| DEFENSIVE AND COMETITIVE BIDDING | LEADS AND SIGNALS |  |  |  | EBL Convention Card |  |  |
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| OVERCALLS(Style; Responses; $\mathbf{1 / 2 l e v e l ; ~ R e o p e n i n g ) ~}$ | OPENING LEADS STYLE |  |  |  |  |  | **** |
| can be light at the 1 -level with a good suit |  | Lead in |  | in Partner's Suit |  |  |  |
| sound 2 level overcalls except $2 \uparrow$ over 1 * | Suit | 1/3/5 1/3 |  | 1/3/5 | Category i.e. Green / Blue / Red / HUM / Brown Sticker: |  |  |
|  | NT | 1/3/5 |  | 1/3/5 | Country | Belgium |  |
|  | Subseq | 1/3/5 1/3 |  | 1/3/5 | Event: | All Events |  |
|  | Other: | Count: low-high= even |  |  | Players: | Van den hove Wouter - Bahbout Sam - Khon |  |
|  | On K count on AQ attitude |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening) | LEADS |  |  |  | SYSTEM |  |  |
| (15)16-18 direct seat, 10-13(14) balancing seat | Lead | vs.Suit ${ }^{\text {c }}$ |  | Vs. NT | GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE |  |  |
|  | Ace | $A K+$ Ax AK |  | AK+, Ax | 5*5*4*24 opening |  |  |
|  | King | KQ+, KX, AK+ |  | KQ + , KX, AK+ | $24=$ Weak with $5+*$ OR strong |  |  |
|  | Queen | Q ${ }^{+}+, \mathrm{Qx}, \mathrm{KQ}+\mathrm{C}$ |  | QJ + , Qx, , QQ+ | $2 *$ weak with 6* OR strong |  |  |
|  | Jack | $\mathrm{KJT}+$, JT+, Jx |  | KJT+, JT+, Jx | $2 \boldsymbol{*}$ weak with both Majors |  |  |
| JUMP OVERCALLS(Style; Responses; Unusual NT) | 10 | HT9+,T9+,TX,J10 HT |  | HT+, T9+, Tx, J10 | $20=$ weak |  |  |
| Weak jump overcalls | 9 | $98+, 9 \mathrm{x}, \mathrm{H98}(+)$ |  | 98+, $9 \times$, H98(+) | 1NT Openings: ( 14 )15-17 HCP |  |  |
| 2-Suit: 2NT shows lowest( $5+, 5+$ ) | Hi-x | HxLLx,xxLx,Lx Hx |  | HxLLx,xxLx,Lx | 2 OVER 1 Responses: $12+$ |  |  |
|  | Lo-x | HxxxL, HxL, $\times \times \times \mathrm{L}$ |  | HxxxL,HxL, ,xxL | SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE |  |  |
|  | SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY |  |  |  | 1*-(pass)-1* may be short if we have $*$ fit |  |  |
| DIRECT and JUMP CUE BIDS ( Style; Responses; Reopening) |  | Partner's Lead | Declarer's Lead | Discarding | $24=$ Weak with 5+* OR strong |  |  |
| 1 - $-24=$ both $\mathrm{M}(5+, 5+$ ) | Suit:1st | Attitude | count | odd= encouraging, even= lavinth | $2 \cdot=$ weak with $6 \bullet$ OR strong |  |  |
| $1+-2 t=$ both $M(5+, 5+)$ | 2nd | count | suit preference | count | 2 weak with both Majors |  |  |
| $1 \mathrm{M}-2 \mathrm{M}=0 \mathrm{M}+\boldsymbol{( 5 + , 5 + )}$ | 3 3rd | suit preference |  | suit preference | Transfers after $1 \mathrm{M}(\mathrm{x})$ |  |  |
| $1 \mathrm{x}-3 \mathrm{X}=$ solid suit, asks stopper to play 3 NT | NT: 1st | Attitude | count | odd= encouraging, even= lavir | 3NT= Gambling |  |  |
| vS. NT(vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH) | 2nd | count | suit preference | count |  |  |  |
| $\mathrm{x}=$ Penalty | 3 rd | suit preference |  | suit preference |  |  |  |
| $24=$ Both M $4+4+$ ) | Signals (including Trumps): |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $2=$ one M | count= low-high= even, smith low encouraging both sides |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $2 \mathrm{M}=5 \mathrm{M} 4+\mathrm{m}$ | A lead asks attitude, $K$ asks count, $Q$ asks attitude |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Doubles |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | TAKEOUT DOUBLES(Style;Responses;Reopening) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| VS.PREEMPTS( Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids) | can be lighter with good shape |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  | SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES |  |  |
| leaping michaels |  |  |  |  | when our stayman gets doubled |  |  |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS | SPECIAL,ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES |  |  |  | after (pre)sacrafices over our game |  |  |
| $\mathrm{X}=\boldsymbol{\bullet}, 1 \boldsymbol{1}=\boldsymbol{\oplus}, 1 \mathrm{M}=\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{m}$ | card showing double on bids with unkown suits(multi,weak NT,...) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $1 \mathrm{NT}=$ minors, $2 \boldsymbol{4}=$ Majors | support (re)doubles |  |  |  | IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE |  |  |
| $2 \bullet / \varphi / \varphi=$ short or long | Lightner doubles against hight contracts |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| OVER OPPonents' take out double |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Psychics: Rare |  |  |
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| OPEN | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{T} \text { TICK } \\ \text { IF } \\ \text { ART. } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { MIN NO. } \\ \text { OF } \\ \text { CARDS } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { NEG. } \\ & \text { DBL. } \\ & \text { THRU } \end{aligned}$ | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT AUCTION | PASSED HAND BIDDING |
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| 1* |  | 2 | $4{ }^{*}$ | 11+ 12 from 33 minor |  | 1*-2*; $2 \mathrm{x}=13+$ and values, $2 \mathrm{NT}=18-193+\ldots$ |  |
|  |  |  |  | Maybe 4441 in 3th/4th | $2 \boldsymbol{*}=10+5+\boldsymbol{*}$, $2 \mathrm{l}=9-11$ | 3s=11-13, 3x= 14-16 and short, 3NT=18-19 2* |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $2 \mathrm{NT}=11-12,3 *=6-9,3 \mathrm{x}=$ weak |  |  |
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| 1 • |  | 4 | $4 *$ | 11+ 1 ¢ from 44 minor | $2 \star=$ GF, $2 *=10+4+*, 2 \mathrm{M}=9-11$ | 1-2*; $2 \mathrm{M}=13+$ and values, $2 \mathrm{NT}=18-19$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 2NT= 11-12, 3* $6-9,3 \mathrm{M}=$ weak | $3 *=$ minimum, $3 \mathrm{x}=14-16$ and short, $3 \mathrm{NT}=$ to play |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1* |  | 5(4) | $4 *$ | 10+ can be lighter/shorter in 3th seat | 1NT= Semi - Focing | 3x shows 55 | 2NT $=10-114$ card support and |
|  |  |  |  |  | $2 \star=$ natural GF, $2 \bullet=$ GF | $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ strong relay | $3 *$ asks we answer up the line |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1-2NT; 3*- any single 3 ¢= any void |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $2 \mathrm{NLO}=\mathrm{GF}+\mathrm{Itt}, 3 \%=$ weak, $3 \mathrm{~m}=$ any vold $10-14,3 \mathrm{NT} / 4 \pi / 44=$ splinter 10-14 | $3 \mathrm{v}=18+\mathrm{BAL}, 3 \mathrm{~s}=15-17 \mathrm{BAL}, 3 \mathrm{NT}=11-14 \mathrm{BAL}, 4 \mathrm{~m}=55$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $1 *$ |  | 5(4) | $4 *$ | 10+ can be lighter/shorter in 3th seat | 1 NT = Semi - Focing | 3x shows 55 | 2NT $=$ 10-11 4 card support and shorness |
|  |  |  |  |  | 2*= natural GF, $2 \boldsymbol{*}=$ GF | $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ strong relay | 3* asks we answer up the line |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1*- 2 NT ; 3 * $=$ any singleton, $3 *=$ any void |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $2 \mathrm{NT}=\mathrm{GF}+\mathrm{fit}, 3 \times \mathrm{weak}, 3 \mathrm{NT} / 4 \pm / 4 \bullet=$ splinter $10-14$ | $3 \boldsymbol{r}=15-17 \mathrm{BAL}, 3 \pm=18+\mathrm{BAL}, 3 \mathrm{NT}=11-14 \mathrm{BAL}, 4 \mathrm{~m}=55$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 NT |  |  | $4 *$ | (14)15-17 HCP | 2 2 = stayman, could be weak |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 3*= short vat least $54 \mathrm{~m} ; 3 *=$ short $\uparrow$ at least 54 m |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $3 \mathbf{v}=4333 ; 3 ¢=3433,4 \boldsymbol{*}=$ both M slem try, 4*, both M for game |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2* | $\times$ | 0 |  | Weak with - | $2 *=$ to play, $2 \mathrm{M}=\mathrm{F} 1$ round, $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ strong relay |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | GF with M2Sulter, Semirorcing, GF 1 sulter M with bad swit | $3 ¢=$ F1, $3 \bullet=$ to play, 3M Natural GF |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 22-23 BAL, 27-28 BAL |  |  |  |
| $2 \cdot$ | x | 0 |  | Weak with 6 - | $2 \mathbf{v}=\mathrm{TP}, 2 \boldsymbol{2}=\mathrm{F} 1,2 \mathrm{NT}=$ strong relay |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | GF with 1 suiter, 24-26 BAL | 3*=F1, 3* $=$ F1, 3v $=$ to play, 3*= GF Natural |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $3 y=$ Forcing |  |  |
| $2 \cdot$ | $\times$ | 4 | - | Weak 4+»4+^ | $2 ¢=$ to play $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ relay, $3 \mathrm{x}=\mathrm{F} 1,3 \mathrm{M}=$ to play | $2 \mathrm{NT}=>3 \star=$ any min; $3 \bullet=5 \mathbf{5}$ ¢ no void |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 3v=544v; 3¢= 5v4ヶ; $3 \mathrm{NT}=$ Max 44 |  |
| 2. |  | 6 | - | weak 6+* | $2 \mathrm{NT}=$ relay |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 3x= F1 |  |  |
| 2NT |  |  | - | (19)20-21 |  | 2NT-3*; $3 *=$ at least 14 Cram, $3 \%=N O M, 3 \%=5$, $3 \mathrm{NT}=5 \mathrm{v}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Accepting transfer= no fit |  |
| $3 *$ |  | ${ }^{(6) 7}$ | - | Preemptive, 3-9(10) |  |  |  |
| 3. |  | (6)7 | - | Preemptive, 3-9(10) |  |  |  |
| $3 \vee$ |  | (6)7 | . | Preemptive, 3-9(10) |  |  |  |
| 3 \% |  | (6)7 | - | Preemptive, 3-9(10) |  | High Level Bidding |  |
| 3 NT |  | 7 | - | Gambling, normally solid minor |  | RKCB(41 3025 without TQ , 25 with TQ) |  |
| 4* |  | 6 | - | Preemptive, 3-11(12) |  | Exclusion BW |  |
| 4. |  | 6 | - | Preemptive, 3-11(12) |  | DOPI/ROPI |  |
| $4 *$ |  | (7)8 | - | Preemptive, 3-11(12) |  | If $\boldsymbol{\text { is }}$ trump, 4* is BW and 4 NT is \& cue |  |
| 4. |  | (7)8 | - | Preemptive, 3-11(12) |  | DEPO |  |
| 4NT |  |  |  | Preemptive, 3-11 both minors |  |  |  |
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