DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening)
Nat but somewhat aggressive style based on vulnerability.
2N after 1M overcall = 4card raises exc: 1x-1M-p-2N=Nat
1M-(dbl) – transfers
1 ♥-(1♠)-transfers
1NT OVERCALL (2 nd /4 th Live; Responses; Reopening)
15-18 system on
Reopening vs 1m 10-15, vs 1M 11-16 - 2♣ asks about strength+M
cue=GF, other nat

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

Weak NV but generally sound, based upon vulnerability, (Ghestem)

... transfers if 3rd hand dbl 2M

Reopen: Intermediate

DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)

(1♣)-2♣=Nat / (1♦)-2♦= 5+♠,5+♥ / (1♥)-2♥=♣+♣ / (1♠)-2♠=♥+♣ (1♠)-3♣=♣+♦ (Ghestem)

(1♦) - 3♦=stopper asking if 3+, Nat weak

VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening; PH)

strong: dbl=♠+another suit, 2♣♦=nat+♥, 2M=nat, 2N=m's

weak: dbl=nat, 2♣=Landy, 2♦=good+ M overcall, 2M=nat, 2N=m's

strong defense always if passed hand

14-16 we play weak NT def.. 15-17 we play strong NT def

Rule is if 1N average is over 15 then strong def

VS.PREEMTS (Doubles: Cue-bids: Jumps: NT Bids)

3♣-4♣-M's, (3M) 4♣-M+♦, 4♦=M, 4Mcue-m's better, 4M-M+♣ (2M)-3M=stopper asking or strong m's, 4m=5+m 5+OM (3M)-Sundelin

VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1. or 2.

Vs 1♣: dbl=M's, 1N=minors, 2♦=5+5+ M's, 2N=more minors

Vs 2♣: dbl=M-s, 2N=minors

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

1M-(dbl)-transfers, 3x under M=mixed raise rdbl 10+

LEADS AND SIGNALS OPENING LEADS STYLE			
Suit	2/4/(6)	2/4	
NT	Attitude	1-3	
Subseq	1-3, att-ish vs NT, (2-4)		

Other: generally 2/4th through declarer (attitude-ish), including honours We may not want to spare 2nd highest card: 9,10,J, so may break leadrule

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	AKx+	attitude/ count if dummy xxx
King	KQ(x+), (AK) $AKx(xx)$	Strong ask for count/unblock
Queen	QJ(x+), AQJ(x)+	QJ(x+)/KQ(x+)/AQJ(x+)
Jack	J10(x+) / Jx / KJ10(x+) KJx	J10(x+) / KJ10(x+)
10	10x / A/K/Q109(x+) H10x	109(x+)/A/K/Q109(x+)
9	109x / H9x	9x(x+) / A/K/Q/J98(x+)
Hi-X	2/4	Attitude
Lo-X	2/4, lo-hi w/2 if 9x or lower	Attitude

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Attitude	count / SP attitude	
Suit 2	SP	SP / count	Attitude (count)
3	Count		
1	attitude / count	SP / count	attitude
NT 2			
3			

Signals (including Trumps): hi-lo in trumps usually interested in ruff, otherwise SP (possibly count).. We always play UDCA except Standard count/attitude on ace lead trick one.

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)

relatively liberal style, ELC

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS

stopper asking dbl,

I want to bid more dbl's (progressive dbl's) by opener on the second round Of bidding.

W B F CONVENTION CARD

CATEGORY: NCBO: Iceland

PLAYERS: Jón Baldursson-Sigurbjörn Haraldsson

SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

Natural 3+2, 3+4, 5+Majors, 15-17 no-trump

3rd seat openings can be rarely (very) light, vul based

No trump hands can possibly incl (usually H) singleton

Regular upgrades of balanced hands

Preemptive Style is sound AND mildly wild VUL based

Lots of transfers in competition

Points can be adjusted in any situation.

Judgment is allowed in any situation.

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

2•=Multi, w2 or GF in Major 2M when VUL/2nd=5M5+m, less than opening values 2M 1st and 3rd NV=5M4+m, less than opening values

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEOUENCES

IMPORTANT NOTES

PSYCHICS:Rare

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OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1 *		3	4♥	Nat	1 (2+) 1 (4+), 1N=8-10 2 (4-inverted), 2 (5+6), 2M=6c 8-11, 2N=invit, 3x=pre	1♣-1♦♥♠-2♦=2way, reverse or ♣ and strong 2way checkback	Same system
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1 ♦		3	4♥	Nat, only 3 when 4432	1♥♠=nat, 1N=5-10, 2♠=4+ GF, 2♥ =5+♠4+♥ (5-9), 2♠=5+♠4♥ INV, 2N=INV, 3♠=inv	1 - 2 - 2 way, + + - or + 1 - 1 - 2 - 2 way, reverse or +	2♣=6c constructive
1♥		5(4)	4 ♦	5+♥	semiF 1N, 2♣♦=4+GF, 2♠=6-7 constructive	1♥-1N-2N=6♥4+sidesuit good hand	Drury, 2N= 4c raise
=				Can be 4 in 3rd seat	2N=steinberg inv+, 3♣=mixed raise 3♣=any void	1M-1N-2♣=hexan	3♣◆=5+♣◆5+OM
1 🖍		5(4)	4♥	5+♠	3♦=3c raise ca 9-13, 4m=singleton	1 ▲-1N-2N=6 ▲4+sidesuit good hand	
INT			4♥	15-17	2♣=stayman, 2♦♥=xfer 5+(4+if GF) 2♠=range ask	2♣>2♦♥>2♠=invit 5-6♠	
				Can rarely include 5M/6m/short	Invit bal/♣/CONFIT, 2N=m's weak or ◆	2♦>2♥>2♦=any invit	
					3♣=puppetstayman, 3♦=5+5+m's GF, 3♥♣=short OM ca 1354/45, 4m=SA texas		
2♣		5	4♥	20-22bal/semibal or GF	2 → = ask, 2 → 3 → = weak to play vs 20-22, 2N = weak m's to play vs 20-22, 3 → N = 7 + undisclosed suit	2 . -2•-2 . =kokish	
2 •				Multi, w2 or GF with Major	2N=ask, 3♣=Ask OM, 3♦=ask m, 2/3♥♠=p/c	2 ♦-2 N-3 ♣♦=♥ ♠	
				-	4♣=transfer to your suit, 4♦=bid your suit		
2♥		5		5♥5m when VUL or 2 nd pos	2♠=NF, 2N=asking, 3♦=invit to 4♥		
				5♥4+m when NV 1 st and 3rd	3/4 ♣ =p/c		
2		5		Same as 2♥	Same as above		
				10-12 in 4 th seat			
2NT				22-24 bal/semibal	3♣=romex stayman, 3♦♥=xfer, 3♠=m's,		
· ·				2000	4x=transfer slamish		
3 .		6		nat 6-7	NAT		
3♦		6		nat 6-7	NAT		
3♥		6		nat 6-7	NAT, 4♣♦ = cue/nat		
3.		6		nat 6-7	NAT, 4♣♦ = cue/nat		
3NT				solid minor little else 1 st /2nd	4♣=P/C, 4♦=ask for shortness, 4M=TO PLAY		
4 ♣		7		nat	Nat, 4♦=rkcb		
4♦		7		nat	5♣=rkcb in ♦, 4N=Nat to play		
4♥		7		nat	4♠=to play, 4N=rkcb, 5m=cuebids		
4 🛦		7		nat	4N=rkcb, 5m=cue		
4NT				specific ace ask	5♣=0 aces, 5♦♥♠6♣=the ace in the bid suit, 5N=2		
5 .				nat		HIGH LEVEL B	IDDING
5♦				nat			
5♥						rkcb, cuebids, splinters, dopi-ropi-depo	
5 ^						4♦ kickback in ♣ fit > if bid past 4♦ then 4N is optional rkcb	
						♣ fit when opps have bid, cues up the line, 4N=optional RKCB	
<u> </u>						4♥ usually kickback in ♦ fit	