DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening)

1 level, 8-16 not vul, 10-16 vul. usually 5+ cards (rarely 4), in response cue bid is limit+ with 3 cards fit, 2N limit+ with 4 cards fit, level 1\3 forcing, Lvl 2 NF

2 level, 10-16 not vul, 12-17 vul, natural responses (cue bid limit+)

1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)

2nd: 15-17(18) system on

4th: (10)11-14 system on

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

weak jump overcalls, natural responses, unusual 2NT to show 2 lower suits (michaels)

DIRECT AND JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopen)

direct cue bid, michaels

jump cue bid ask for stopper

VS. NT (vs. Strong/ Weak; Reopening; PH)

capp on 2nd, rev capp on 4th

VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids)

normal takeout double, 2NT 16-18, 3NT to play

over 3♣, X=balanced hand (2-3 ♠), 3♦= unbalanced takeout

over 3♠,X=balanced hand(2-3♠),4♣=unbalanced takeout

VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS

vs strong 1♣: x=majors 1NT=minors

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

2 level transfers, xx without fit with (9)10+

on 1 minor (x) 3m=inviting, 2n= preempt in the minor

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	Lead	In Partner's suit
Suit	3\5	3\5
NT	attitude	3\5
Subseq	present count when switching	

(reverse count)

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	ask for attitude signal	same
King	ask for count signal or KQ	ask for unblock or count
Queen	QJ	KQ..., QJT, QJ9 AQJ
Jack	JT	JT
10	HT9, T9	HT9, AJT, KJT
9	from shortness	T9, from shortness
Hi-x	from shortness	from bad suit or shortness
Lo-x	3\5	from good suit

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

		Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
Suit	1	attitude-low enc	count-low even	suit prefrence (o\e)
	2	count-low even	suit prefrence	count-low even
	3	suit prefrence		
NT	1	attitude-low enc	smith-low enc	suit prefrence(o/e)
	2	count-low even	count-low even	count-low even
	3	suit prefrence	suit prefrence	

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Response; Reopening)

natural style and responses, in balance position bay be weaker

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE (RE-)DOUBLES

support, negative, rosenkrantz, responsive

WBF Convention Card

♠ ♥ ♦ ♣

Category: Green

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PLAYERS: Dror Padon

Bar Tarnovski

SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

2\1 GF, 5 maj better minor

1NT=15-17

weak 2's

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE

michaels, capp

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

when we reach constructive vul game

IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE

2 way checkback, walsh

PSYCHICS: very rare

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OPENING	TICK IF ARTIF	MIN NO OF CARDS	NEG. DBL THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		3	3sp	12+ HCP Any shape	1♦-*walsh , Wjs , 1NT = 8-11, 1♥/♠ - 6+HCP,inverted	1♣- 1♦ - 1NT(every balance hand),1♣-2♣ (inverted) - (show stoppers)	natural
				open 1♣ with 3 in both minors	1♣-3♣ = 6-9 HCP	1♣-2♣=6-9HCP	
1♦		3	3sp	12+ HCP Any shape	Wjs,1nt=6-9 , 1nt=10-12, 3nt =13-15,2♣=GF,	1♦-2♣(GF): 2♦(every 5♦(rare 4)),2♥(4441,4450),2♠(fit ♣ 16+),3♣(fit ♣ min)	natural
				open 1d with 4+ in both minors	1♥/♠ - 6+HCP,inverted,1♦-3♦=6-9HCP	1♦-2♦ (inverted) -answers: (show stoppers)	
1♥		5	3sp	12+ HCP Any shape	1NT=F,2♣/♦=GF,BERGEN,2NT=F raise.Wjs,2♥=8-10	1M-1NT(F1R)-2♣/♦(better minor),1M-3♣(bergen)-3♦(INV)	drury
						1M-2NT*(F raise):3♣(min hand),3♦(15+ Dsuit),3H(♣ suit 15+),3NT=18-19balance	
						3♠/4♣/♦(void),4M(balance 15-17)	
1♠		5		12+ HCP Any shape	1NT=F,2♣/♦/♥=GF,BERGEN,2NT=F raise.Wjs,2♠=8-10	same as on 1♥	drury
1 NT					2♣=NON Forcing , 2♦/♥/♠/NT(transfers)	1NT-2♦/♥(Xfer):new suit will be 2 cards in bided suit and fit 4cards in the transfer suit	natural
					3♣=(rozenkratz)GF, 3♦(majors inv)	1NT-2♣-2♦(no 4card major):2♥(signoff 4-4,4-5majors),2♠(5SP 4♥ INV)	
					3♥/♠ single and at least 9cards minor (5+,4+)	3♣/♦(slamish),3♥/3♠ = shortnes.	
2♣	✓				2♦(relay),other 8+HCP	2♦(after 3♣) (sec NEG),2♦(waiting),2NT(8-9HCP), new suit (8+HCP)	natural
2♦		6		(5)6-10 HCP	2nt(ogust),other F+ natural	2nt(ogust)*:3♣(min without 2 of AKQ),3♦(min with 2 of akq),	natural
						3♥(max without 2 of AKQ),3♠(max with 2 of akq),3NT(AKQ)	
2♥		6		(5)6-10 HCP	2nt(ogust),other F+ natural	2nt(ogust)*:3♣(min without 2 of AKQ),3♦(min with 2 of akq),	natural
						3♥(max without 2 of AKQ),3♠(max with 2 of akq),3NT(AKQ)	
2♠		6		(5)6-10 HCP	2nt(ogust),other F+ natural	2nt(ogust)*:3♣(min without 2 of AKQ),3♦(min with 2 of akq),	natural
						3♥(max without 2 of AKQ),3♠(max with 2 of akq),3NT(AKQ)	
2 NT				20-22 HCP balance hand	3♣ (Rozenkratz),3♦/♥(GF Xfer),3♠(MMS)		natural
3 bids		7			3NT(to play), 3X:Forcing		natural
3NT	✓	8		weak in minor Nvul/vul 7/8 tricks			
4♣	✓	7		solid ♥ suit with 2 controls			natural
4♦	✓	7		solid ♠ suit with 2 controls			natural
						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	

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