



WBF Convention Card 2.19

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING		LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening)		OPENING LEADS STYLE			
Standard overcalls, New suit=F1 at 1-level, 2♣ = cue, cue = ♣ ,		Lead	In Partner's Suit		
Jump Cue = mixed Raise, 2NT = limit raise or better		Suit	3rd=even;low=odd	3+5=even;low=odd	
fit showing		NT	attitude	3rd=even;low=odd	Category: Green
		Subseq	attitude	attitude	Country: ITALY
		Other:			Event: Ebl Open
1NT OVERCALL (2ND/4TH Live; Responses; Reopening)		LEADS			Players: Giovanni Donati - Giorgio Duboin
15-17 System on		Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	SYSTEM SUMMARY
		Ace	AKx(+),Ax(+)	AKx(+)	GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
		King	AK,KQx(+)	AKJ10(+),KQ109(+),KQJ9(+)	1♣=2+, 1♦=4+ unbal. 5 Cards M
		Queen	QJx(+),Qx	KQ(J/10)x(+),QJx(+)	
balancing (10)11-15(16)		Jack	(A/K)J10x(+),J10x(+),Jx	(A/K)J10x(+),J10x(+),Jx	
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)		10	109x(+),H109x(+),10x	109x(+),H109x(+),10x	
1-Suit: 1m 2♥/♠ = weak		9	H98x(+),9xx	H98x(+),9xx	
2-Suit: 1♣ 2♦=♥+♠, 1♦ 3♣=♠+♠, 1♥ 3♠=♠+♦, 1♠ 3♣=♥+♦		Hi-x	Sx,HxSx,xxSx,	xSxx, Sxx, HxSx, xSSxx,HxxS	1NT Openings: 15-17
1m 2NT=♥+Om, 1♥ 2NT = ms, 1♠ 2NT=ms		Lo-x	xxS,HxS,xxxxS,HxxxS	HHxS, H10xS, HHxxS, H10xxS	2 OVER 1 Responses F.G.
Reopen: nat.		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	Transfer responses over 1♣
1♣ 2♣= nat+4M., 1♦ 2♦ = ♥+♠, 1♥ 2♥ = ♠+♠, 1♠ 2♠ = ♣+♥		Suit: 1st	Hi=DISCRG	Hi/lo=O	small = ENCRG
		2nd	Hi/lo=O	S/P	S/P
		3rd	S/P	Hi/lo=O	2♣ = 18-19 Bal.
		NT: 1st	same	same	Ligth Pre when favourable
VS. NT (vs. Strong / Weak; Reopening; PH)		2nd			
DBL = points		3rd			
2♣ = 4+♥ 4+♠		Signals (including Trumps): Smith, S/P in trump, Hi trump interest to ruff			
2♦ = 1M or 5M + 5M+5m strong		Rusinow at hi level contract			
2♥/♠ = nat. 4+m		Vs suit K lead from AK could show a side shortness			
Vs 1NT up to 14 1NT 2NT = 4♥ longer m, 3m =nat.+ 4♠		DOUBLES			
		TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids)		1♣ 1♦ DBL= 4+♥, 1m 1♥ DBL = 4+♠, 1m 1♠ DBL = 4+♥			
DBL= T/OI					
3♣ 4♣ = both Ms, 3♠ 4♦ =♦+M, 3♦ 4♠=♠+M 3♦4♦ = both Ms					
					SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS		SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES			Inverted DBLS,
DBL = Ms 4+4+, , 1NT both ms					In forcing situation at high level DBL = I prefer you bid, Pass TRF to DBL
					IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKE OUT DOUBLE					
RDBL = 10+ and after Inverted DBLS					
after 1M DBL or opening 1M overcall DBL Transfer					Psychics:

OPENING BID DESCRIPTIONS

Opening	Artificial	Min.	Neg Dble thr	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1♣		2	7♥	2+♣ 12-14, 4+♣ 11+	1♦=4+♥, 1♥= 4+♠, 1♠= ♦ or no M, 1NT0 8-10	1♣ 1♦ 1♥ = 3♥ bal or 3/4 ♥ unbal., 1♣ 1♦ 1NT = 2♥	Donati Duboin Italy
1♣					2♣= ART F.G.no 5M, 2♦/♥= inv ♥/♠, 2♠ = 6+♣ inv+	1♣ 1M 2♦ = strong w/o 3 cards support	
1♣					2NT = Pre ♣ or solid semisolid M F.G.	1♣ 1M 2OM = strong W 3+ cards support	
1♦		4	7♥	5+♦ 11+ or 1-444 or 444-1	nat. 1NT = F.G. no 5M, 2♣= nat. N.F. 2♥/♠ = 6+ Inv	Gazzili w/o 3+ support, 1♦ 1M 2OM = strong 3+ support	
1♦					2NT = Pre ♦ or solid semi solid M F.G., 3♣ = 6+ Inv		
1♥		5	7♦	11+5+♥	nat.,1NT = N.F., 2NT= limit raise, 3♣= Bad F.G. raise	Gazzilli 5+♥ 4+♣ 11-15 or any 16+	Drury
1♥					3♦ = any splinter, 3♥ = Pre, 3NT = void ♣,4♣=♦ 4♦=♠		
1♠			7♥	See 1♥	1♠ 3♣ 0 6+♥ Inv	Gazzilli 6+♠ 11-15 or any 16+	
1NT				(14)15-17 poss 5M with 14-16	Stayman Transfer		
2♣			7♥	18-19 Bal no 5M	2♦=4+♥, 2♥=4+♠, 2♠= force 2NT bal hand or 4♠ 5+m		
2♣					or short M w/o other M, 2NT= force 3♣ to play 3♦ or slam		
2♣					try with 1 or 2 m, 3♣=5+4 Ms, 3♦ = 4-4 Ms, 3♥=5♠332		
2♣					3♠=5♥332,4♣=6+♦, 4♦=6+♣		
2♦				23+ Bal or any F.G.	2♥ = waiting, 2♠ = negative		
2♥				6+♥ 5-10	2♠= asks, 2NT= ♠		
2♠				6+♠ 5-10	2NT = Asks, 3♣ = ♥		
2NT				20-22 bal. possible 5M	Puppet Stayman, Transfer		
3♣		6		could be very light favourable	3♦= Art force 3♥ various hands never weak		
3♦		6			4♣ optional KC		
3♥		6			same, 4♦ Art slam try w/o good support		
3♠		6			same		
3NT		6		Good 4M opening	4♣ = ask for TRF suit, 4♦ Art. slam try		
4♣		7		Pre no special agreement			
4♦		7					
4♥		6			4♠ to play 4NT KC 5m asking for control		
4♠		6			same		
4NT							
5♣							
5♦							
5♥							
5♠							
5NT							

HIGH LEVEL BIDDING

Over Ms 4NT RKCB 1-4 0-3 2+Q

when 4♣/♦ set the suit 1st step = even # of KC, cue = control + odd #

Long suit trial bid

Exclusion BW 0-1-2-3

Double KC when 2 suits are fitted before or when other 5cards suit is bid in

front of balanced hand