



The E-Z BLUE Card

SIMPLE OVERCALLS
 Normal Range _____ to _____
RESPONSES
 New Suit: Forcing Non-Forcing
 Jump Raise: _____

NOTRUMP OVERCALLS
 Direct: _____ to _____ Systems on
Conv. _____
 Balancing: _____ to _____
 Jump to 2NT: Minors 2 Lowest
Other _____

JUMP OVERCALL
Strong **Intermediate** **Weak**

DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP
Direct Seat **Balance Seat**
 2♣ _____
 2♦ _____
 2♥ _____
 2♠ _____
 DBL _____

OPENING PREEMPTS
 3 Level Bids and 4 Level Bids
 Vul: Sound Light
 NVul: Sound Light
 Describe _____

OVER OPPONENT'S T/O DOUBLE
 New Suit Forcing: 1 Level
 Jump Shift: Forcing weak
 Redouble implies no fit
2NT Over

Other: _____

SPECIAL DOUBLES
 After Overcall **Penalty** _____
 Negative thru _____
Support Double thru _____
Other _____

vs Opening Preempts Doubles Is
 Takeout thru _____ **Penalty**
Conv. Takeout _____

DIRECT CUEBID Over Minor Major
Natural
Michaels

SLAM CONVENTIONS
 4♣: Gerber RKC 3014 RKC 1430
 4NT: Blackwood RKC 3014 RKC 1430

Interference over 4♣, 4♦, 4NT **DOP1**

LEADS (circle card led, if not in PURPLE)

Versus Suits	Versus NoTrump
Xx xxxX	Xx Xxx
xxX xxxXx	Xxx xxxXx
AKx T9x	AKJx AQJx
KQx KJTx	AJT9 AT9x
QJx KT9x	KQJx KQT9
JT9 QT9x	QJTx QT9x
KQT9	JT9x T9xx

Primary signal to partner
 Attitude
 Count
 Suit Preference

DEFENSIVE CARDING
 Standard vs SUITS vs NT
 Except
Upside Down Count
 Attitude

LENGTH LEADS:
 4th Best vs SUITS vs NT
 3rd/5th Best vs SUITS vs NT
 Attitude vs NT

FIRST DISCARD
 Lavinthal
 Upside Down
 Odd / Even

NAMES: _____

GENERAL APPROACH

STANDARD AMERICAN
TWO OVER ONE: Game Forcing: Game Forcing Except
 When Suit Rebid Other

NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS
 1NT to _____
Systems On Over
 3♣ _____
 3♦ _____
 3♥ _____
 3♠ _____
 2♣ Stayman _____
 2♦ Transfer to♥ 4♦/4♥ Transfer
 2♥ Transfer to♠ _____
 2♠ _____ Neg. Double _____
 2NT _____ **Other:** _____

2NT _____ to _____
Transfer Responses
Jacoby **Texas**
Other _____
 3NT _____ to _____
Gambling

MAJOR OPENING
 Expected Min. Length 4 5
 1st/2nd
 3rd/4th

MINOR OPENING
 Expected Min. Length 4 3 **NF**
 1♣ **0-2**
 1♦

RESPONSES
 Double Raise:
 Forcing Inv Weak
 After Overcall:
 Forcing Inv Weak
Drury: **Other:** _____
1 NT: Forcing **2 NT: Jacoby** **Other:** _____

RESPONSES
 Double Raise: Forcing Inv **Weak**
 After Overcall: Forcing Inv Weak
Single Raise: **Other:** _____
 2 NT Forcing Inv _____ to _____
 3 NT _____ to _____

DESCRIBE RESPONSES/REBIDS

2♣ _____ to _____ HCP
 Strong _____
 2♦ _____ to _____ HCP
 Natural: Weak **Strong** **Conv.**
 2♥ _____ to _____ HCP
 Natural: Weak **Strong**
 2♠ _____ to _____ HCP
 Natural: Weak **Strong**

2♦ Resp: Neg Waiting

 2NT Force **New Suit NF**

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CONVENTIONAL CALLS:

Blue = Announce Red = Alert

YOUR PAIR NO.

IRREGULARITY? → PROMPTLY SUMMON
QUESTION? THE DIRECTOR



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BID NO.	DLR & VUL	OPP. PAIR NO.	CONTRACT & DECLARER	PLUS	MINUS	LEAD	PTS. + A -	PTS.	BID NO.	DLR & VUL	OPP. PAIR NO.	CONTRACT & DECLARER	PLUS	MINUS	LEAD	PTS. + A -	PTS.
1	N NONE								19	S E-W							
2	E N-S								20	W BOTH							
3	S E-W								21	N N-S							
4	W BOTH								22	E E-W							
5	N N-S								23	S BOTH							
6	E E-W								24	W NONE							
7	S BOTH								25	N E-W							
8	W NONE								26	E BOTH							
9	N E-W								27	S NONE							
10	E BOTH								28	W N-S							
11	S NONE								29	N BOTH							
12	W N-S								30	E NONE							
13	N BOTH								31	S N-S							
14	E NONE								32	W E-W							
15	S N-S								33	N NONE							
16	W E-W								34	E N-S							
17	N NONE								35	S E-W							
18	E N-S								36	W BOTH							

20 POINT VP SCALE

30 POINT VP SCALE

INTERNATIONAL MATCHPOINTS

IMP's	VP's	IMP's	VP's	IMP's	VP's	IMP's	VP's
0	10-10	14-16	16-4	0	15-15	9-10	24-6
1-2	11-9	17-19	17-3	1	18-12	11-13	25-5
3-4	12-8	20-23	18-2	2	19-11	14-16	26-4
5-7	13-7	24-27	19-1	3	20-10	17-19	27-3
8-10	14-6	28+	20-0	4	21-9	20-23	28-2
11-13	15-5			5-6	22-8	24-27	29-1
				7-8	23-7	28+	30-0

Diff. In Pts.	IMP's	Diff. In Pts.	IMP's	Diff. In Pts.	IMP's	Diff. In Pts.	IMP's
20-40	1	270-310	7	750-890	13	2000-2240	19
50-80	2	320-360	8	900-1090	14	2250-2490	20
90-120	3	370-420	9	1100-1290	15	2500-2990	21
130-160	4	430-490	10	1300-1490	16	3000-3490	22
170-210	5	500-590	11	1500-1740	17	3500-3990	23
220-260	6	600-740	12	1750-1990	18	4000-up	24