

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
GOOD SUIT GOOD HAND: NS=F1:Cuebid Raises;
Jump Raise = Pre
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
15-18 IN 2 nd ; 10-12NV 12-14V in 4 th ; STAYMAN=OPP
SUIT WEAK T/O; 2nt=INV
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
1-Suit: WEAK 6 CARDS
2-Suit: GHESTEM [6]
Reopen: STRONG
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
Int. Jump Q in opp suit (M) asks for stopper at LVL
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
HAMILTON 2♣=M; 2♦=Unspec. 6 Card M; 2♥=♥&1m;
2♠=♠&1m; 2NT=♣♦; RESP. =[7]
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
DBL=OPP=OPEN Bid in Bal Seat; NT=Strong to play;
Cue=2 Suiter; Next Suit=T/O
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
Jumps=Pre
DBL=M
NT=m
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Support + NS Jumps=Pre; NS Low Level=F1;
RDBL=Defensive values & tends to deny fit with partner

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	4TH	SAME	
NT	SAME	SAME	
Subseq			
Other:			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AX; AKX	A Ask Att	
King	KQX; AK; KQJ	K Ask Unblock	
Queen	QJ10; QJXX; QX	Q Ask Unblock	
Jack	JX; J10X	J = No higher	
10	10X; 109X	(A/K) J10	
9	9X	109 (+); 9(+)	
Hi-X	XX	XX	
Lo-X	XXX(+)	XXX(+)	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Hi/Lo = 0	Same	Hi/Lo = 0
Suit 2	U/D Attitude		U/D Att
3			
1	Attitude	U/D Count	U/D Count
NT 2	Unblock K Q		
3			
Signals (including Trumps): Trump peter=Desire to Ruff			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
DBL of M Shows other M or very Str Hand			
All DBLs show supp for min of 2 suits			
Resp Suit jumps NF CUE =FG			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Neg=4 Cards in other M or m's; Free Bid of M=5+cards;			
COMPETITIVE: Honour card in Partner's o/c suit is shown by DBL			
or RDBL of opp bid at low lvl			
RESPONSIVE: after opp support at low level :- Note 5			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: GREEN
NCBO: SOUTH AFRICA
PLAYERS: PETRA MANSELL / MERLE MODLIN
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SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
ACOL
5 Card Major in 1 st & 2 nd seat. Approach with ♣
Strong 2 Bids
Multi 2♦
2♣=♣ or 23+ HCP Balanced
1NT Opening: 15-17
2 Over 1 Response: Forcing to 2NT
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
Multi 2D[1]
Stenbergs 2NT after Major Opening [2]
Lebensohl [3]
Trial Bids [4]
4 th Suit force (need not be Suit) = FG
Weak jumps in competition i.e.
Partner: 1♦; RHO: 1♥
Responder: 2♠ = weak
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
IMPORTANT NOTES
PSYCHICS:

WBF SUPPLEMENTARY SHEET
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(NOTE 1): MULTI 2♦=FAIR 6 CARD SUIT (COULD BE 5 IF NV) OR STRONG 2♦ OPENING: RESP. 2♥=RELAY; 2♠=PREFERS ♥; 2NT=FORCE; 3♣♦=NAT & FORCE OVER 2♦-DBL-P=♦; RDBL=♣ OVER OPP M X=P/C; JUMP RESP=PRE P/C OPENERS REBIDS AFTER 2♥♠=P/C; AFTER 2NT: 3♣=GOOD♥; 3♦=GOOD♠; 3♥♠=BAD SUITS
(NOTE 2): STENBERG 2NT AFTER MAJOR OPENINGS 2NT BY UPH=FORCING RAISE WITH SHORTAGE & 10+; 3♣ RESP TO 2NT ENQUIRES ABOUT SHORTAGE. BID SHORTAGE 3NT=BALANCED. ENQUIRES AND RESP FOLLOW IN STEPS
(NOTE 3): LEBENSOHL AFTER 1NT OPENER 2NT FORCES 3♣ THEN P/C BY RESPONDER SHOWS WEAK HAND FREE 3 LEVEL BIDS FORCING EXCEPT m ARE INVITE WITH INTERFERENCE OVER 1NT OPENING 2NT=TRS TO 3♣ WITH FOLLOWING REBIDS 3NT=VALUES WITH NO STOPPER; CUE= NO STOPPER AND OTHER M; WHERE LIMIT BID WAS AVILABLE A SUIT REBID AFTER 2 NT IS INVITE DIRECT CUE BID AFTER INTERFERENCE SHOW STOPPER & OTHER M; OVER WEAK 2'S WHEN PARTNER DOUBLES LEBENSOHL APPLIES; 2NT=TRS 3♣; OTHER BIDS ARE CONSTR.
(NOTE 4): TRIAL BIDS LONG SUIT AFTER M RAISE RESPONSES: 3M=NO HELP; 3NT=VALUES; 4M=SHORTAGE (SINGLETON); RAISE OF SUIT=VOID OR STIFF ACE; ANY OTHER SIDE SUIT SHOWS VALUES AND DOUBLETON IN ASKED SUIT.
(NOTE 5): AFTER PARTNER'S TAKE OUT DOUBLE – AND RHO SUPPORTS OPENER'S SUIT – A DOUBLE (RESPONSIVE) WOULD BE INCLINED TO DENY OTHER M.
(NOTE 6): GHESTEM 2 SUITERS (5/5+) OPP. OPENER 1m-2m=♠ & OTHER m 1M-2M=♣ & OTHER M 1♣-3♣=♥♠ 1♦-3♦=♥♠ 1M-3♣=♦ & OTHER M 1m-2NT=♥ & OTHER m 1M-2NT=BOTH m
(NOTE 7) HAMILTON RESPONSES OVER 2♣ BETTER MAJOR TO DESIRED LVL; 2♦=POOR HAND NO PREF (2+CARDS) 2NT=GOOD HAND NO PREF OVER 2♦ 2♥=RELAY, WEAK HAND; 2♠=♥PREF; 2NT=GOOD HAND; NmS=FORCE OVER 2♠&2♥ 3♣=P/C; 2NT=FORCE; BID MAJORS TO DESIRED LVL
(NOTE 8): TRANSFER BIDS OVER 2NT 3♦=♥; 3♥=♠; 3♠=3NT TO PLAY OR IF RESPONDER BIDS IT=SINGLE SUITED MINOR =SLAM INTEREST 3NT=SHOWS BOTH MINORS WITH SLAM INTEREST. OPENER MUST SHOW BETTER m.
(NOTE 9): RESCUES OVER INT-DBL SUIT BID SHOWS 5(+) OF SUIT; REDBL=4333; PASS=DEMAND REDBL BY OPENER AND 2 FOUR CARD SUITS
(NOTE 10): DEFENSE TO OPP MULTI 2♦ DBL=13-17 BAL OR 22+; 2♥♠=T/O FOR OTHER MAJOR; 2NT=18-21; OTHER BIDS=NATURAL; IN BAL SEAT (PROTECTIVE) BID OF m=m & OTHER MAJOR; DBL=PEN; 2NT=BOTH m
(NOTE 11): WHEN RESPONDER BIDS A NEW SUIT OVER PARTNER'S PRE-EMPT BID AS FOLLOWS: 3NT=S OR VOID IN RESPONDER'S SUIT NEW SUIT=3 CARD SUPPORT – SHORTAGE IN SUIT BID RAISE=2 CARD SUPPORT- SIDE SINGLETON REPEAT OWN SUIT=7-2-2-2 DISTRIBUTION

