

OPENING	MIN. No. OF CARDS	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT AUCTION	Modifications over competition and with passed partner
PASS					Drury (repetition of suit is weak)	
1♣	2		2 cards only if 4-4-3-2	2♣: weak, 3♣: constructive	4-step Roundi – 3 rd suit forcing	
1♦	4		Natural	2♦: weak, 3♦: constructive	4-step Roundi – 3 rd suit forcing	
1♥/♠	5		natural	on 1♣/♦: 2♥/2♠: forcing to game	on a single raise 2NT by opener is a trial bid	responding over intervention 2NT = fit cue-bid = fit
				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2♦ either natural, or weak fit < 8 HP ▪ 2♥/♠ 8-10 HP ▪ 2NT fit -w/flat hand 3NT balanced 13-14 HP 	On 2NT answer 3♣ min with single	
				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ double raise : distributional preemptive ▪ 3♣/♦ : artificial limit raise max/min 	3♦ min without single 3♥ max without single 3♠ max with single 3NT: +15HP	
				non forcing Stayman	after Stayman: further relays asking for opener's distribution	Lebensohl
1 NT			balanced 15-17 HP usually no 5-card major	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2♦ -2♥--> transfer bids (Texas) 2♠: 6 cards ♣ 2SA: 6 cards ♦ 4♦ : 5/5 major 2NT relay F 	new suit after Texas is game forcing	
2♣		x	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • weak major-suiter or • any game hand 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2♥ no ambition facing a weak-two 2♠ some ♥ fit NF 	responding to 2NT :	3 rd seat : possible weak 2♦ opening with a 5-card major
2♦		x	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • strong 1-suiter • balanced 22-23 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3♥ shut-out with double M fit 2NT relay minor suit natural 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 3♣/♦ min weak-two ▪ 3♥/♠ max weak-two in ♠/♥ ! 	
2♠	5/4		5 ♠ + 4 min below opening	2NT relay 3♣/♦ NF	responding to 2NT :	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 3♣ < 10 HP ▪ others : distribution
2♥	5/4		5♥ + ≥4 min ≤ 10 HP	2NT relay 3♣/♦ NF	:	
2NT			balanced 20-21 HP possible 5-card major	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3♣ Puppet Stayman (Jacoby) 3♠ : 5/4 cards ♠/♥ 3♦/♥/♠ are transfer bids 		
3♣/♦/♥	(7)		Preempt natural		SLAM APPROACH AND CONVENTIONS	
4♥/4♠	(8)	x	Preempt in ♥/♠ defensive			splinter bids
4♠/4♦	(8)	x	Preempt offensive with side values			italian style cue-bidding
3NT	(7)	x	Closed minor	4♣ non forcing, 4♦ forcing		Roman key cards Blackwood Joséphine
						over NT openings : quantitative 4/5 NT
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