



OPENING BID DESCRIPTIONS

Opening	Artificial	Min.	Neg Dble	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passes
1♣		3	4♥	11 - 22	2♣:Inv ; 2♦♥/♠ F; 3♣: Prem; 2NT: F		
1♦		3	4♥	11 - 22	2♦:Inv ; 2♥/♠ F; 3♦Prem. ; 2NT: F		
1♥		5	4♦	11 - 22	(1), (2)		
1♠		5	4♦	11 - 22	(1), (2)		
1NT				14 - 17, 5M ok, 6m ok, 5422 ok	2♣: STAY NF (9), (10), 2♠(3); 2NT(3); 3♣♦♥/♠: 6card slam try w bad suit; TEXAS TRF, Smolen	1NT-(DBL)-(RDBL)2x=TRF	
2♣	Yes			AMERICAN STYLE (22+ if BAL)	F up to 2NT, (7)		
2♦	Yes			weak in one Major 5 - 10	(6)		
2♥		5		5 card ♥ and 4+ card m 4 - 10	(8)		
2♠		5		5 card ♠ and 4+ card m 4 - 10	(8)		
2NT				19 - 21, 5M ok, 6m ok, 5422 ok	(11)		
3♣		6		PRE	3NT = sign off (could be psychic)		
3♦		6		PRE	as above		
3♥		6		PRE	as above		
3♠		6		PRE	as above		
3NT	Yes	7		GAMBLING	4♣ = P/C; 4♦ = Ask for shortness; (13) 4M = To play		
4♣		7		PRE	NAT		
4♦		7		PRE	NAT		
4♥		7		PRE	NAT		
4♠		7		PRE	NAT		
4NT				RCKB	5♣ = 4-1 Aces, 5♦ = 3-0 Aces, after 5NT king asking; 6♣ = 0-3 Kings, 6♦ = 1-4 Kings		
5♣		7		PRE	NAT		
5♦		7		PRE	NAT		
5♥		8		PRE	NAT		
5♠		8		PRE	NAT		
5NT							
HIGH LEVEL BIDDING							
SPLINTER, TEXAS, RKCB, Exclusive Blackwood, CUES							
DOPI, ROPI, WOLF F (4)							
LIGHTNER							
JOSEPHINE							
GERBER							
New Suit at 6 level = Bid 7 in the suit agree holding K or Q in NS							