# **Defensive and Competitive Bidding**

Overcalls (Style; Responses; Reopening)

1-level: Light 2-level: Sound

Responses: 1-level F1, 2-level constructive, 3-level GF. Jumps are minisplinter, double jumps Splinter, cue-bid is a good raise in overcaller's suit.

#### 1 NT overcall (2ND/4TH; Responses; Reopening)

15-18 HCP.

Same responses as after opening 1NT.

#### Jump Overcalls (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

**1-Suit**: Light jump overcalls, but not bad red vs. white 2-Suit: 2NT = 2 lowest suits (5+-5+) weak/strong

#### Direct and Jump Cue Bids (Style; Responses)

Over 1\*: 2\* = \*, 2\* = both M (5+-5+), 2 NT=  $\checkmark/$  (5+-5+) Over  $1 • : 2 • = Both Majors (5+-5+), 2 NT = <math>\checkmark/$  (5+-5+) **Over M**: Other Major + 4 (5+-5+), 2 NT = 4/4 (5+-5+)

Jump cue-bid: Asks for stopper

#### VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopen: PH)

2♣ = Both Maiors

2 ♦ = ♥ OR ♠

2 v = v and a minor (usually longer, 4(5) v and 5+minor) 2 = 4 and a minor (usually longer, 4(5) 4 and 5+minor) 2NT =Both minors OR any Strong 2-suiter 4th seat and after initial pass: DONT

#### VS. Preempts (Doubles; Cue bids; Jumps; NT bids)

Take out DBL (Lebensohl)

4m: leaping michaels (GF with 5+ and 5+ in other Major) Jump overcall in Major: Good hand.

Cue-bid: Ask for stopper Over 3M: 4m natural

#### VS. Artificial Strong Openings

#### VS. 2 ♦ Multi

DBL = Takeout vs ♠ or strong 2NT = 15-18 HCP, (semi)balanced

# **Leads and Signals**

#### **Opening Leads Style**

	Lead	In Partner's Suit
Suit	3 <sup>rd</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup>
NT	3 <sup>rd</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup>

# Attitude

Subseq

Leads					
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT			
Ace	AK, Ax, A	Axx(x)			
King	AK, KQ(x)	KQ(x), AKJ10(x), KQ109(x AKQ(x)			
Queen	QJ(x),	QJ(x), AQJx(x),			
Jack	J10(x), KJ10(x)	J10(x), HJ10(x)			
10	109(x), H109(x)	109(x), H109(x)			
9	9x	9x, 98(x)(x)			
Hi-X	Even number	Normally even number			

#### Signals in order of priority

	Partners lead Declarer		Discarding		
Suit:	Encrg/Discrg	Count	Count Encrg/Discrg		
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Count	Count	Count		
3 <sup>rd</sup> Count C		Count	Count		
NT:	Encrg/Discrg	Count	Encrg/Discrg		
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Count	Count	Count		
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Count	Count Cou			

#### Signals (including Trump's):

Hi-Low = Discra/Even number. Low-Hi = Encra/Odd number Smith (NT): Hi-Low likes the lead from both.

Lavinthal: Obvious positions, and possibly when declearer leads.

#### **Doubles**

### Takeout Doubles (Style; Responses; Reopening)

Light style, also reopenings

# Special, Art and Comp Dbl/Rdbl's

Neg, Responsive, Support DBL to 2♥, Competitive DBL

1♣ - (1♦) – DBL shows both Majors

1m - (1♥) - 1♠ shows 5+♠,

1m - (1♥) - DBL shows exactly 4 ♠,

1m- (1♠) - DBL strongly suggests at least 4♥



# System Card



**WBF** 

Category: Green

NCBO: **Norway Seniors** 

Event: 2021

Players:



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Odd A. Frydenberg

# **System Summary**

#### **General Approach and Style**

Natural, 5c M . 3rd hand openings may be light Light preempts green vs. red

**1NT Openings**: (14)15-17 HCP (5M/6m/single/5422) 2-over-1 Responses: GF except rebid in the minors

# Special bids that may require defence

# Special forcing pass sequences

When GF established After 1m-(p)-2m-(2/3x)After 1M-(p)-2NT-(3x)

# Important notes that don't fit

xy-NT/xyz: 2♣=sign off in ◆ OR INV, 2♦=GF

# **Psychics**

Rare, but might occure.

Opening	Art	Min. #	Neg. D. thru	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1&		3	5◆	10+ HCP, 3+♣	1 ◆/▼/♠ = 6+ HCP and 4+ cards in the suit Walsh: 1 ▼/♠ can have longer ♦ if weak.  1 NT = 6-10 HCP (no majors) 2♣ = GF w/ 4+♣.  3♣ = Preemptive (about 0-5 HCP) 2♦ = Inv w/ 5+♣.  2 ▼/♠ = 8-11 HCP, 6(+)cards. 2 NT = 11-12 HCP.  3 ▼/♠ = Shortness w/5+♣. 3 NT = 13-15 HCP.	1♣-1 • -1 • / ♠ = Unbalanced 1♣-1 • -NT= 11-14 balanced, can have 4c • / ♠	2♣ = 6-9 HCP w/ ♣. 2♠ = 10-11 HCP w/ ♣
1♦		3	5◆	10+ HCP, 3+◆ (3 ◆ only if 4-4-3-2)	1 √/♠ = 6+ HCP and 4+ cards in the suit 1 NT = 6-10 HCP (no majors) 2♣ = GF if not rebid. 2 ◆ = GF w/ 4+ ◆. 2 √/♠ = 8-11 HCP, 6(+)cards 2 NT = 11-12 HCP. 3♣ = Inv w/ 5+ ◆ 3 ◆ = Preemptive (about 0-5 HCP) 3 √/♠ = Shortness w/ 5+ ◆. GF. 3 NT = 13-15 HCP		2 ◆ = 6-9 HCP w/ ◆. 3 ♣ = 10-11 HCP w/ ◆
1♥		5	5◆	10-22 H CP, 5+♥	1NT=6-12 HCP NF, 2♣= a)GF if not rebid. b) inv (9+-12-HCP) w/ 3♥ 2♠= GF if not rebid. 2♥= 5-9 w/3+♥. 2♠=shortage in m 2NT=4+♥ GF. 3♣ = 6-9 or 10-11 w/4+♥, no shortness. 3♠= shortage in ♠. 3♥= pre-empt. 3♠=to play. 3NT=void in ♠. 4♣/4♠=void.	1 v-2NT, 3♣/♦/ ♠ = Natural, extra values 1 v-2NT, 3 v=Minimum 1 v-2NT, 4♣/♦/ ♠ = void 1 v-2NT, 4 v = void in ♠, minimum	1 • -2 • = good raise w/ 3 • 1 • -2 • = good raise w/ 4 + • 1 • -2 • /3 • /3 • = shortness, 4 • •
1♠		5	5♦	10-22 HCP, 5+♠	Similiar as for 1 v. 2 v = GF.	Similiar as for 1♥	Similiar as for 1♥
1 NT			5♦	(14)15-17 HCP (Good 14 to 17) May have 5c M, 6c m, (5-4-2-2) and singleton	2♣=Stayman, 2♦/2♥=Transfer to 2♥/2♠. 2♠ = Transfer to ♣. 2NT= Both minors, weak/strong. 3♣ = Transfer to ♦. 3♦= Invitational to 3 NT, normally solid suit.3♥/♠= shortness GF. 4♣/♦ = Texas.	1NT-2*, 2 • -2 • =pick a M; bid 2 • w/ equal length. 1NT-2*, 2 • -2 • = lnv w/ 4 • 1NT-2*, 2 • -2 • = both M (5+-5+), GF. 1NT-2*, 2 • • • -3*=Asking bid.	
2.	٧			Strong, HCP (22+) OR tricks (8,5+)	2 → =Weak OR waiting, 2M=GF, at least 5 card suit 2NT= GF w/5-5 minors, 3m=GF, at least HHxxxx	g	
2♦		6		6(+) ♦, 5-10 (11) HCP	2 V/♠= constructive, 2NT=Ask for values in other suits 3♣= NAT GF. 3/4♠=Preempt. 3 V/♠= NAT GF. 4 V/♠=To play	2 ♦-2NT, 3♣/▼/♣= values in that suit NT 3 ♦= Minimum 3 NT = solid suit	
2♥		6		6(+) ♥, 5-10 (11) HCP	2♣= NAT F1, 2NT=Ask for shortage 3♣/♦= NAT GF. 3♥=Preempt. 3♠= NAT GF. 4♣/4♦=Splinter	2 <b>v</b> -2NT-4 <b>*</b> ,4 <b>•</b> = Void, 4 <b>v</b> = void in <b>•</b>	
2♠		6		6(+)♠, 5-10 (11) HCP	Similiar as for 2♥. 4♥ = To play.	Similiar as for 2♥	
2 NT			5♦	20-21 HCP	3♣ = Puppet, 3♦/3♥ = TRF and GF, 3♠ = 44+m	2NT-3♣, 3♦=At least one 4c M, 3♥/3♠=5c, 3NT=Denies 4/5 c M	
3x		(6) 7		PRE, 2-10 HCP ACC to VUL	New suit = Forcing 3NT= To play. 4♥/♠=To play		
3NT	٧			Solid minor, gambling (no side A or K in 1st and 2nd seat)	4♣=p/c, 4♦= asking for shortness	High Level Bidding	
4.		7		PRE, ACC to VUL	4♦=cuebid, 4♥♠=To play, 4NT=BW	RKCB (1430)	
4 •		7		PRE, ACC to VUL	4 <b>v</b> ♠=To play, 4NT=BW	Exclusion RKCB, DOPI/ROPI	
4♥,♠		7		PRE, ACC to VUL	4♠=To play 5m=Cuebid	5NT is frequently pick a slam.	
4NT	V			Asks for specific aces	5♣=0 Ace, 5NT=2Aces, 5♦/5♥/5♠/6♣= that Ace	Splinter bids	
						Cue-bids (Italian style)	