

**SPECIAL DOUBLES**  
 Negative  : thru **3♠** thru 4 +   
 Responsive  : thru \_\_\_\_\_ Maximal   
 Support: Dbl.  thru \_\_\_\_\_ Redbl   
 Card-showing  Min. Offshape T/O

**NOTRUMP OVERCALLS**  
 Direct: **15** to **18** Systems on   
 Conv.   
 Balancing: **12** to **15**  
 Jump to 2NT: Minors  2 Lowest   
 Conv.

**NAMES** \_\_\_\_\_  
**GENERAL APPROACH**  
 The Foundation System  
**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

**SIMPLE OVERCALL**  
 1 level **8+** to \_\_\_\_\_ HCP (usually)  
 often 4 cards  very light style   
**Responses**  
 New Suit: Forcing  NFConst  NF   
 Jump Raise: Forcing  Inv.  Weak   
 Q = LR+

**DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP**  
 vs: Direct Seat Bal. Seat  
 2♣ ♣, ♦, ♥, or ♠ ♣  
 2♦ ♥ & ♠ ♦  
 2♥ ♥ & Minor ♥  
 2♠ ♠ & Minor ♠  
 Dbl: Penalty Some 44  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS**  
**1NT**  
**15** to **17** 3♣ Invites 3N  
 \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ 3♦ Invites 3N  
 5-card Major common  3♥ Forcing  
 System on over \_\_\_\_\_ 3♠ Forcing  
 2♣ Stayman  Puppet   
 2♦ Transfer to  4, 4 Transfer   
 Forcing Stayman  Smolen   
 2♥ Transfer to  Lebensohl  (\_\_\_\_\_ denies)  
 2♠ **MSS** Neg. Double : \_\_\_\_\_  
 2NT \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**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 \_\_\_\_\_

**OPENING PREEMPTS**  
 Sound Light Very light  
 3/4-bids     
 Conv./Resp. \_\_\_\_\_

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

**MINOR OPENING**  
 Expected Min. Length 4 3 2 Other  
 1♣      
 1♦

**DIRECT CUEBID**  
 OVER: Minor Major Artif. Bid  
 Natural     
 Strong T/O     
 Michaels

**VS Opening Preempts Double Is**  
 Takeout  thru **4♥** Penalty   
 Conv. Takeout: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lebensohl 2NT Response   
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**RESPONSES**  
 Double Raise: Force  Inv.  Weak   
 After Overcall: Force  Inv.  Weak   
 Conv. Raise: 2NT  3NT  Splinter   
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 1NT: Forcing  Semi-Forcing   
 2NT: Forcing  Inv.  \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
 3NT: **15** to **17**  
 Drury  : Reverse  2-Way  Fit   
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**RESPONSES**  
 Double Raise: Force  Inv.  Weak   
 After Overcall: Force  Inv.  Weak   
 Forcing Raise: J/S in other minor   
 Single raise  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Frequently bypass 4+ ♦   
 1NT/1♣ **8** to **10**  
 2NT Forcing  Inv.  **11** to **12**  
 3NT: **13** to **15**  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**SLAM CONVENTIONS** Gerber : 4NT: Blackwood  RKC  1430   
 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 x x x x x x x  
 (x)x(x) x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x  
 (AK)x T9 x AKJ x AQJ x  
 KQ x KJT x AJT9 AT9 x  
 QJ x KT9 x KQJ x KQT9  
 JT9 QT9 x QJT x QT9 x  
 KQT9 JT9 x T9 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

**DESCRIBE** **RESPONSES/REBIDS**  
 2♣ **22+** to Bal \_\_\_\_\_ HCP  
 Strong  Other  or 17+ & 9T  
 2♦ Resp: Neg  Waiting   
 2♦ **8** to **11** HCP  
 Natural  Conv.  2NT Force  New Suit NF   
 2♥ **7** to **10** HCP  
 Natural  Conv.  2NT Force  New Suit NF   
 2♠ **7** to **10** HCP  
 Natural  Conv.  2NT Force  New Suit NF

**OTHER CONV. CALLS:** New Minor Forcing:  2-Way NMF   
 Weak Jump Shifts  4th Suit Forcing: 1 Round  Game

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