

Defensive and competitive bidding	Leads and signals	WBF CONVENTION CARD																																																
<p><i>Overcalls (1) and responses (2)</i> (1) Light overcalls on 1-level, reasonably sound on 2-level (2) Transfers after 1M / 2m overcalls (1x) 1M (p) 2M -2 = inv+ fit (1m) 1♠ (p) 2♣ = 5+♥ Remaining bid shows other minor</p>	<p><i>Opening leads</i> 3rd from even and low from odd against suit. Small is encouraging against NT, 3rd 5th in partners suit Rusinow against 5+ level, but not in partners suit <i>Subsequent leads</i> Attitude combined with 3rd 5th through dummy 2nd 4th through declarer (consequently, so HVx)</p>	<p>Veri Kiljan Luc Tijssen</p>																																																
<p><i>Take-out double (1) and responses (2)</i> (1) 10⁺ HCP; vs all natural openings (2) (1M) x (p) 1N = 8-11 any <i>In balance pos</i> (1) 8⁺ HCP (2) as in direct position</p>	<p><u>Underscored</u> vs suit/standard; Bold vs NT if different</p> <table> <tr><td>AK</td><td>KQ</td><td>QJ</td><td>JT</td><td>Tx</td><td>xx</td></tr> <tr><td>AKx</td><td>KQx</td><td>QJx</td><td>JTx</td><td>T9</td><td>xxx</td></tr> <tr><td>AKJx</td><td>KQxx</td><td>QJT9</td><td>JT98</td><td>T9x</td><td>xxxx</td></tr> <tr><td>AKJTx</td><td>KQJx</td><td>KQTx</td><td>KJT9</td><td>98x</td><td>xxxxx</td></tr> <tr><td>AQJx</td><td>KJTx</td><td>KQTx9</td><td>KT98</td><td></td><td>xxxxxx</td></tr> <tr><td>AJxx</td><td>Kxx</td><td>Qxx</td><td>Jxx</td><td>Txx</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>KJxxx</td><td>Kxxx</td><td>Qxxx</td><td>Jxxx</td><td>Txxx</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>Kxxxxx</td><td>Kxxxx</td><td>Qxxxx</td><td>Jxxxx</td><td>Txxxx</td><td></td></tr> </table>	AK	KQ	QJ	JT	Tx	xx	AKx	KQx	QJx	JTx	T9	xxx	AKJx	KQxx	QJT9	JT98	T9x	xxxx	AKJTx	KQJx	KQTx	KJT9	98x	xxxxx	AQJx	KJTx	KQTx9	KT98		xxxxxx	AJxx	Kxx	Qxx	Jxx	Txx		KJxxx	Kxxx	Qxxx	Jxxx	Txxx		Kxxxxx	Kxxxx	Qxxxx	Jxxxx	Txxxx		<p><i>System summary</i></p> <p>1♣ may be any bal without 5M; may have 5♦ if 18-20 varying 1N ranges 2/1 GF but 1♠ – 2♦ is 8+ 5+♥ and 1♦ – 2♣ relay, GF or invitational for ♦ / NT</p>
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<p><i>INT overcall (1) and responses (2) (sandwich : see below)</i> (1) 2nd seat: 4(other)M + 5(other)m, After 3rd seat opening: 15-18 Bal (2) (1m) 1N: 2m = bid your M, (1M) 1N: 2m = Pas or correct After (1m) 1N (nat) we play system on and after (1M) 1N (nat) we play cue-bid stayman <i>Sandwich position</i> 1N is 15-18 balanced / 5M&4m after prep ass</p>	<p><i>Signals (between brackets if seldom used)</i> (1=odd, 2=even, D=discouraging, E=encouraging, S=suitpreference)</p>	<p><i>Special openings and responses that may require defense</i></p> <table> <thead> <tr> <th>Opening</th> <th>Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1♣-1♦</td> <td>0-7 'any' or natural or 7-10(8) 4♥&4♣ or balanced without 4+M</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1m-2M</td> <td>Invite</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1m-2♦</td> <td>Minimulti 0-5 6cM</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1N</td> <td>Green v/s Red 1st/2nd seat: 10-13 Green v/s Green 1st seat: 10-13 Vulnerable: 15-17</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1♣ – 2♦</td> <td>8+HCP 5+♥</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1♣ – 2♥</td> <td>GF 5+♦</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><i>Special competitive bids that may require defense</i></p>	Opening	Description	1♣-1♦	0-7 'any' or natural or 7-10(8) 4♥&4♣ or balanced without 4+M	1m-2M	Invite	1m-2♦	Minimulti 0-5 6cM	1N	Green v/s Red 1 st /2 nd seat: 10-13 Green v/s Green 1 st seat: 10-13 Vulnerable: 15-17	1♣ – 2♦	8+HCP 5+♥	1♣ – 2♥	GF 5+♦																																		
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<p><i>Jump overcalls</i> weak</p> <p><i>Two suiter</i> (1m) 2♦ = ♥ & ♣; (1m) 2N = om & ♥; (1m) 3m = om & ♣ (1M) 2M = oM & ♦; (1♥) 2N = ♣ & ♦; (1♥) 3♥ = ♣ & ♣ (1♠) 2N = ♥ & ♣; (1♠) 3♠ = ♣ & ♦</p>	<table> <thead> <tr> <th>Versus suit</th> <th>High</th> <th>Low</th> <th>Odd</th> <th>Even</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>On partner's lead</td> <td>D</td> <td>E</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>On declarer's lead</td> <td>1 (S)</td> <td>2(S)</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Discarding</td> <td>D</td> <td>E</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <table> <thead> <tr> <th>Versus NT</th> <th>High</th> <th>Low</th> <th>Odd</th> <th>Even</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>On partner's lead</td> <td>D (1)</td> <td>E (2)</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>On declarer's lead</td> <td>S (1)</td> <td>S (2)</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Discarding</td> <td>Roma</td> <td>Roman</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>lavinth</td> <td>lavinthal</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Versus suit	High	Low	Odd	Even	On partner's lead	D	E			On declarer's lead	1 (S)	2(S)			Discarding	D	E			Versus NT	High	Low	Odd	Even	On partner's lead	D (1)	E (2)			On declarer's lead	S (1)	S (2)			Discarding	Roma	Roman				lavinth	lavinthal			<p><i>Important notes that don't fit in elsewhere</i></p>			
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<p><i>Versus natural NT</i> 2♣ = ♥&♣ Dbl = penalty 2♦ One Major 2♥/♣ Major and minor Versus NT passed hand and 4th position: Dbl = 5m + 4M; 2♦ One Major 2♥/♣ = 5M&4+m</p>		<p><i>Psychics : Openings Possible</i> <i>Other Possible</i></p>																																																
<p><i>Versus artificial strong 1♣ and 2♣ openings</i> After 1♣ dbl = majors, 1NT = minors</p>																																																		
<p><i>Over opponents take-out double</i> Jumps are weak, transfers after 1M (1♥ (x) 1♠ = ♣ & ♦)</p>																																																		

Opening	artificial	Min # of cards	Neg dbl to	Description	Responses	Subsequent action	Modifications over competition (COMP) and w/ passed partner
1♣	x	2	4♥	4♣+ unbalanced or: 12-14 (13-16) Bal without 5♦/♥/♠ or Strong Bal without 5♥/♠ Minimum Balanced is: 12-14 when 1N is strong 14-16 when 1N is weak	1♦ 0-7 any or natural without 4♥/♠ or 4♥&4♣ not inv or 12+5♦+4♥/♠ 1♥/♠ 8+ may have longer ♦ 1N 5-10 2♣ 8+ 5+♣ 2♦ weak 2♥/♠ weak	1♣ – 1♦ // 1♥ natural or minimum balanced 1♣ – 1♦//1N (17)18-(19)20 balanced 1♣ – 1♦ // 1♣ 4+♣ 4+♣ unbalanced 1♣ – 1M// 2♦ reverse or strong balanced 1♣ – 1M// 2N 15+ fit	Transfers in competition, Switch
1♦		4		10+, 5+ or 4-4-4-1♣ May be 4card Bal in 3 rd	2♣ relay, GF or invite in ♦ or NT 2♥/♠ weak 2N 0-6 raise to 3♦		
1♥		5		10+ 5+M May be a good 4card in 3 rd seat	2♣ GF relay 1♥ - 2♦ / 1♣ – 2♥ GF 5+♦ 1♣ - 2♦ 8+ 6+♥ or (9)10+ 5+♥ 2N limit – bad GF with fit 1♥ – 3♣ / 1♣ – 3♥ mixed raise 3N 10-14 ♦ splinter 1♣ – 4♦ transfer to 4♥ 4M-1 8-11 5M	1M – 1N // 2♣ = 10-14 6M or 15-17 any 1M – 1N // 2M = 5M 4+♣ 11-15 1M – 1N // 2N = any GF without 5-5 or more shape	Drury, Switch
1♣		5					
1NT		other		15-17, 10-13 NV/V 1 st /2 nd NV/NV 1 st 5M/6m possible	2♣ stayman 2♦/♥ transfers, may be 4♥/♠ 2♣ invite or ♣&♦ or weak ♦ 2N asking weak doubleton 3♣ asking 5M or showing 5M 3♦ 4441m 3♥/♠ 4441M After 10-13 NT 3X TP		Transfer lebensohl After artificial X system on After X pen natural
2♣	x		4♥	Any GF	2♦ waiting	2M = 4+, may have longer minor	Transfers
2♦/♥/♠		5	-	Weak two's	2N asking; 2♦ – 2♥ relay New suits non-forcing		
2NT				21-23, 5M possible	Muppet stayman transfers	<i>Slam approach and conventions</i> 1430 RKCB. Cue's. 3NT serious. A lot of last train bids. D0P1. Sometimes showing shortness. Exclusion Blackwood. Optional Blackwood for the minors.	
other			-	Preemptive	New suits on 3-level non-forcing		
3NT	x		-	Gambling			