

# This card is for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> seat only

GENERAL APPROACH ROUND ROBIN  
 Modified Fantunes: 1♣ 10-14, 1♦ 15+ <6M, 1M 8-10, 1N 10-12,  
2♣ 5+♥ 15+, 2♦ 5+♠ 15+; 2♥ – 2♠ nat. 10<sup>+</sup>-14  
 FORCING OPENING: Other  1♦, 2m

NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS

INT <u>10 to 12</u> 2♣ <u>GF Art.</u> <input type="checkbox"/> nf Stayman 2♦ <u>puppet ♦ 2♥</u> 2♥/2♠ <u>nat 4+ inv</u> Texas <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Transfer Lebensohl <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Fast Denies) Neg. Double <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>2♦ – 4♦ + 5m</u> <u>2N, 3X inv</u>	2NT <u>20 to 21</u> Transfer Responses: <u>Jacoby <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Texas <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></u> <u>3NT Gambling</u> <u>solid suit no side</u> <u>A/Kx, 4♦ ask</u>
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MAJOR OPENING  
 8-10 nf, may have longer side suit  
 Expected Minimum Length 4  
 1♥ nat. not 4432/4333   
 1♠ nat. 0-3♥ not 4432/4333   
 RESPONSES  
 to 1♥: 1♠ GF; 1N 4+♠ nf,  
 2♣ nf, 2♦ inv ♥, 2♥ drop, 2♠  
 inv, 2N+ xfer Leb., 4m spl.  
 to 1♠: 1N Art. GF, 2♣ nat, 2♦  
 5+♥, 2♥ inv+♠, 2♠ drop, 2N+  
 xfer Leb, 4m spl

MINOR OPENING  
 Expected Minimum Length 0-2 Conv  
 1♣ ½ 10-14 0+♣ nf    
 13-14 bal, or 10-14 unbal 5+4+/4+5+Ms, 3-  
 suiter, or unbal 5+m hands or 7M  
 ¾: 5+♠5+♥ 15+ F1    
 1♦: 0+♥ 15+ F1 <6M    
 RESPONSES  
 to 1♣: 1♦ GF, art.; 1M nat. nf 0-9;  
 1N denies M nf 0-9; 2♣ inv+  
 stayman 4M optional 12+-13;  
 2♦ inv stayman 4M 10-11;  
 2♥+ inv 10-11  
 to 1♦: 1♥ semi pos art.;  
 1♠ 0-5- no aces; 1N+ GF  
 REBIDS  
 1♣-1♥; 2♦ raise, max  
 1♠-1♠; 2♦ 5+♥ F1;  
 2♥♠ supp, max+

DESCRIBE	RESPONSES/REBIDS
2♣ ½ <u>15 to 35</u> HCP <u>5+♥ F1</u>	<u>One-step GF</u> <u>New Suit NF</u>
2♦ ½ <u>15 to 35</u> HCP <u>5+♠ F1</u>	<u>One-step GF ½</u> <u>New Suit NF</u>
2♥/2♠ ½10 <sup>+</sup> to <u>14</u> HCP <u>5+cds, unbal, &lt;40M,</u> not 55+m, not 7(321)	<u>One-step GF</u> <u>New St. Art. Inv</u>

OTHER CONV. CALLS  
Vs. Str. (1♣)/(2♣) X Shape, blacks or minors 4+5+, min suit bid nat.,  
single jump ♦: ♥♦ 4+5+, single jump ♥: ♠♥ 4+5+, 1N ♠♥ 5+4+,  
2N Strong (15+) 2-suiter any; vs. min ♦ resp X lead, suits nat.,  
2NT any two suiter weak. Some P/X inversion.  
 Symmetric shortness and pattern asks in many GF auctions

SPECIAL DOUBLES  
 After Overcall: Penalty   
after opening 2♣-♠, 3♣+  
 Negative  2♦ thru 4♦ + 5m  
 Responsive  2♦ thru 4♦ + 5m  
 Support thru  2M Redbl   
1♣-(1Y)-X GF Art.  
vs. 1 level suit opening 15+ bal  
vs. 1♠ also shows stopper

NOTRUMP OVERCALLS  
 Direct: 10 to 17 3-suited t/o  
 (we use X to show str. bal)  
 Balancing: 10 to 16  
 Jump to 2NT:  
15+ 2-suiter 4<sup>-</sup> losers: vs. Nat.  
highest unbid & another;  
vs. Prec 1m any 2 suits

DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP  
 vs Strong (13.5+) Weak  
 2♣ 5+♣ 4+M any 2 suits  
 2♦ 5+♦ 4+M ♦  
 2♥ ♥ ♥  
 2♠ ♠ ♠  
 2NT 15+ any 2 ♣  
 Dbl: 4+♠ 5+♥ or 15+ pen  
4+♦ 5+♣

SIMPLE OVERCALL  
 1 level 8+ HCP (usually)  
 very light style   
 RESPONSES  
 New Suit: NF Constructive   
 Jump Raise: Weak

JUMP OVERCALL  
 Weak  5-11<sup>-</sup>  
/♠: 2♦: 4+♥5+♦, 2♥: 4+♠ 5+♥  
/♦: 2♥: 4+♠ 5+♥ (direct only)

OVER OPP'S T/O DOUBLE  
 New Suit Forcing: 1 level  2 level   
 Jump Shift: Inv  /♣ GF/1♦  
art./1M  
 2NT Over Majors and Minors  
 Limit +

OPENING PREEMPTS  
 3/4-bids Light   
Conv./Resp. cheap m-4♦ inv KC

DIRECT CUEBID  
 OVER: Minor Major  
 5+♠ 4♥ wk 4+oM 5+m  
 or huge 55Ms  
Natural over some art. openings  
 (e.g., Prec. 1m)

VS Opening Preempts Double is  
 Takeout  thru 4♥  
Conv. Takeout: 4N over 4♠  
Lebensohl 2NT Response

SLAM CONVENTIONS Gerber  4NT: RKC  1430   
Shortness ask, pattern ask, Casper, Control ask, Denial  
cue, preempt KC, GSF, Exclsn  
 vs interference: POD1, POR1, PEDO

LEADS  
 versus Suits  

XX	XXXX
XXXX	XXXXXX
AKX	T9x
KQX	KJT x
QJX	KT9x
JT9	QT9x
KQT9	

 versus NT  

XX	XXXX
XXXX	XXXXXX
AKJX	AQJX
AJT9	AT9x
KQJX	KQT9
QJT x	QT9x
JT9x	T9xX

 LENGTH LEADS:  
 4<sup>th</sup> Best vs NT   
 3<sup>rd</sup> Best/Low vs Suits   
 A if switching to x, K to xx  
 Attitude if length shown in bidding or  
 when breaking new suit after 1<sup>st</sup> trick  
 Primary signal to partner's leads:  
 Suit preference

DEFENSIVE CARDING  
 vs SUITS and NT  
Standard suit preference,  
no attitude  
 (suit preference instead).  
Standard count rarely  
 (e.g., king lead)  
 FIRST DISCARD  
Standard suit pref    
 OTHER CARDING  
 Trump suit pref   
 (rarely a trump echo  
 shows odd or interest in a  
 ruff)