



SPECIAL DOUBLES

After Overcall: **Penalty** _____
 Negative thru 4♠
 Responsive : thru 3♠ Maximal
Support: Dbl. thru 3♠ Redbl
 Card-showing Min. Offshape T/O
 use maximal as last resort

SIMPLE OVERCALL

1 level 8 to 16 HCP (usually)
 often 4 cards very light style

Responses

New Suit: Forcing NF Const NF
 Jump Raise: Forcing Inv. Weak

JUMP OVERCALL

Strong **Intermediate** **Weak**
 except in balancing seat

OPENING PREEMPTS

Sound Light Very Light
 3/4-bids
Conv./Resp. Use rule of 2-3-4

DIRECT CUEBID

OVER: Minor Major
 Natural
 Strong T/O
 Michaels
 mini/maxi (5-11pts, 16+)

SLAM CONVENTIONS Gerber : 4NT: Blackwood RKC 1430
 Q ask; 5N - cnt for Kings

Gerber-must be jump over 3N: straight BW & cnt for Kings

vs Interference: DOPI DEPO Level: _____ ROPI

LEADS (circle card led, if not in bold)

versus Suits		versus Notrump	
X X	X X X X	X X	X X X X
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NOTRUMP OVERCALLS

Direct: 15 to 18 Systems on
Conv. 2 suited; Sndw NT (ov pass)
Balancing: 12 to 15
 Jump to 2NT: Minors 2 Lowest
Conv. mini/maxi (5-11 pts; 16+)

DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP

vs: strong _____ weak _____
 2♣ C+1 Major Natural
 2♦ D+1 Major _____
 2♥ H _____
 2♠ S _____
 Dbl: 1 6+ mi/2M/S
 Other 2N 5/5 in minors
 Meckwell

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 4 cd supp w/major, XX w/3

VS Opening Preempts Double Is

Takeout thru 4H Penalty
Conv. Takeout: 4NT over 4S = bid
 Lebensohl 2NT Response
 Other: _____

DEFENSIVE CARDING

Standard: vs SUITS vs NT
 Except

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Hand

GENERAL APPROACH

Two Over One

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 **dbl/inter**
 2♣ Stayman Puppet
 2♦ Transfer to ♥ 4♦, 4♥ Transfer
Forcing Stayman Smolen
 2♥ Transfer to ♠ Lebensohl (____ denies)
 2♠ range asking
 2NT XF->D
 3♣ Puppet _____
 3♦ 5/5 minors strong _____
 3♥ 3-1-minors _____
 3♠ 1-3-minors _____
 Garbage, Crawling
 Conventional NT Openings

2NT 20 to 21
 Puppet Stayman
Transfer Responses:
 Jacoby Texas
 3♠ Transfer to minor
 3NT _____ to _____
 Gambling 3N

MAJOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length	4	5
1st/2nd	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3rd/4th	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

RESPONSES

Double Raise: Force Inv. Weak
 After Overcall: Force Inv. Weak
 Conv. Raise: 2NT 3NT Splitter
 Other: Bergen 1st and 2nd seat only
 1NT: Forcing Semi-forcing
 2NT: Forcing Inv. _____ to _____
 3NT: _____ to _____
 Drury : Reverse 2-Way Fit
 Other: 3rd & 4th seat over X

MINOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length	4	3	NF	0-2	Conv.
1♣	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1♦	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

RESPONSES

Double Raise: Force Inv. Weak
 After Overcall: Force Inv. Weak
 Forcing Raise: J/S in other minor
 Single raise Other: Inv min-on pass hd
 Frequently bypass 4+♦ w/sml hand
 1NT/1♣ 8 to 10 to 1D less
 2NT Forcing Inv. 11 to 12
 3NT: 13+ to _____
 Other: _____

DESCRIBE

2♣ 22+ to _____ HCP
 Strong Other

RESPONSES/REBIDS

2H = bust (<2 Q)