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**GENERAL APPROACH**

Polish Club  
**Two Over One:** Game Forcing  Game Forcing Except When Suit Rebid   
**VERY LIGHT:** Openings  3rd Hand  Overcalls  Preempts   
**FORCING OPENING:** 1♣  2♣  Natural 2 Bids  Other

**NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS**

**1NT**  
15 to 17  
to  
5-card Major common   
System on over **K** and 2C  
2♣ Stayman  Puppet   
2♦ **Transfer to ♥**  **4♦, 4♥ Transfer**   
**Forcing Stayman**  **Smolen**   
2♥ **Transfer to ♠**  **Lebensohl**  (**Fast denies**)  
2♠ **Xfer to ♣**  **Neg. Double**   
2NT **Xfer to ♦**  **Other: Delayed Texas**

**2NT** Minors to 4-11  
Puppet Stayman   
**Transfer Responses:**  
**Jacoby**  **Texas**   
3♠

**3NT** G to       
No outside AK 1st or 2nd  
**Conventional NT Openings**

**MAJOR OPENING**

Expected Min. Length 4 5  
1st/2nd    
3rd/4th

**RESPONSES**

Double Raise: Force  Inv.  **Weak**   
After Overcall: Force  Inv.  **Weak**   
Conv. Raise: **2NT**  **3NT**  **Splinter**   
**Other: 3nt = 13-15 with 2 cards**  
**1NT: Forcing**  **Semi-forcing**   
**2NT: Forcing**  Inv.  to       
**3NT: 13 to 15**  
**Drury**  **Reverse**  **2-Way**  **Fit**   
**Other: Modified Jacoby**   
**Bergen**

**MINOR OPENING**

Expected Min. Length 4 3 0-2 **Conv.**  
1♣      
1♦

**RESPONSES**

Double Raise: Force  Inv.  **Weak**   
After Overcall: Force  Inv.  **Weak**   
Forcing Raise: **J/S in other minor**   
**Single raise**  **Other: POLISH**   
Frequently bypass 4+♦   
**1NT/1♣ 8 to 10**  
**2NT Forcing**  Inv.  **13+ tono 4cm**  
**3NT: to**  
**Other Polish Club**

**SPECIAL DOUBLES**

After Overcall: **Penalty**   
Negative  thru 4♦  
Responsive  : thru 4♦ Maximal   
**Support: Dbl.**  thru 2 of M **Redbl**   
Card-showing  Min. Offshape T/O

**NOTRUMP OVERCALLS**

**Direct:** 15 to 18 Systems on   
**Conv.**   
**Balancing:** 11 to 14  
Jump to 2NT: Minors  2Lowest   
**Conv.**

**DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP**

**vs: Strong Weak**  
2♣ ♣ & M   **ssm or m&M**  
2♦ ♦ & M   **Majors**  
2♥ ♥   **♥**  
2♠ ♠   **♠**  
**Dbl: ssm or Majors Cards**  
**Other 2n = minors**

**SIMPLE OVERCALL**

1 level 9 to 15 HCP (usually)  
often 4 cards  very light style   
**Responses**  
New Suit: Forcing  NFConst  NF   
Jump Raise: Forcing  Inv.  Weak

**JUMP OVERCALL**

**Strong**  **Intermediate**  **Weak**

**OVER OPP'S T/O DOUBLE**

New Suit Forcing: 1 level  2 level   
Jump Shift: Forcing  Inv.  Weak   
Redouble implies no fit

**2NT Over Limit+ Limit Weak**  
**Majors**     
**Minors**     
**Other Jordan,**

**OPENING PREEMPTS**

Sound Light Very Light  
3/4-bids     
**Conv./Resp.**

**DIRECT CUEBID**

OVER: Minor Major  
Natural    
Strong T/O    
Michaels

**VS Opening Preempts Double Is**

Takeout  thru 4♦ **Penalty**   
**Conv. Takeout: Lebensohl**  
**Lebensohl 2NT Response**   
**Other:**

**SLAM CONVENTIONS** Gerber  4NT: Blackwood  RKC  1430   
**Minorwood**

vs Interference: DOPI  DEPO  Level:      ROPI

**LEADS** (circle card led, if not in bold)

versus Suits	versus Notrump
<b>x x</b> x x (x) x	<b>x x</b> x (x) x x
x x x x x x (x) x	x (x) x x x
A K x T 9 x	A K J x A Q J x
K Q x K J T x	A J T 9 A T 9 x
Q J x K T 9 x	K Q J x K Q T 9
J T 9 Q T 9 x	Q J T x Q T 9 x
K Q T 9	J T 9 x T 9 x x

**LENGTH LEADS:**

4th Best vs SUITS  vs NT   
3rd/5th Best vs SUITS  vs NT   
Attitude vs NT

**Primary signal to partner's leads**  
Attitude  Count  Suit preference

**DEFENSIVE CARDING**

vs SUITS vs NT  
Standard:    
Except   
Upside-Down:  
count    
attitude

**FIRST DISCARD**

Lavinthal    
Odd/Even

**OTHER CARDING**

Smith Echo    
Trump Suit Pref.    
Foster Echo

**SPECIAL CARDING**  **PLEASE ASK**