





Defensive and Competitive Bidding
Overcalls (Style; Responses; Reopening)
Light 1 level, sound 2 level Cue normally fit, invitational
1 NT overcall (2ND/4TH; Responses; Reopening)
15-18; system on
Jump Overcalls (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Weak (1x) - 2 NT = two lowest unbid suits
Direct and Jump Cue Bids (Style; Responses)
1m-2m=Both major 1M-2M=other MAJ+ another (1x) – 3x ask for stopper
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopen: PH)
DBL at least same range as opener 2♣=Both majors 2♦=♥ OR 4♠+longer minor 2♥ = 4♥ + longer minor 2♠= Nat Reopening: Same
VS. Preempts (Doubles; Cue bids; Jumps; NT bids)
Take out DBL Cue-bid: Ask for stopper Over op weak 2/weak 3 in MAJ: 4♣/♦ = 5 +5M and strong
VS. Artificial Strong Openings
Strong♣ = 1♦ = MAJ, 1NT = MIN, 2♣ = 5♣ + 5♥, 2♦ = 5♦ + 5♠, 2NT = 5♦ + 5♥, 3♣ = 5♣ + 5♠ DBL = T/O
Over Opponents' take out double
RDBL = 9+ HCP 2NT = 9+ HCP with support 1♥-(Dbl)-2♦ = bad ♥ raise, 2♥ = good ♥ raise 1♠-(Dbl)-2♥ = bad ♠ raise, 2♠ = good ♠ raise

Leads and Signals			
Opening Leads Style			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3 rd -5 th	3 rd -5 th	
NT	3 rd -5 th	3 rd -5 th	
Subseq	Attitude		
Leads			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AKx/AKxx(x)	AK/AKx/AKxx(x)	
King	AK/KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT(x)	AK/AKx/AKxx(x)/KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT(x)/	
Queen	QJ(x)/QJT(x)	QJ(x)/QJT(x)/AKQx/KQJ(x)	
Jack	HJT(x)/JT(x)	HJT(x)/JT(x)/AJTx(x)	
10	HT9x/AQT(x)/T9x	HT9x/AQT(x)/T9x	
9	9x	9x	
Hi-X	Even	Even	
Signals in order of priority			
	Partners lead	Declarer	Discarding
Suit:	Low enc.	count	Low enc.
2 nd			
3 rd	count		count
NT:	Low enc	Count, smith	Low enc
2 nd			
3 rd	count		count
Signals (including Trump's): Smith against NT (high Card)			
Doubles			
Takeout Doubles (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Style: Light, Responses: Only cue forcing Reopening: Light			
Special, Art and Comp Dbl/Rdbl's			
SUPPORT DBL TO 2♥ RESPONSIVE DBL, COMPETITIVE DBL			

System Card	
	
WBF	NBF
System: nat w/transf after 1♣	
Players	 
	Kurt Ove Thomassen Svein Gunnar Karlberg
System Summary	
General Approach and Style	
Natural , 5c M. Transfer responses to 1♣ Light openings	
Special bids that may require defence	
2♦ = 5-9HCP, at least 5 in a MAJ 1♣ - (1♦) - 1♥ = 4+♠ 1♣ - (1♦) - 1♠ = Denies 4+ M 1♣ - (1♥) - 1♠ = Denies 4+ ♠	
Special forcing pass sequences	
Important notes that don't fit	
XY-XYZ 2♣ = sign off in 2♦ OR INV, 2♦ = GF	
Psychics	
MAY OCCURE	

Notes for Kurt Thomassen – Svein Karlberg, Norway Open

Note 1: 1♥/1♠ – 2♣

1♥ – 2♣	At least invitational. Says nothing about the clubs
2♦	5♥+, 13+
2♥	5♥, 10-12
2♠	6♥+ / 4♠+ 10-12
2NT	5♥, 13-14 OR 17+ og 6♥+ 4♠/4♦/4♠ =>3♠=?, 3♦=♠, 3♥=♦, 3♠=♠, 3NT=13-14
3♣	5♥+ 4♠/4♦, 17+, 3♦=? =>3♥=♠, 3♠=♦
3♦	5♥+ 5♦/5♠, 17+, 3♥=? =>3♠=♠, 3NT=♦
3♥	6♥+, 17+
3♠	5♥+ 4♠+, 17+
3NT	18-19 NT
1♥ - 2♣	
2♦ -	2♥ =?
2♠	13-14 2NT=?
3♣	13-14, 5♥+ 4♠/4♦/4♠, 3♦=? =>3♥=♠, 3♠=♦, 3NT=♠
3♦	13-14, 5♥+ 5♠/5♦, 3♥=? =>3♠=♠, 3NT=♦
3♥	13-14, 6♥+ 4♠
3♠	13-14, 6♥+ 4♦
3NT	13-14, 6♥+ 4♠
1♥ – 2♣	
2♦	2♥=?
2NT	15-16, 5♥+ 4♠/4♦/4♠ el. 13-14 og 6♥, 3♠=?, 3♦=♠, 3♥=♦, 3♠=♠, 3NT=6♥(13-14)
3♣	15-16, 5♥+ 5♠/5♦, 3♦=? =>3♥=♠, 3♠=♦
3♦	15-16, 6♥+ 4♠
3♥	15-16, 6♥+
3♠	15-16, 6♥+ 4♦+
3NT	15-16, 6♥+ 4♠+
1♠ – 2♣	
2♦	5♥+, 13+
2♥	5♠ + 4♥, 10-12
2♠	5♠, 10-12
2NT	5♠, 13-14 OR 17+ og 6♠+4♠/4♦/4♥ =>3♠=?, 3♦=♠, 3♥=♦, 3♠=♥, 3NT=13-14
3♣	5♠+ 4♠/4♦/4♥, 17+, 3♦=? =>3♥=♠, 3♠=♦, 3NT=♥
3♦	5♠+ 5♦/5♠, 17+, 3♥=? =>3♠=♠, 3NT=♦

3♥ 5♠+ 5♥, 17+
3♣ 6♠, 17+
3NT 18-19 NT

1♠ - 2♣
2♦ - 2♥=?
2♣ 13-14
2NT=?

3♣ 13-14, 5♠ + 4♣/4♦/4♥, 3♦=? =>3♥=♣, 3♠=♦, 3NT=♥
3♦ 13-14, 5♠ + 5♣/5♦/5♥, 3♥=? =>3♠=♣, 3NT=♦, 4♣=♥
3♥ 13-14, 6♠ + 4♣
3♣ 13-14, 6♠ + 4♦
3NT 13-14, 6♠ + 4♥

1♠ - 2♣
2♦ 2♥=?

2NT 15-16, 5♠ + 4♣/4♦/4♥ OR. 13-14 og 6♠, 3♣=?, 3♦=♣, 3♥=♦, 3♠=♥, 3NT=6♠

3♣ 15-16, 5♠ + 5♣/5♦/5♥, 3♦=? =>3♥=♣, 3♠=♦, 3NT=♥
3♦ 15-16, 6♠ + 4♣
3♥ 15-16, 6♠ + 4♦
3♣ 15-16, 6♠
3NT 15-16, 6♠ + 4♥

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Note 2: 1♥/1♠ –2NT

2NT is at least invitational with 4 card support

1♥		
3♣	– 2NT	
3♦		: 11-14hp
3♥		: 15hp+ og 1 unknown singel
3♠		: 15hp+ 5♥ + 4-2-2 (any 4 card)
3NT		: 15hp+ void in ♣
4♣		: 18-19 NT
4♦		: 15hp+ void in ♠
4♥		: 15hp+ void in ♦
4♠		: 15+ 6-7♥, no singel/void

1♥		
3♣	-2NT	
3♥	-3♦	: Relay
3♠		: 11-12hp, balanced (could be 5-4-2-2)
3NT		: 11-14hp, unknown singel
4♣		: 13-14 hp, balanced (could be 5-4-2-2)
4♦		: 11-14hp void in ♠
4♥		: 11-14hp void in ♦
4♠		: 13-14hp 6+♥
4♣		: 11-14, void in ♠

1♥		
3♣	- 2NT	
3♠	- 3♦	
3♠	-3NT	: Relay
4♣		: singel ♣
4♦		: singel ♦
4♥		: singel ♠

1♥		
3♦	- 2 NT	
3♣	- 3♥	: Relay
3NT		: Singel ♣
4♣		: Singel ♦
4♠		: Singel ♠

1♥		
3♥	- 2NT	
3NT	- 3♠	: Rele
4♣		: 4 card ♣
4♦		: 4 card ♦
4♠		: 4 card ♠

1♠	- 2NT	
3♣		: 11-14hp
3♦		: 15hp+ unknown singel
3♥		: 15hp+ void in ♥
3♠		: 15hp+ 5♠ + 4-2-2 fordeling
3NT		: 18-19 NT
4♣		: 15hp+ void in ♣
4♦		: 15hp+ void in ♦
4♥		: 15+ 6♠, no singel/void
4♠		: 15+ 7-2-2-2 fordeling

1♠	-2NT	
3♣	-3♦	: Relay
3♥		: 11-12hp, balanced (could be 5-4-2-2)
3♠		: 11-14hp, unknown singel
3NT		: 13-14 hp, balanced (could be 5-4-2-2-)
4♣		: 11-14hp void in ♣
4♦		: 11-14hp void in ♦
4♥		: 11-14hp void in ♥
4♠		: 13-14hp 6+♠

1♠	- 2NT	
3♣	- 3♦	
3♠	-3NT	: Relay
4♣		: singel ♣
4♦		: singel ♦
4♥		: singel ♥

1♠	- 2 NT	
3♦	- 3♥	: Relay
3♠		: Singel ♣
3NT		: Singel ♦
4♠		: Singel ♥

1♠	- 2NT	
3♠	- 3NT	: Relay
4♣		: 4 card ♣
4♦		: 4 card ♦
4♥		: 4 card ♥