUR SIDE SHOWED SUIT: <b>yes</b>			
<b>SIGNAL WHEN FOLLOWING SUIT OR DISCARDING</b>			
USE: 1 = ODD NO. OF CARDS, 2 = EVEN NO. OF CARDS			
D = DISCOURAGING, E = ENCOURAGING, S = SUIT PREFER.			
BRACKET THE SIGNALLING SYMBOL WHEN RARELY USED			
CARDS			
SUIT	On partner's lead	high = D (1), low = E (2)	
	On declarer's lead	high = 1, low = 2	
	First discard	odd = E, even = S	
NT	On partner's lead	high = D (1), low = E (2)	
	On declarer's lead	high = 1, low = 2	
	First discard	odd = E, even = S	
Against NT, K lead is strong asking unblocking Smith			

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

NAMES OF PLAYERS:	
Pia Erkkilä - Raija Tuomi	
FINLAND	
♠	♥
♦	♣
SYSTEM SUMMARY	
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE	
<b>MAGIC DIAMOND</b>	Category: <b>blue</b>
Different openings in 1st/2nd and 3rd/4th position	
1st/2nd pos 1M: 8-11 unbal or 5332; transfer responses	
1st/2nd pos 2m: 8-11 unbal	
1NT 12-14 in 1st/2nd pos, 15-17 in 3rd/4th pos	
SPECIAL OPENINGS AND RESPONSES THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE	
OPENINGS	DESCRIPTION
1st/2nd pos	
1♠	12-16 any unbal or (5332) or 15-17 bal
1♦	17+ any unbal or 18+ bal
1M	8-11 4+c unbal or 5332, maybe longer m
2m	8-11 5+c unbal, no 4c M
	transfer responses
COMPETITIVE BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE	
SPECIAL ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES	
Responsive DBL thru 3♦	
Snapdragon	
NOTES THAT DON'T FIT IN ELSEWHERE	
Psychic bids rare	



OPE-NING BID	tick if art	min n:o of cards	neg dbl thru	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	MODIFICATIONS OVER COMPETITION AND WITH PASSED PARTNER
PASS				1st/2nd pos: 0-7 unbal or 0-11 bal 3rd/4th pos: 0-11 (12)			
1♣	x	0	3♦	1st/2nd pos: 15-17 bal or 12-16 (any unbal or (5 in a major 332)) 3rd/4th pos: 12-14 bal	1♦: 0-7(8) or FG, 1M: 8-11 4+ cards 1NT: 9-12 bal, 2m: 8-11 5+ cards 1♠: 0-7 any, 1M: 8-11 4cards, 1NT: 8-11bal	1♣-1♦, 1M/2m: 12-16 unbal 1♣-1♦, 1NT: 15-17 bal	1♣-(1/2X)-DBL: 6-11(12) bal 1♣-(1/2X)-2/3X: GF with a bal hand 1♣-(1/2any)-NT,♣,♦: transfers
1♦	x	0	3♦	17+ any unbal or 18+bal (except 21-22bal)	1♥: 0-7, 1♠: 8+ no 5M (except 5332) or 6m, 1NT: 8+ 5♥, 2♣: 8+ 5♠, 2♦: 8+ 6♣, 2♥: 8+ 6♦, 2♠: 8+ 55ms, 2NT: 11-12 3-suiter	1♦-1♥, 2♣: FG, M(s) or bal 1♦-1♥, 2♦: ms or 22-23 bal 1♦-1♥, 2♠: (3)4♥ + longer m	1♦-(1/2any)-DBL: 6+ 1♦-(1/2any)-suit bid: 7+ 5+cards
1♥	(x)	4	3♦	1st/2nd pos: 8-11, 4+cards, unbal or 5332, may have a longer minor 3rd/4th pos: (10)11-16, 4+cards, unbal or 5332, may have a longer minor	1♠: nat F1, 1NT, 2♣, 2♦: transfers, pre raises, 2NT: raise INV+ 1♠: nat F1, 1NT: 6-9 no 3♥, 2♣: 9-11 no 3♥, 2♦: 9-11 3+♥, 2NT: 10-11 & 4-5 controls	accepting transfer: neutral bid 1♥-2NT, 3♣: min	responder's suit bid: NF
1♠	(x)	4	3♦	1st/2nd pos: 8-11, 4+cards, unbal or 5332, may have a longer minor 3rd/4th pos: (10)11-16, 4+cards, unbal or 5332, may have a longer minor	1NT, 2♣, 2♦: transfers, pre raises, 2NT: raise INV+ 1NT: 6-9 no 3♠, 2♣: 9-11 no 3♠, 2♦: 9-11 3+♠, 2NT: 10-11, AAK or AKK	accepting transfer: neutral bid 1♠-2NT, 3♣: min	responder's suit bid: NF
1NT			3♦	1st/2nd pos: 12-14 bal 3rd/4th pos: 15-17 bal	2♣: ask, 2♦: 5+♥, 2♥: 5+♠: 2♠: 6+♣ or ms, 2NT: ms to play 3m or GF-, 3♣: 6+♦	1NT-2♣, 2any-2NT: inv, doesn't promise a 4 card M	1NT-(2any)-2NT,3♣,3♦: transfers
2♣	(x)	5	3♦	1st/2nd pos:8-11, 5+♣&4+♦ or 6+♣, no 4M 3rd/4th pos: (10)11-16, 5+♣&4+♦ or 6+♣, no 4M	2♦: ask, 2M: constr NF,2NT transfer, pre raises	2♣-2♦, 2♥: ms 5/4, 2♠: min, 2NT: max	responder's suit bid: NF
2♦	(x)	5	3♦	1st/2nd pos: 8-11, 5+♦&4+♣ or 6+♦, no 4M 3rd/4th pos: (10)11-16,5+♦&4+♣ or 6+♦, no 4M	2M: constr NF, 2NT: ask, 3♣ transfer pre raises	2♦-2NT, 2♣ms 5/4, 3♦: min, 3♥: max	responder's suit bid: NF
2M		(5)6		1st/2nd pos: weak, 0-7(8), (5)6+cards 3rd pos: weak, 0-10, (5)6+cards 4th pos: 11-14, 6 cards, good suit	2NT: ask, pre raises		
2NT				21-22 bal	3♣ art tra, 3♦ asking majors	<b>SLAM APPROACH AND CONVENTIONS</b> (including all slam-interest bids)	
3♣		(6)7		nat pre, 1st/2nd pos: 0-7(8) hcp	shift: F1, pre raises, 4♦: RKCBP	cuebids showing either first or second round controls	
3♦		(6)7		nat pre 1st/2nd pos: 0-7(8) hcp	shift: F1, pre raises, 4♠: RKCBP	RKCB (0/3, 1/4, 2 w/o Q, 2 w Q)	
3♥		(6)7		nat pre 1st/2nd pos: 0-7(8) hcp	shift: F1, 4♣: RKCBP	Splinterbids	
3♠		(6)7		nat pre 1st/2nd pos: 0-7(8) hcp	shift: F1, 4♠: RKCBP	DIPO, RIPO	
3 NT				pre-empt in a minor 4th pos: To play, undefined	4♣: P/C, 4♦: ask spl		
4♣				strong 4♥ opening	Relay pos	<b>NAMES OF PLAYERS</b> Pia Erkkilä - Raija Tuomi FINLAND	
4♦				strong 4♠ opening	Relay pos		
OTHERS							