




Defensive and Competitive Bidding
Overcalls (Style; Responses; Reopening)
Sound at two level, pre-empts can be very light NV, light to doubles, seldom penalty doubles
1 NT overcall (2ND/4TH; Responses; Reopening)
15-18, stayman and transfers
Jump Overcalls (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Weak
Direct and Jump Cue Bids (Style; Responses)
Stopper?
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopen: PH)
2clubs: Majors 2diamonds: one major 2 major 4major and 4+ minor 2NT minors or two suits GF 4 th seat and pre-passed Meckwell DON'T Dbl=one minor or MM 2c1 = Cl + Maj, 2di = DI + MAJ 2h\2sp = NAT
VS. Preempts (Doubles; Cue bids; Jumps; NT bids)
TO doubles, 4 minor= minor+major, NT natural
VS. Artificial Strong Openings
Natural, NT two suits
Over Opponents' take out double

Leads and Signals			
Opening Leads Style			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3 rd -5 th =odd; 2-4 th -6 th =even	3 rd -5 th =odd; 2-4 th -6 th =even	
NT	3 rd -5 th =odd; 2-4 th -6 th =even	3 rd -5 th =odd; 2-4 th -6 th =even	
Subseq			
Leads			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	AK/AKx/AKxx(x)	AK/AKx/AKxx(x)	
King	KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT(x)	KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT(x)	
Queen	AQJ(x)/QJ(x)/QJT(x)	AQJ(x)/QJ(x)/QJT(x)	
Jack	HJT(x)/JT(x)	HJT(x)/JT(x)	
10	HT9x/AQT(x)/T9x	HT9x/AQT(x)/T9x	
9	H9x/9xx/T9	H9x/9xx/T9	
X	Hxx _x /HT9 _x /x _x xx(x)	Hxx _x /HT9 _x /x _x xx(x)	
Signals in order of priority			
	Partners lead	Declarer	Discarding
Suit:	Low enc	Smith/lavinthal	Hi lo even
2 nd			
3 rd			
NT:	Low enc	Smith, high like	Hi lo even
2 nd			
3 rd			
Signals (including Trump's): Low enc, smith: high likes, lavinthal in trumps			
Doubles			
Takeout Doubles (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Special, Art and Comp Dbl/Rdbl's			

System Card		
		
System:		
Players	Geir Helgemo	Kåre Bogø/others
System Summary		
General Approach and Style		
Natural, 2\1 GG Light openings if distributional		
Special bids that may require defence		
Special forcing pass sequences		
Important notes that don't fit		
Psychics		
rare		

Opening	Art	Min. #	Neg. D. through	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding	
1♣		3		Better Minor	Nat responses, 2cl inverted raise			
1♦		3		Better minor	Natural responses, 2d inverted			
1♥		5		5+, 10-22	2NT GF, 3level invitational natural		2cl = 3+ support and invitational 2nt = mnors	
1♠		5		5+, 10-22	2NT GF, 3level invitational natural		Double drury	
1 NT				15(14)-17	Stayman, transfers, 3cl\3di\3h\3sp= shortness	When opps interfere, we play transfer lebensohl. 2nt = ask partner to bid 3 clubs, for play 3cl or 3 di. All bids on 3 rd level = transfer and invite ++		
2♣				strong	2d weak/wait, 2NT minors, 3major 4card longer diamonds			
2♦				Weak 2	2nt asking, 2maj = not forcing but can be raised from opener with support, or maximum			
2♥				Weak, 6vul	2nt ask shortness, 3x = nat forcing			
2♠				Weak, 6vul	2nt ask shortness, 3x = nat forcing			
2 NT				20-21	Muppet, transfers 3 level, 4 level slamtry 2 suits above.	Slam Conventions		
3x			preemt	4clubs slamtry	Dopi, ropi, rkcb 0314, 5nt specific kings ++			
3NT			Solid major	4clubs bid under your suit, 4nt ask length				
4♣,♦			preemt	natural				
4♥,♠			preemt	5 level cuebid				
4NT			Aces?					