

OPENING	TICK IF ART	MIN No. OF C	NEG X THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT AUCTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1 ♣	X			Artificial, 16+HCP	1♦0-7 HCP or 4441 shape (that could be stronger) 1♥/♣2♣/♦: 8+ HCP, 5+ card suit 1NT : 8+ HCP	2♥/♠: 19+ HCP, 6 card suit or 5 card + other suit All bids are asking bids (Controls, length or mix) 2♣ : asking for 4M suit, other bids ask for support	
1 ♦		1		11-15, unbal. mostly 4♦cards. Could be less if 4/4 in M	1♥/♠nat.	1 NT = 5♣ + 4♦cards 2♣ = 4♣ + 5♦ cards	
1 ♥		5		11-15 : 5+♥card suit	1NT : Asking Bid, 3♣/♦: Bergen Raises 2NT : Game forcing, ask for single	2♣/♦11-13, might be 3 card suit, 2NT=14-15,5332 shape Direct	
1 ♠		5		11-15 : 5+♠card suit	1NT : Asking Bid, 3♣/♦: Bergen Raises 2NT : Game forcing, ask for single	2♣/♦11-13, might be 3 card suit, 2NT=14-15,5332 shape Direct	
1 NT				12-15 HCP, no single no 5M	2♣ : garbage stayman 2♦♥: jacoby transfer 2♠: transfer for minors		
2 ♣		5		11-15 : 6+ ♣suit or 5+ ♣suit + 4M suit	2♦: 11+, artificial, asking		
2 ♦	X			Multi : 1) W2M or 2) 16+ 4441 shape or 3) 22-23 NT	2♥ – pass or correct, 2♠=inviting in ♥ 2NT-strong relay Stayman, jacoby transfers	2♣=W2, 2NT=22-23NT, 3♣-3♠=4441 shape 3♥♠=W2, 3NT=22-23NT, 4♣-4♠=4441 shape	
2 ♥		5		5♥ + other 5 card suit 1 st or 2 nd hand: 7-10 HCP 3 rd hand: 0-10 HCP:	2♠: nonforcing, pass or correct 2NT : strong relay		
2 ♠		5		5♠ + 5 card minor 1 st or 2 nd hand: 7-10 HCP 3 rd hand: 0-10 HCP:	3♣: nonforcing, pass or correct 2NT : strong relay		
2 NT	X			5/5 in minors, strong(<5 loser) or 1 st or 2 nd hand: 7-10HCP 3 rd hand: 0-10 HCP:	3♣/♦= better minor	Natural	
3 ♣		7		7-10 HCP, semi solid suit	Raises=preemptive,New suit forcing 1 Round		
3 ♦		7		7-10 HCP, semi solid suit	Raises=preemptive,New suit forcing 1 Round		
3 ♥		7		7-10 HCP, semi solid suit	Raises=preemptive,New suit forcing 1 Round		
3 ♠		7		7-10 HCP, semi solid suit	Raises=preemptive,New suit forcing 1 Round		
3 NT				One 7+ solid minor		HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
4 ♣							
4 ♦							
4 ♥							
4 ♠							

Suggested Defense Against our 2-Level Opening Bids

- 2♣ X t/o, then use 2♦ as lebensohl and 2M/N constructive (2N for ♦)
Otherwise treat as Weak Two
- 2♦ X = (12)13-15 balanced or 19+ (weaker with comparable playing strength)
2M = 4crd M, shortness OM (like t/o-X of OM)
t/o-X of 2M by 4th hand
3m by 6th hand show m+OM
- 2M Treat as Weak Two