DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

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

General style natural

Responses :

Distributional raises, 1/1 F1, 2/1 NF, 2/2 F

Cue : F1.

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

2d : 15+/18 hl > same response than opening

4th : 1m op : 10/14HL >> id

1 M op : 12-15 >> id

4th : after two opp bids, 1NT = 5-4 (5 lowest color)

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

Vuln.>> 10/12 ,interm.

Non Vuln : >> weak

Reopen:

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

2NT : 2 lowest colors

1♦ : 2♦ = 5+♠ and 5+♣ / 3♣ = 5+♠ and 5+♥

1M : 2M = 5+M' and 5+ ♣ / 3♣ = 5+M' and 5+♦

1♣ : 3♣ = 5+♠ and 5+♦ / 2♦ = 5+♠ and 5+ ♥

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

Vs Strong NT

X shows ♣ or Landy, (vs weak NT = points)
2 ♣ SHOW ♦ (vs weak NT = landy)

2 ♦shows 1 major 6+ (weak or strong) ,

2 ♥ shows ♥ and 1 minor 4+

2♠ shows ♠ and 1 minor 4+

2NT = 2 suiters min

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

Neg. X ; Cue or jumps show 2-suiters

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

Natural

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

Distributional raises; XX 9H+; TTruscott

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	Lead	In Partner's Suit
Suit	3rd -5th	3rd -5th
NT	Principe of 4th best	3rd -5th
Subseq		

Other:

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	Ask interest by small	id
King	Ask parity	Ask deblock Q
Queen	Ask interst by small	Ask deblock J
Jack	KJ10x.KJ109 QJ98(x).J1098	Ask deblock 10
10	Q109x.K1098,10x.109(x)	id
9	98x;	H 9x; 9xx; 98xx
Hi-X	Even number of cards	
Lo-X	Odd number of cards	

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Low enc.	Number of cards	Odd=encouraging
Suit 2	Number of cards	Suit preference	Lavinthal
3			
1	Low enc.	Number of cards	Odd= encouraging
NT 2	Number of cards	Suit preference	Lavinthal
3			

Signals (including Trumps):

NT: Smith by small

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)

Natural.

In bal.pos.: 8H+

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS

When a ctrl is X , pass shows no control, XX shows 1st round and a bid shows 2d round.

BWDK : 41-30

W B F CONVENTION CARD

CATEGORY: BELGIAN TEAM CHAMPIONSIP
TEAM & DIVISION : PERRON
PLAYERS: STAS MARIE-FRANCOISE 3790
Guiot Benoît 4881

SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

5 cards major / 4 cards ♦
INT 15/17

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

2♣weak with ♦ or: bal 22-23 or strong or Gf with both Maj

2♦: bal 24-25 or GFor weak 1 major

2♥: 8-11 with both Maj 4+-4+

2♠ : weak with 5♠ and 4+min

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

IMPORTANT NOTES

PSYchics: rare but possible (bid and signal)

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		2	4♥	10-23 DH	WALSCH 1♣ - 2♣ F1., inv min. 2♥ = 5+♠- 4+♥ 5-9 PH 2♠ = 5+♠-4+♥ 10-11PH	AfterINT : 2♣ = roudi; 2NT = transfert ♣ 2NT = relay >> 3♦ = min , other = Mx +dist 2NT = relay>> distr	2 ♣Landy over opp1 NT:2♦♥♠= transfert over opp 1NT
1♦		4	4♥	10-23 DH	1♦ - 2♦ F1., inv min 2♥ = 5+♠- 4+♥ 5-9 PH 2♠ = 5+♠-4+♥ 10-11PH	2NT = relay >> 3♦ = min , other = Mx +dist 2NT = relay>> distr	
1♥/1♠		5	4♦	10-23 DH	1NT: 6-10 (11)	.2♣= Gazzilli	Transfert over opp INT.
					2♦ = fit 4-7 PJ or natural 2M fit 8/10 ; 3M 4 cards-fit 6/10 ;4 M to play 2NT F1:3 cards fit 11+/3♣ F1: 4 cards-fi11+ 3♦ 8/9,4cards fit + short suit. Splinter After pass, 2♣ = Drury → 2♦ = positif	On 2NT : 3♣ = 12-14 PH with 1 short; 3♦ = 12-14 without short; 3♥ = 15-17PH, 3♠ = 18+PHwith short; 3NT = 18+ without short	
INT				15 -- 17	2♣ = Stayman (can be weak); 2♦/2♥ = transf; 2♠ = Baron; 2NT = tranf ♣ or ♦ ; 3x = naturel; 4♣ = 2suiters min; 4♦ = 2suiters Maj		
2♣	X	0		weak with ♦ or: bal 22-23 or strong or Gf with both Maj	2♦ to play if weak/ 2NT = relay/ 2♥,2♠,3♣ = natural F1		X = penalty
2♦	X	0		bal 24-25 or GFor weak 1 major	2NT = relay/ 2M,3M, 4♥= pass or correct/ 3m= nat F1		X= penalty
2♥	X	0		8-11 with both Maj 4+-4+	2NT = relay 3m nat not forcing	3♣=min; 3♦ = Max 55; 3♥= Max 54;3 ♠= Max 45; 3NT= Max 44	X = penalty over 3m
2♠		0		weak 5♠-4+ min	2NT = relay/	3♣=4♣/3♦=4♦/3♥=5♣/3♠=5♦	X penalty
					3/4/5♣= pas or correct/3♦=♥/3♥= fit♠ inv		
2NT				20 – 21H, 5 M possible	3♣ pupett , Texas; 3♠ = tranf 3NT ; 3NT = 5♠ and 4♥; 4m = 2 suiters Maj and short m; 4M = 2suiters m and short M		
3X		7(6)		Preempts	New suit F1		
3NT	X			Gambling	4♣ NF		
4m	X	8(7)		Préemt			
4M		8(7)		Preempts			
						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	