DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)

Natural 8-15 5+

1level:New suit=F1,2level:New suit NF,New suit Jump=Nat+fit

1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)

15+-18,

Raptor in 1x-P-1y – 1NT

reopening 10-14

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

1 suited: Preemptive,almost always 6 cards

2 suited: Michaels,1m-2♦ Majors,1M-2NT minors, 1m-2NT ♥ + m', 1M-3♣ M'+♦

Reopen: 11-13 usually 6+

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

1♠-2♣ = Nat, 1♠-3♣ = ♠ + ♦, 1♦-2♦ = majors, 1♦-3♦ = ask stopper

1♥-2♥ = ♠ + ♣, 1♠-2♣ = ♥ + ♣, 1M-3M ask stopper

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

X : ♣ or majors

2♣ = ♦

2♦ = 1 suiter M

2M = M/5, m/4+

2NT = minors

Over weak NT : X=pts, 2♣ = majors, rest=trf

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

T/O doubles

Jumps :natural constructive

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

Vs 1♣, 2♣ : x=T/O, rest = nat

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

Rdble=10+ penalty oriented

1M-(x)-2M-1 = sound raise in M, 2M = weak raise

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	Lead	*In* Partner's Suit
Suit	3/5	3/5
NT	3/5	3/5
Subseq	Same	Same

Other: 10, 9 : 0 or 2 Honours in NT

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	AK(x),	AK(x), A(x)
King	KQ(x), AK	3 honours (maybe AKJ (x))
Queen	QJ(x)	QJ10/9(x), ADV(x) or KQ(x)
Jack	KJ10(x), J10(x), Vx	J109/8(x), Jx
10	K109(x), 109(x), 10x	AJ10(x), KJ10(x), 109(x), 10x
9	98x, 9x	K109(x) ; Q109(x), 98(x), 9x
Hi-X	Even	Even
Lo-X	Odd	Odd

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Hi/lo=E	Hi/lo=E	Lavinthal
Suit 2	SP	SP	
3	H=disc		
1	H=disc	Smith Echo	Lavinthal
NT 2	Hi/lo=E	Hi/lo=E	
3	SP		

Signals (including Trumps):

Reverse Smith echo in NT : small confirms lead

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)

11+,sound limit responses

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS

Support dbl and rdbl under 2M

W B F CONVENTION CARD

CATEGORY:

NCBO: Belgium

PLAYERS: ORBAN Christine –

BERNARD Jean-Jacques.

STRUYAY Viviane !

SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

M/5, ♦/4, SA 15-17, 2/1 not GF

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

2♣ Semi forcing

2♦ GF

2M weak 2 in M

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

IMPORTANT NOTES

PSYCHICS: Rare

OPENING	Art	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL. THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		2	5♦	11-21 2+♣	1♠/♠ 6+HCP, Walsh style (may have longer ♦), 1NT 8-10	1♣-1♦-1NT=may have M/4	
1♦		4	5♣	11-21 4+♦	Natural		
1♥		5	4♠	11-21 5+♥	2NT Fit GF, 3♣ invit 4+♥, 3♦ invit 3♥, 3♥ Pre, 3♠/4♣/4♦ SPL 12-15, 4♥ Pre		
1♠		5	4♥	11-17 5+♠,5♠ 6♣/♦/♥ =OK	2NT Fit GF, 3♣ invit 4+♠, 3♦ invit 3♠, 3♠ Pre, 4x SPL 13-15, 4♠ Pre		
INT			4♦	15-17 Bal, 6m, 5m4M OK	2♣ Stayman (can be weak), 2♦/♥ Xfer		
2♣	√	0	4♥	Semi forcing	2♦-relay		
2♦	√	0		GF	2♥ relay		
2♥		5		♥/6+ 6-10	2NT ask F		
2♠		5		♠/6+ 6-10	2NT ask F		
2NT	√	0		20-21, M/5 possible	Puppet Stayman		
3♣		6		Pre 4332 rule			
3♦		6		Pre 4332 rule			
3♥		6		Pre 4332 rule			
3♠		6		Pre 4332 rule			
3NT				Gambling, solid m/7+			
4♣				Pre 4332 rule			
4♦				Pre 4332 rule			
4♥				Pre 4332 rule			
4♠				Pre 4332 rule			
4NT							
5♣				Pre 4332 rule		**HIGH LEVEL BIDDING**	
5♦				Pre 4332 rule		1st and 2nd rnd cues	
5♥						RKCB 413022+Q	
5♠							