



		LEADS AND SIGNALS			WBF Convention Card			
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; ½ Level; Reopening)		OPENING LEADS STYLE						
Sound or good suit			Lead	In Partners Suit				
Response 1M overcall: Jump Raise=Pre-empt,		Suit	1.3.5	same				
New Suit Jump= Fitbid and F1, 2NT: 4-card support and 10+		NT	1.3.5	same	Category:	Green		
		Subsequent	1.3.5	same	NCBO:	Denmark		
		Other :	4th lead when 3rd is too "expensive" (NT)		Event:	Danish Ladies, 2011		
					Players	Lone Bilde – Helle Rasmussen		
1NT OVERCALL (2nd / 4th Live; Responses; Reopening)		LEADS			SYSTEM SUMMERY			
2nd: 15-18 HCP → system		Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE			
4th: 11-14 HCP → system, on 1MA: 13-16		Ace	Ax(x)AKJ10(x)AKx(x)	same	5-card Major			
		King	AK, KQ, KQ(J/10)x	same	1♣ may be short			
(1x) - p - (1y) – 1NT: 15-18 → system		Queen	QJ, QJx(x)	same	1NT: 11-14, (15-17 3 rd vul.)			
		Jack	J10, J10x(x)	same	2 over 1 responses: 10+ GF if opener has 15-17NT			
		10	109, 109x(x), HJ10x(x)	same	Aggressive style			
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)		9	9x, H109x(x)	same	1MA-1NT (4-10 hp)			
Preempt		Hi-x	xx	same				
2NT: 5+-5+ two lowest. On 1M opening: 5 OM + 5♦		Lo-x	xxX, xxXx, HxX, xxxX	same				
		SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE			
DIRECT AND JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopen)			Partners Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding	1♣ may be short		
						1♣ - 1M: Walsh (may have 4+♦), may be very weak		
(1m)-2m:5♥+4♠		Suit: 1 st	Low: enc	Count	Low: enc	Bergen		
(1M)-2M:5OM+5♣		2 nd	Count			Mixed Raise		
Jump cue: asking for stoppers - seeking 3NT		3 rd				Fit-showing jumps and fit-non jumps after pass		
VS. NT (vs Strong / Weak ; Reopening; PH)		NT: 1 st	Low: enc	Smith	Count	Multi 2♦: weak M (0-7)		
Against weak 1NT: D=14+ HCP, 2♣: ♥+♠,4+/4+,		2 nd	Count	Count				
Other natural		3 rd						
Aganist strong 1NT: D: 4+M and 5+m, 2♣: ♥+♠,4+/4+		SIGNALS : Count: Hi-Low: odd, Low-Hi: even						
2NT: 2-suiter		Smith (Lo-enc) vs NT, Lavinthal						
3/4x: pre-empt		Trumps:Hi-lo shows interest in ruff						
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT-bids)		DOUBLES			SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES			
D: T/O + Lebensohl		TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			In GF situations and opps. call at the 5 level			
Leaping Michaels		T/O: 12+HP (10+ if good distribution)- new suit NF, cue F1			Semi-forcing pass to 3♣			
Cue(3-level): asks for stoppers		Reopening: depending on distribution and vulnerability			If we double 1nt for penalty = forcing thru 2♥			
NT: 15-18 → system		Negative D to 4♥						
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS		Many T/O D to 4♥						
Vs 1♣ opening: nat at 1-level, NT=♣+♥ or ♦+♠, 2♣: ♣ or ♦+♥, 2♦: ♦ or ♥+♠ etc.								
Vs. 2♣ opening: same		SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DBL:s / RDBL:s			IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE			
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKE OUT DOUBLE		(3NT) - D: Lead dummys first suit, weakest M, own suit, or only un-bid suit (depending on bidding sequencing) Maximum Overcall Double, lightner double			1x-1y-1NT, 4th suit GF, Okuneff, Lebensohl, Manco, various trial bids			
					(Mini) Splinter, Crowhurst, Scrambling, Rubensohl,			
Ostot, Truscott 2NT, Fitbid, Pre-empts		(1x) - 1/2y - (D) - RD: A, K or Q in y			1♣-1M-2♦: nat.F1 or 4-card support bal. 15-19			
RD: 10+ HCP					Psychics: Seldom, no specified agreements			

OPENING BID DESCRIPTIONS

Opening	Art	Min.	Neg Dbl thru	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding and enemy Interference
1♣	x	2	4♥	May be 2 cards if 15-19 bal. (except 3 rd) or nat. 11-21 HCP	Walsh (M before m), WJS, 2♣ 8-10, 2♦: 10+ and 4+♣, 3♣ : preempt, 3♦/3M: WJS 4♣: preempt, 4♦: WJS, 4M: to play	1♣ - 1M - 2♦: nat reverse or 15-19 bal. and 4-card support 1x - 1y - 1NT: 15-17 (except 3 rd vul.)	1♣♦-(1NT) -2omi: both MA 1♣♦-(1x) -2x: 4+♣♦, invit+
1♦		5(4)	4♥	11-21 HCP, 4♦ if 4441	WJS, 2♦ 8-10, 3♣: 10+ and 4+♦, 3♦: preempt, 3M: WJS, 4♣:WJS, 4♦: preempt, 4M: to play	1x - 2M(WJS) - 2NT: asking 1x - 2o1 - 2NT:15-19 bal. 1♥ - 2♠ - 2NT: asking for singleton	After 1M: If Opps D transfer from 1NT, Truscott 2NT, fitbids, If opps bid fitbids, 2NT,
1♥		5	4♦	(10) 11-21 HCP	1NT: 4-10 or 3-7 3♥, 2♥: 8-10 3♥, 2♠: mini splinter, 2NT: GF 4+♥, 3♣: 7-11 4+♥, 3♦: 11-13 3♥, 3♥: preempt, 3♠: 9-13 4+♥ unk single and max ONE ace, 3NT: void ♠ 8-11 4+♥ 4m : void m 8-11 4+♥	Over 1M- 2NT (Chips) → 3♣:min; 3♦:15+; 3♥:short ♣ and not min.; 3♠:short ♦ and not min, 3nt: short OM and not min; 4♣♦OM; 5-5; 4MA: to play 1M - 3♣ - 3♦: invitational, other GF 1M - 3♦ - 3M: min, - Responder can ALWAYS bid 4M! After 1M-1nt: 2♣ F1: 17+ , 11-16 bal or nat other bids show 11-16	After 1M - 2NT: opps bid: pas: not min, 3M: min D: penalty 3NT: nat. Other: Cue
1♠		5	4♥	(10) 11-21 HCP	1NT: 4-10 or 3-7 3♠, 2♠: 8-10 3♠, 2NT: GF 4+♠, 3♣: 7-11 4+♠, 3♦: 11-13 3♠, 3♥: WJS + 2♠,, 3♠: preempt, 3NT: 9-13 4+♠ unk. Single and max ONE ace, 4m/♥ : void 8-11 4+♠		
1NT				11-14 semi bal (6322 or 5422, usually not 5M),15-17 3rd vul.	2♣: NF Stayman, transfers, 2♠: minors, 2nt: 1 minor,, 3x: HHxxxx (semi-invitational)	1NT - transfer - 3M: min and 4M, 2/3x: xx 4M max.	Over 1NT-(2x - nat) Rubensohl, Scramble, T/O D Over 1NT- (D) Sundelin Over 1NT-2♣-(D : if ♣) -p: no ♣ stopper - other: system with ♣ stopper neg. D
2♣				20-21NT, acol 2 or GF	2♦: relay, 2M/3m: to play if 20-21NT, 3M: 7 suiter no side stoppers	Herbert, 2♣ - 2♦ - 3M: 4M and 5+♦ GF, 2♣ - 2♦ - 2M - 3M: 1-2 ctrls. and 3+M, - 3NT: 3+ ctrls. 4m: splinter max. 1 ctrl.	
2♦	x	0		MULTI weak 2M (0-7, 5 or 6 suiter)	2/3♥=P/C, 2/3♠=P/3♥, 2NT: asking, new suit F1, 4♣: transfer to your M, 4♦: bid your M	2♦ - 2NT - 3♣: Not min, - 3♦: min and ♥, - 3♥: min and ♠	When Opps D: pass = neutral, RD = own suit
2♥		6		7-10	2NT asking, new suit F1	2♥ - 2NT - 3♥: min, other: features and not min	neg. D
2♠		6		7-10	2NT asking, new suit F1	2♠ - 2NT - 3♠: min, other: features and not min.	
2NT				22-24 semi bal (6322 or 5422)	Stayman, Transfers, 3♠: m, 4m: nat slam interest	after transfer: 3 in suit =2 card supp, 3nt = 3 card, new suit =4 and cue, After stayman: Other M = Slam interest	SLAM BIDDING
3♣♦		6		preempt	new suit F1, 4 om: asking for aces		
3♥♠		6		preempt	new suit F1, 4♣: asking for aces		
3NT	x			1st/2nd solid m suit, 3rd/4th to play	4♦ asking for singleton		
4♣♦		7		preempt			Exclusion RKCB 0314, RKCB 1430, DEPO, Cuebids 1st/2nd ctrl., Unserious 3NT
4♥♠		7		preempt			
4NT	x			6-6 m			