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### GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF BIDDING METHODS

2/1 Standard American

### 1NT OPENINGS AND RESPONSES

<b>Strength</b>	15-17		
<b>Shape constraints</b>	May hold 5 card suit	Tic-k if may have singleton <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Responses</b>	2♣	Sayman	
2♦	Trf	2♥	Trf 2S
2♠	Trf Clubs ask highcard supp	2NT	Trf Diam asks highcard supp
Others			
Action after opponents double	XX Trf Cl, sys on		
Action after other interference			

### TWO-LEVEL OPENINGS AND RESPONSES

	Meaning	Responses	Notes
2♣	Bal 23+ or gameforce	2 Diam waiting, 2 H = 0-2 hp	
2♦	Weak 2 in Diam	Nat and forcing	
2♥	Weak 2 in H	Nat and forcing	
2♠	Weak 2 in S	Nat and forcing	
2NT	Bal 20-22, bal	3 Cl Puppet, Trf	

### OTHER ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE

*(Please include details of any agreements involving bidding on significantly less than traditional values).*

## OTHER OPENING BIDS

	HCP	see Note *	Min length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes
1♣	11-21	<input type="checkbox"/>	2			
1♦	11-21	<input type="checkbox"/>	4			
1♥	11-21	<input type="checkbox"/>	5			
1♠	11-21	<input type="checkbox"/>	5			
3♣		<input type="checkbox"/>	nat	weak		
3♦♥♠		<input type="checkbox"/>	nat	weak		
3NT	minor	<input type="checkbox"/>	solid	Max 1 K outside		
4 bids		<input type="checkbox"/>	nat	Preemptive		

## DEFENSIVE METHODS AFTER OPPONENTS OPEN

NATURAL ONE OF A SUIT		CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes
Simple overcall		7-17		
Jump overcall		Weak		
Cue bid		Michaels, major and minor		
1NT	Direct: Protective:	15-17, protective 12-17		
2NT	Direct: Protective:	2 lowest		
OPPONENTS OPEN WITH		DEFENSIVE METHODS	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes
Strong 1♣		Nat.		
Short 1♣/1♦		Nat		
Weak 1NT		2 Cl majors		
Strong 1NT		Capp		
Weak 2		Lebensohl		
Weak 3		X for take-out		
4 bids		X for take -out		
Multi 2♦		X for take-out, often balanced		

## SLAM CONVENTIONS

Name	Meaning of Responses	Action over interference
RKC Blackwood	0314	Dopi Ropi
Cue - bids		

## COMPETITIVE AUCTIONS

Agreements after opening of one of a suit and overcall by opponents

Level to which negative doubles apply | 3 Sp

Special meaning of bids | Cue bids most often supp and inviting

Exceptions / other agreements

Agreements after opponents double for takeout

Redouble: 10 hp +

New suit: Focusing at level of 1

Jump in new suit:

Jump raise: Weak

2NT: Limit raise

Other:

Other agreements concerning doubles and redoubles

## OTHER CONVENTIONS

Inverted minor raises.

After partners H or S opening bid:

Bergen 7-11 3Cl < 3Diam, 4 card supp +. # of other major 4 card supp+, 13 hp +. Void Splinters.

2 Nt after partners opening of 1H, 1S = strong, 4-card supp +

## SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS

*(Please cross-reference where appropriate to the relevant part of card, and continue on back if needed).*

