DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING						
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2level; Reopening)						
1/1 F1 2/1= F1 Jump Raise=PRE						
Resp:1/1F1; Cue = F1; 1NT = 8-10						
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1NT OVERCALL (2 <sup>nd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> live; Responses; Reopening)						
15-17 pts PH overcall of 1NT: 5m - 4M						
Reopen – 11-14. 24: stayman/TRFs						
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)						
2♥/♠ = natural- weak						
1 <b>.</b> - 2 ♦ =Majors						
1M - 2NT: 5-5+♣/♦ . 1m - 2NT: $\forall$ and other minor						
2NT reopen: 19-20. JUMP (reopen) INTERM:						
DIRECT and JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopen)						
$1 \checkmark / - 2 \checkmark / $ : Other M and m $- 1 \checkmark / - 3 \checkmark / $ asks stopper						
$1 \frac{1}{4} / 2 \frac{1}{4}$ nat $-1 \frac{1}{4} / 2 \frac{1}{4}$ :Majors $1 \frac{1}{4} / \frac{1}{4} - 3 \frac{1}{4} / \frac{1}{4} = natural$						
VS. NT (vs. Strong / Weak; Reopening; PH)						
$2 \clubsuit = ♥ - \spadesuit$ , at least 5-4 (2 ♠ asks longer suit)						
$2 \blacklozenge = 1 \text{ major } ( \blacktriangledown \text{ or } \spadesuit)$ 2NT ?m, $3 \clubsuit$ , $3 \spadesuit$ natural						
$2 \checkmark / \spadesuit = 5 + \checkmark / \spadesuit + 4 + \text{minor}$						
2NT: 5-5+ ♣/♦ Double: penalty.						
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids)						
natural						
VERSUS ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS						
CANADA CANDA MENTRA CONTRA MENTRA DA INDE						
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE						
1♣/♦ DBL RDBL: 10+						
1 ♥/♠ DBL-1NT =better suport than 2 ♥/♠						

LEADS AND SIGNALS								
OPENING LEADS STYLE								
	Lead		In Partner's Suit					
Suit	4th							
NT	2/4th		=					
Subseq	S with interest		=					
Other: V	s NT, A asks CT/U	B, K asks	ATT					
LEADS								
Lead	Vs. Suit		Vs. NT					
Ace	AKx(+); Axx+		AKJ10(+)					
King	AK KQx(+)		AKx(+); KQx(+)					
Queen	QJX(+)		QJx, AQJx+; KQ109					
Jack	J10(x)(+); KJ10x		AJ10x; KJ10x; J10x					
10	109(x)(+); H109x	K(+)	same					
9	9x;; 98(x)(+)		9x;;98(x)(+)9xx					
Hi-x	Sx; xxxS		Sx; xSx; xSxx; Sxx;					
Lo-x	HxS; HxxSx		xxxS(x)(+	-)				
SIGNAL	S IN ORDER OF P							
	Partner's Lead	Declare		Discarding				
1	Lo/Hi=odd	Lo/Hi=odd		hi=Encourage				
Suit 2	hi=Encourage	Suit Pref		hi/lo= Even				
3	Suit Pref			Suit Pref				
1	=	=		=				
NT 2	=	=		=				
3	=			=				
	including Trumps):		)					
	trumps: usu interest	in ruff						
Stander of	count and att							
DOUBLES								
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style, Responses; Reopening)								
Light wit	Light with classic shape; Reopening may be slightly unshaped							
Double of M enphasizes M.								
SPECIAL; ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE (RE-)DOUBLES								
	1♣- (1♦) - D = 4♥ e 4♠ 1♣/♦ - 1♥ - D = 4♠ 1♣-1♠ D (4+♥) SUPP DBL/RDBL; INV DBL							
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1x –1y-D-RD- H in partner's suit (usu Hx)								

1/2NT- P – 3NT- D= asks ♠lead. (4♠) - (DBL) = OPT, (4♠) – 4NT: T/O



# INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION CARD

CATEGORY: NATURAL BRAZIL

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#### SYSTEM SUMMARY

#### GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE

1♥ / ♠ - 5 card Major

2♦/♥/♠ - Natural – Weak

1NT Opening: 15-17 pts

2 OVER 1 Response: FG except direct rebid ♣/◆

# SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE

INVERTED  $1 \triangleq /1$ NT RESP TO  $1 \checkmark$ ;  $(1 \checkmark -1$ NT =  $5 \triangleq$ , 5pts up) only if not pass hand

1♥-1♠=5-11 pts, 0-4 ♠ 1♠ - 1NT - 5-11 pts

DRURY: 2♣ w 3 cards support and 2♦ w 4, GAMBLING 3NT MOD LEB AFTER 2X – DBL

# SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

### IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE

2/1 F1 in competition

Light openings in third position NV

PSYCHICS: rare

OPEN	TICK IF ART.	MIN NO. OF CARD	NEG. DBL. THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT AUCTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1 *		3	4♥		1NT=6-10 ; 2NT=INV ; 3NT=13-15HCP; 3♣ =6-9 w/ 5♣;	1m-1M- 2m-2Lower = RELAY FG	Jumps = Fit showing
					2♣=10+ support ; 2♦/♥/2♠: 10-11 whit 6c	2 way checkback ;	
						4th suit=FG (except over REV);	
						1NT rebid over 1♦: bal, can have M.	
1 ♦		3	4♥	11-21 HCP NATURAL	Same as 1♣		=
							=
1 ♥		5	4♦	11-21 HCP NATURAL	If not pass hand 1♣=RLY (5-11HCP; 0-4♣, no SUPP; 1NT=5♠; 2NT=	Splinter by opener after 2/1 12-14, 4c SUPP	1  and 1NT natural
					3 ♦=4c SUPP INV. 3 ♠ ANY void 9-11 3nt/4♣/♦ SINGL ♠/♣/♦9-11;	1 ♥-1 ♠-1NT: with 3 ♠ bal or 4 ♠ min; 2 ♠: 16+	2♣/2♦: 10-11 3/ 4c SUPP
					3♣=FG 4c SUPP with SINGL		2NT = 6 <b>.</b> INV
					3♥=7-9 pts 4c SUPP. JUMP in other major: nat INV	Singl ♠	3 SUPP = 7-9 5c
1♠		5	4♦	=	4♣/♦/♥ spl 9-11 ; 3NT Any void 9-11	(1♥/♠)- (1≜1NT)- 3 5-5 except 1♥-1NT-3♣	Same as 1 <b>♥</b>
						2NT: Strong. No other 5 card suit	
1NT				BAL 15-17 HCP	2. stayman; 2. √. √. A/NT transfer	After stayman,3♣ ? dist, 3♦:shows 5c minor	
						SMOLEN	
					4.	1NT DOUBLED	
					4NT - QUANT		
2 *	Χ			ART, FG or BAL 22+HCP	2♦: 6+ 2♥: 0-5 no Ace.	After 2♦, 2♥ nat or bal, 2♠ nat, 2NT:5+♠, 3♠: 5+♦	
					2♠/2NT = 5c+ suit ♠/♥. 3♣/♦ 6c suit	3♦: 5♦ and 4♣, 3♥/♠: 6♣-4♦ and 6♦-4♣. 4x: 4-4-4-1	
2♦/♥/♠		5		5-11 HCP May have side suit: 4+c	2NT relay; 2 other suit = F1;	3♣ = min; 3♦/♥/♠/3NT max. 4level: 6-5	
2NT				= 20-21 BAL	3♣ STAYMAN;3♦/♥ TRANSFER; 3♠ minors 5+-4+		
ZINI					3	SMOLEN	
					T® /T♥/♥/® IIVANOI LIV to ♥/♥/®;	OMOLEN	
3 ♣/♦		6		NAT PRE	3 = NAT F1		
3 ♥/♠		=		=	=		
						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
						Aces: RKCB: 0314	
3 NT	Χ	7		Solid minor. No outside A or K	4/5 <b>*</b> /6 <b>*</b> = P/C	5NT: odd kc+void; 6x: 2 kc+void TRUMP-QUEEN asking (AFTER RKC ) 5st : w Q. 6TRUMP no: Q	
4♣/ ♦		7		NAT PRE		other bid: Q and side king	
4♥/♠		7		=			
						DOPI at 5-level;DEPO at 6-level or above trump suit	
						AUTOSPLINTER	
						EXCLUSION	