




DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING		LEADS AND SIGNALS			WBF Convention Card		
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 level; Reopening)		OPENING LEADS STYLE				NCBO Logo & Coloured Sticker:   <small>UPDATED 2013/5/7</small>	CATEGORY: GREEN NCBO: CHINA HONG KONG    EVENTS: ALL PLAYERS: ARTHUR LAU – MICKEY LAW
8+ HCP, NAT (4-card possible)			Lead	In Partner's Suit			
New suit: 1/2-level = NF, Jump Shift = INV	Suit	ATT		Low = O			
TRF advances, Jump CUE = Ask Stopper	NT	ATT		ATT			
Jump Raise = PRE	Subseq	Remainder CT / ATT		Remainder CT / ATT			
	Other: H asks unblocking H immediately below vs NT; else Ace asks ATT, King asks CT						
1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)		LEADS				SYSTEM SUMMARY	
15-18 HCP as over 1NT OPEN against NAT OPEN	Lead		Vs. Suit	Vs. NT			
12-15 HCP NV as over 1NT OPEN against ART 1♣/1♦ which can be made with 14 HCP or less	Ace		AK(+),Ax(+)	AKx(+),AQx(+),Ax(+)	GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE		
Reopening 11-15 (1m) / 12-16 (1M) HCP as over 1NT OPEN	King		KQ(+),AKxx(+),Kx(+)	KQ(+),AKJx(+),Kx(+)	Two-Over-One Game Force		
	Queen		QJ(+),Qx(+)	QJ(+),HQ(J/T)x(+),Qx(+)	5-card M; Short 1♣		
	Jack		JT(+),KJTx(+),Jx(+)	JT(+),HJ(T/9)x(+),Jx(+)	Open 2+ CTRL rule-of-18/19 for 10+/9- cards in 2 suits and all 13+ HCP		
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Reopen)	10		Tx(+),HT9x(+)	Tx(+),HT9x(+)	May respond 1-level for 0-5 HCP at risk		
1-Suit: 5-card + PRE	9		9x(+),H98x(+)	9x(+),H98x(+)	PRE can be wild if partner passed before anyone opens		
2-Suit: Unusual NT	Hi-x		Sx(+),xSx(+),HSx	Sx(+),xSx(+),HSx	Frequent upgrade and light opening		
3NT = NF	Lo-x		HxS,(H/x)xxS(+)	HxS,(H/x)xxS(+)	1NT Opening: 15-17 HCP		
Reopen: Intermediate, 2NT = 19-21 HCP	SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY				2 OVER 1 Response: FG except PH		
DIRECT and JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopen)		Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding	SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE		
Direct Michaels over NAT OPEN promising 3-card+ suit	Suit	1	Low = E	Low = E	Multi 2♦ (WK either M poor suit)		
STR T/O at balancing seat		2	Low = ENCRG	S/P	Bergen Raises of 1M		
Jump CUE asks for stoppers at all seats		3	S/P		Free Bids over OPPT O/C (1-level F1; 2-level NF; 3-level FG)		
	NT	1	Low = E	Low = E	COMP CUE = L/R+		
VS. NT (vs. Strong / Weak; Reopening; PH)		2	Low = ENCRG	REV Smith	Rubensohl over 1NT intervened (direct denies) / 2NT O/C		
Multi Landy (Vs STR/WK and Direct/Balance)		3	S/P	S/P	Lebensohl over REV / T/O at 2-level		
DBL = PEN (5+ m & 4M for PH), 2♣ = 54+ ♥+♠, 2♦ = 1-suited ♥/♠, 2♥ = 54+ ♥+m, 2♠ = 54+ ♠+m, 2NT = 55+ ♣+♦, 3♣/3♦ = NAT, 3♥/3♠ = PRE, 3NT = NF	Signals (including Trumps): UDCA				Michaels; Unusual NT; Unusual Vs Unusual		
					Multi Landy against 1NT opening		
					Defenses against ATR STR OPEN / T/O DBL		
	DOUBLES						
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids)	TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)						
Intermediate Jump O/C, Leaping Michaels, DBL = T/O	Generally thru 4♦; promises 4OM or 43+ Ms; offshape OK						
2NT = 16-19 HCP, 3NT = NF, 4NT = 2-suited T/O	PEN Pass over OPPT RDBL						
CUE = Ask Stopper (3-level) / 2-suited T/O (4-level)	CUE (Opener's suit = F1; Responder's suit = NAT)						
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS	RESP DBL thru 4♦ (4-card doubled M / 44+ m / 4-4 M; 8+ HCP)				SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES		
Suction	SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES						
	NEG / RESP DBL thru 4♦						
	OPT DBL beyond 4♦						
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE	MAX O/C DBL (DBL of 3♦ for ♥ / 3♥ for ♠ by Opener/Aggressor)				IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE		
RDBL = 10+, 1NT = ♣, TRF advances up to 2m/2M, 2NT/Jump = FIT, single raise NF	SUPP DBL/RDBL thru 2♥ (3-card SUPP by Opener; any strength)				We seldom DBL (immediate) for PEN at low level but conversion by a pass is often possible.		
	Snapdragon DBL thru 2♠				PSYCHICS: Rarely		
	L/D DBL						

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. No. OF CARDS	NEG. DBL THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT AUCTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣	✓	2	4♦	(8)11-22 HCP 3+ ♣ unless 4432 (23)44 opens 1♣	1♦ = INV+ 5+ ♦ (4+ M if FG)/7- HCP no 4M; 1♥/1♠ = 4+ ♥/♠; 1NT = 8-9(10) HCP no 4M; 2♦ = FG 5+ ♦ no 4M/3343; 2♥ = NF 5+ ♠ 4+ ♥; 2♠ = 7- HCP/FG 5+ ♣ 5+ ♦; 2NT = INV 33(43); 3♦/3♥/3♠ = 5- HCP 7+ ♦/♥/♠; 3NT/4♥/4♠/5♦ = NF; 4♦ = Roman Gerber; 4NT = Specific Ace ASK; m Raises [1]	1♠-1♦ [2]; 1♠-1♥/1♠ [3]; 1♠-1NT // 2♣/3♣ = 13-15 (INV)/16+(FG) HCP 6+ ♣, 3NT = 18-20 HCP BAL; 1♠-2♦ [4]	2♦ = 4- HCP 6+ ♦
1♦		4	4♦	(8)11-22 HCP 4+ ♦ (14)44 opens 1♦ (15- HCP 1345/3145 possible)	1♥/1♠ = 4+ ♥/♠; 1NT = 9- HCP no 4M; 2♣ = FG 5+ ♣/3334; 2♥/2♠ = NF/INV 5+ ♠ 4+/4-card ♥; 2NT = INV no 4M/♦; 3♣ = INV 6+ ♣; 3♥/3♠ = 5- HCP 7+ ♥/♠; 3NT/4♥/4♠/5♣ = NF; 4♣ = Roman Gerber; 4NT = Specific Ace ASK; m Raises [1]	xyz [-]; 1♦-1♥/1♠ [3]; 1♦-2♣ [5]	2♣ = INV 5+ ♣
1♥		5	4♦	(8)11-22 HCP 5+ ♥ (4-card 3RD/4TH possible)	1♠ = 4+ ♠; 1NT = 11- HCP F1; 2♣/2♦ = FG 3+ ♣/4+ ♦; 4♠/5♣/5♦ = NF; 4NT = Specific Ace ASK; M Raises [6]	xyz [-], Meckstroth Adjunct [-]	2♣/2♦ = Drury; 2♠/3♣/3♦ = FIT; Jacoby 2NT OFF; Bergen OFF
1♠		5	4♦	(8)11-22 HCP 5+ ♠ (4-card 3RD/4TH possible)	1NT = 11- HCP F1; 2♣/2♦/2♥ = FG 2+ ♣/4+ ♦/5+ ♥; 4♥/5♣/5♦ = NF; 4NT = Specific Ace ASK; M Raises [6]	Meckstroth Adjunct [-]	2♣/2♦ = Drury; 3♣/3♦/3♥ = FIT; Jacoby 2NT OFF; Bergen OFF
1NT			4♦	(14)15-17 HCP BAL (6m/Singleton possible, 5M if M<=K/Q-T/9-xxx & 3OM ONLY)	2♣ = STAY; 2♦/2♠/2NT = Hardy [7]; 2♥/4♦/4♥ = TRF; 3♣/3♦ = INV; 3♥/3♠ = FG 13(45)/31(45); 4♣ = Roman Gerber; 4♠/4NT = S/T (23)44/33(34); 5♣/5♦ = NF	Smolen 3-level, Texas re-TRF	
2♣	✓	0		22+ HCP ART/FG 8.5+ tricks	2♦/2♥/2♠ = 0-1/2/3+ CTRL	2NT or cheapest bid = 2ND NEG	
2♦	✓	0		8- HCP 5+ ♥ or ♠ often 5 with H(s)/6+ poor, 1ST-3RD ONLY	2♥/2♠/3♥/3♠ = P/C; 2NT = (R); 3♣ = NF; 3♦ = NAT F1; 3NT/4♥/4♠ = NF; 4♣/4♦ = TRF/M ASK; 4NT = Specific Ace ASK		NAT RESP
		5		(13- HCP 6+ ♦ 4TH)			
2♥		5		5-10 HCP 6+ good ♥ 1ST-3RD (13- HCP 6+ ♥ 4TH)	2♠/3♣/3♦ = F1; 2NT = (R); 3♥/3NT/4♥/4♠ = NF; 4♣ = RKC; 4NT = Specific Ace ASK		
2♠		5		5-10 HCP 6+ good ♠ 1ST-3RD (13- HCP 6+ ♠ 4TH)	2NT = (R); 3♣/3♦/3♥ = F1; 3♠/3NT/4♥/4♠ = NF; 4♣ = RKC; 4NT = Specific Ace ASK		
2NT				20-21 HCP BAL (5M/6m/Singleton possible)	3♣ = Modified Romex; 3♦/3♥/4♦/4♥ = TRF; 3♠ = m STAY; 4♣ = Roman Gerber ; 4♠/4NT = S/T 2245/2254; 5♣/5♦ = NF		
3♣		5		6+ ♣ PRE Rule of 2-3-4	3♦/3♥/3♠ = F1; 3NT/Raise = NF; 4♦ = RKC; CAB		4TH OPEN 10-13 HCP
3♦		5		6+ ♦ PRE Rule of 2-3-4	3♥/3♠ = F1; 3NT/5♣/Raise = NF; 4♣ = RKC; CAB		4TH OPEN 10-13 HCP
3♥		6		7+ ♥ PRE Rule of 2-3-4	3♠/4♣/4♦ = F1; 3NT/Raise = NF; 4NT = RKC; CAB		4TH OPEN 10-13 HCP
3♠		6		7+ ♠ PRE Rule of 2-3-4	4♣/4♦ = F1; 3NT/4♥/Raise = NF; 4NT = RKC; CAB		4TH OPEN 10-13 HCP
3NT	✓			7+ SOL ♥/♠ 8.5+ tricks	4♣/4♦/4NT = CUE/M/Specific Ace ASK; 4♥/4♠ = NF	HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
4♣		6		7+ ♣ PRE Rule of 2-3-4	4♦ = Majors; 4NT = RKC; 5♥/5♠ = CAB; Rest NF	CUE: 1ST or 2ND, only 1ST in own suit	
4♦		6		7+ ♦ PRE Rule of 2-3-4	4NT = RKC; 5♥/5♠ = CAB ; Rest NF	Last Train to Clarkesville	
4♥		6		7+ ♥ PRE Rule of 2-3-4	4♠/5♣/5♦ = CAB; 4NT/5NT = RKC/GSF; Rest NF	Splinter (Re-CUE/DBL/RDBL = void)	
4♠		6		7+ ♠ PRE Rule of 2-3-4	4NT/5NT = RKC/GSF; 5♣/5♦/5♥ = CAB; Rest NF	RKC1430, D0P1 (5-level), DEPO (6-level +)	
4NT	✓			Specific Ace ASK	5♣/5♦/5♥/5♠/5NT = NIL/♣/♦/♥/♠ (Skip denies) [--]	Kickback RKC for ♣/♦, Exclusive RKC, Roman Gerber (14-03-2)	
5♣		7		8+ ♣ PRE Rule of 2-3-4	5♦/5♥/5♠ = CAB; 5NT = GSF; Rest NF	Grand Slam Force (requesting 2/AKQ)	
5♦		7		8+ ♦ PRE Rule of 2-3-4	5♥/5♠ = CAB; 5NT = GSF; Rest NF		

CATEGORY: GREEN		WBF SUPPLEMENTARY SHEET		PAGE 1
NCBO: CHINA HONG KONG		PLAYERS: ARTHUR LAU – MICKEY LAW		
[1]	1♣/1♦ – Minor Raises 2m = INV+ 4+ m no 4M F1 [1.1]&[1.2]; 3m = 7- HCP PRE; 4m/5m = PRE	3.1	1♣ – 1♥/1♠ // 2♣(NF 6+ ♣ unless 1435 over 1♣-1♠) – RESP 2♦ = INV+ new minor forcing; 2M/3M = NF/INV 6+ M; 2♥/3♥(OM) = INV 4+/5+ ♥; 2♠(OM) = FG NAT; 2NT/3♣ = INV; 3♦ = INV 6+ ♦	
1.1	1♣ – 2♣(FG except 2NT/3♣ rebid) // 2♦ = Both m or BAL no 4-card ♣/♦; 2NT/3♣ = NF 4+/5+ ♣; else FG 4+ ♣; 2♥/2♠ = Values; 3♦/3♥/3♠ = SPL; 3NT = 18-20 HCP BAL	3.2	1♦ – 1♥/1♠ // 2♦(NF 6+ ♦) – RESP 2M/3M = NF/INV 6+ M; 2OM = FG New Major Forcing (Opener 3♣ = waiting); 2NT/3♦ = INV; 3♣ = INV 6+ ♣; 3♥(OM) = INV 5+ ♥	
1.2	1♦ – 2♦(FG except 3♦ rebid) // 2NT/3♦ = NF; else FG: 2♥/2♠/3♣ = Values; 3♥/3♠/4♣ = SPL	3.3	1♣/1♦ – 1♥/1♠ // 2NT(18-19 HCP BAL no 4M SUPP) – RESP 3♣ = Check-back up-the-line (general); 3♦ = 5+ M 4+ m check-back up-the-line; 3M = FG 6+ M; 3OM = S/T 4-card M 4+ m; 3NT/4M = NF	
[2]	1♣ – 1♦(7- HCP no 4M/10+ HCP 5+ ♦, 4+ M longer ♦ if FG) // 1♥ = 11-17 HCP 5+ ♣ 4+ ♥ unless 4414, xyz OFF except 2♣ [2.1]; 1♠ = 11-17 HCP 5+ ♣ 4+ ♠, xyz OFF except 2♣ [2.1]; 1NT = 11-14 HCP BAL, xyz OFF except 2♣ [2.1]; 2♣ = 11-17 HCP 6+ ♣ [2.2]; 2♦ = 16+ HCP 5+ ♣ 4+ ♦ F1 (2M = FG 5+ ♦ 4+ M, 2NT = LEB, else 10-12 HCP 5+ ♦); 2♥/2♠ = 18+ HCP NAT FG, LEB; 2NT = 18-19 HCP BAL [2.3]; 3♣/3NT = INV/SOL 6+ ♣; 3♦/3♥/3♠ = FG 6+ ♣ SPL	3.4	1♣ – 1♥/1♠ // 3♦(18-19 HCP BAL 4-card ♥/♠) – RESP 3M/3NT/4M = NF; 3OM = 3NT/4M ASK or S/T; 4♣/4♦/4OM = SPL;	
		[4]	1♣ – 2♦(FG 5+ ♦ no 4M/3343) // 2♥/2♠ = Values, 4+ ♣ (RESP 3NT shows 3343 ~16-17 HCP); 2NT/3NT = 11-14/18-19 HCP BAL no 4m; 3♣ = 6+ ♣; 3♦ = 4+ ♦; 3♥/3♠ = SPL	
		[5]	1♦ – 2♣(FG 5+ ♣/3334) // 2♦ = No 5+ ♦ or 14- HCP; else 15+ HCP 5+ ♦; 2♥/2♠/3♣ = 5+ ♦ 4+ ♥/♠/♣; 2NT/3♦ = 6+ ♦ 2-3/0-1 ♣; 3♥/3♠ = SPL; 3NT = 18-19 HCP BAL	
2.1	1♣ – 1♦ // 1♥/1♠/1NT – RESP 2♣ = TRF 2♦ (subseq 2♥/2♠ = INV 1354/3154, 2NT/3♣ = INV 5-card/6+ ♦ 4-card ♣); 2♦ = INV 6+ ♦; 2NT = INV; 3♣ = INV 5+ ♦ 5+ ♣; cheapest M/OM = FG 5+ ♦ 4+ M/OM	[6]	1♥/1♠ – Major Raises 2M = 6-9 HCP 3-card M; 2♠(OM) = FG 5+ ♠ 3+ ♥; 2NT = FG 4+ M usually 15+ HCP NOT 4M(432) (Jacoby); Bergen raises: 3♣ = 6-9 HCP 4+ M (Opener 3♦ Range ASK), 3♦ = L/R 4+ M, 3M = 0-5(VUL 3-5) HCP 4+ M PRE; 3♥(OM)/3♠(OM)/4♣/4♦ = 12-14 HCP SPL; 3NT = 12-14 HCP BAL 4+ M NOT 4M(432); 4M = PRE 5+ M; 1♠/1NT then 3M = L/R 3-card M	
2.2	1♣ – 1♦ // 2♣(NF 6+ ♣) – RESP 2♦/3♦ = NF/INV 6+ ♦; 2♥/2♠ = NAT FG; 2NT/3♣ = INV; 3♥/3♠ = SPL, INV ♣ SUPP			
2.3	1♣ – 1♦ // 2NT(18-19 HCP BAL) – RESP 3♣ = Check-back up-the-line (10+ HCP 5+ ♦); 3♦ = 10-12 HCP 6+ ♦; 3♥/3♠ = SPL, 5+ ♦ 4-card ♣; 3NT = NF; 4♣ = 5+ ♦ 5+ ♣	[7]	1NT – Hardy 2♦ = TRF 2♥, 5+ ♥ or S/T 6+ ♣/♦ [7.1]; 2♠ = m STAY, WK 55+ ♣+♦ (RESP 3♣) or WK 6+ ♦ (RESP 3♦) or S/T 55+ ♣+♦; 2NT = TRF 3♣, WK 6+ ♣ or S/T (4441) [7.2]	
[3]	1♣/1♦ – 1♥/1♠(4+ ♥/♠) // 1♠(OM) = 4+ m 4+ ♠ (i.e. bypass ♠ if 4333), xyz [-]; 1NT = 11-14(15) HCP BAL (singleton M/OM/♣ may exist for 1♦ opener) no 4M SUPP, xyz [-]; 2m = NF 6+ m unless 1435 over 1♣-1♠ [3.1&3.2]; 2♣(om)/3♣(om) = Semi-F (4)5+ ♦ 4+ ♣ (RESP 2OM = 4sF)/FG 5+ ♦ 4+ ♣; 2♦(om)/2OM = NAT F1, LEB; 2M = MIN unbalanced or 11-14 HCP BAL 4-card M; 2NT = 18-19 HCP BAL no 4M SUPP [3.3]; 3m/3NT = INV/SOL 6+ m; 3♦(om) = 18-19 HCP BAL 4-card M [3.4]; 3M = INV unbalanced 4-card M; 3OM/4om = SPL; 4m/4M = Mild S/T 6+ m 4+ M/18+ HCP 4+ m 4-card M no SPL	7.1	1NT – 2♦ // 2♥ = Normal accept (RESP 2♠ PUP 2NT to deny ♥); 2♠ = Super accept (RESP 2NT PUP 3♥ to imply ♥); RESP (after ♥ denied or not implied) 3♣/3♦ = 6+ ♣/♦ 1/AKQ; 3♥/3♠ = 6+ ♣/♦ 2/AKQ; 3NT = SOL 6+ ♣/♦	
		7.2	1NT – 2NT // 3♣ – 3♦/3♥/3♠ = 4414/4144/1444; 3NT/4♣ = NF/FG 4441	