

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING	
<b>OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening)</b>	
1 level classic, 2level sound in direct seat Cue shows values +fit or asks strength new suit nf	
In 4 <sup>th</sup> seat can be weaker	
<b>INT OVERCALL (2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Live; Responses; Reopening)</b>	
15-18 semi bal or weak long ♣, staym,xfer	
In 4 <sup>th</sup> 11-14 vs m.12-15 vs M ‘ ’ ‘ ’	
<b>JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)</b>	
2th 2NT lowest unbid suits in 4 <sup>th</sup> 16-18	
‘ ’ On 2level sound if vul ,weak nvul and natural	
‘ ’ On 3level pre-empt 3♣ always sound	
4 <sup>th</sup> good 6 card opening values	
<b>DIRECT &amp; JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)</b>	
Micheals	
Jumpcue asks stopper and suggests AKQxxxx any suit +values	
<b>VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)</b>	
Multi Landy vs strong	
X their upperrange and multilandy vs weak	
In 4 <sup>th</sup> same	
<b>VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)</b>	
X take-out.cue asks stopper , 4m 2suiter m+M	
NT natural	
<b>VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣</b>	
X=M.1♦=♠+m,1♠ 1♥ nat ,2♣ =♠+♥ ,2♦=♦+♥ 1nt=♦♣	
<b>OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE</b>	
XX strength 2nt fit, jump weak	

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
<b>OPENING LEADS STYLE</b>			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	attitude	count	
NT	9,10 Kantar	Count or honor	
Subseq	AK Romanet vs NT		
Other:			
<b>LEADS</b>			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	Asks signal if Q	id	
King	Ask count	Count or unblock	
Queen	Classic	Classic, can be from KQx	
Jack	‘ ’		
10	‘ ’	0-2 Kantar leads	
9	‘ ’	‘ ’	
Hi-X	Even or discouraging		
Lo-X	Odd or encouraging		
<b>SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY</b>			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Enc, disc	Smith high	High enc
Suit 2	Even odd		
3	Lavinthal		
1	idem		
NT 2	idem		
3	idem		
Signals (including Trumps):			
High ev or encouraging low odd or disc , Smith Lavinthal			
<b>DOUBLES</b>			
<b>TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)</b>			
classic			
<b>SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL &amp; COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS</b>			
Lightner ,lead directing.,support.extra strength showing,			
Dopi-ropi and sometimes penalty			

W B F CONVENTION CARD	
<b>CATEGORY: BELGIAN TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP</b>	
<b>TEAM &amp; DIVISION Sandeman 1</b>	
<b>PLAYERS: Van Thorre 13887</b>	
Schalkx	21523
<b>SYSTEM SUMMARY</b>	
<b>GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE</b>	
Strong club relay system	
Major 5 ,	
1 NT 14-16 bal or semi-bal	
2♣ 6-Card or 5♣+4M	
1♦, 11-15 hands unsuited for another opening	
<b>SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE</b>	
1♣ any strong hand 16 unbalanced or 17 bal	
1♦ Garbage hand 11-15 can hold one ♦	
2♦ 3way opening with 6♠ 10-13, 55m 11-15, 7-8 tricks ♦ 12-15	
2♥ 10-13 6-card or more ♥	
2♠ 6-10 6-card or more ♠	
2NT pre-empt ♣ or 6♠+5X and 4-5 losers or AKQxxxx ♣ + val	
On 3level preempts in xfer or strong 2Suiter or AKQxxxx + outside values, always with the suit above	
3♠ any AKQxxxx no outside value	
<b>SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES</b>	
Penalty-pass frequent	
Pass after x of ctrl bid shows 2th ctrl	
<b>IMPORTANT NOTES</b>	
Negative free bids on 2 level only	
<b>PSYCHICS: tactical bid can happen</b>	

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1♣	x	0	3♣	Strong hand any shape	1♦:0-7/16+bal,1♥:11-13/16+ubal,1♠ 8-10/14-15u 1nt:8+3suiter or 11-15 bal,2♣:8-10 bal,2♦=8-10 or 14-15 ♠+x,2♥=one suiter ♠ or 7+m,2♠=7+M 2nt:8-10/14-15 544 , 3x=2 suiter 5or 7 losers	After 1♦,1♥=20+,1nt=17-19 bal or semibal 1♠ canapé,2nt=1suiter 5L,3x 2suiter 4L After positive bid ,relay bidding asks shape description	
1♦	x	1	3♣	11-13 bal or semi bal or 11-15 ubal with ♦	Natural 1♥ or ♠ can exceptionally be 3card FIR 2♥=6-9 5♥+4♠,2♠=6♠ 4-8,3♣= 5♣+4/5♦ 5-10 2♣,2♦ nat FIR,1NT 11-13	After 1NT 2♣ gf relay asks shape, 2♦ =limit with 5 in the M after support long suit trial ,2nt general trial	
1♥		5	3♣	11-15 sometimes 4 if 4414	2nt gf fit , 2♣up to3♦ natural jumpfit invite	Asks sgt	
1♠		5	4♥	idem	idem		
INT	nat			14-16 bal semi bal 5M possible	Weak staym 2♦/♥/♠/3♣ xfers 2nt invite		
2♣	nat	5	3♣	11-15,6+ ♣ or 5♣-4	2♦ relay often with ♥,2♥=xfer♠,2♠= 5♠+4/5♥ 2nt forces 3♣,3♠=limit	Relays can be used	
2♦	X	0	penalty	1) 10-13 6+♠ 2)11-15 55m 3) 7 ½ playing tricks ♦	2♥ relay 2♣ to play against 6♣	After 2♣ (6+♠) 2nt asks sgt 2nt=55m max,3♣ mini55,3♦=tricks	
2♥	nat	6	penalty	10-13	2nt asks sgt others nat FIR		
2♠	nat	6	penalty	5-10	2nt ogust asks ♠honors and strength		
2NT	x	6♣	penalty	♣ preempt or 6-5x and 4-5 loser Or AKQxxxx +value	New suit forcing		
3♣	x	6♦	penalty	idem			
3♦	x	6♥	penalty	idem	3nt forcing		
3♥	x	6♠	penalty	idem	idem		
3♠	x	0	panalty	AKQxxxx any suit	4♣ P/C 4♦ asks sgt		
3NT	x			AKQxxxxx m + entry			
4♣	x			Xfer ♥			
4♦	x			Xfer ♠			
4♥				To play with outside value			
4♠				idem			
4NT				Bic m			
5♣						<b>HIGH LEVEL BIDDING</b>	
5♦						Mixed ctl bidding, 4m is rkcb if this suit is agreed as trumpsuit	
5♥						If no suit agreed 4♣ forces 4♦ then 4♥=rkcb♣,4♠=rkcb♥,4nt=♠	