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DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING	LEADS AND SIGNALS			Country: ISRAEL
OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 Level; Reopening)	OPENING LEADS STYLE			
ocasionally good 4-card suit at 1 level;	Lead	In Partner's Suit	Event:	Players: Michael BAREL Yaniv ZACK
2-level overcalls sound Vul.	Suit	4th from H, 2nd from weak.	same ; xxS unless supported.	
CUE-BID RESP F1; New suit=NF , Constructive	NT	4th from H, 2nd from weak.	same ; xxS unless supported.	SYSTEM SUMMARY
Jump RAISE=PRE; NT RESP=NF;	Subseq	as above	same	
4THX: usually 5 cards + tolerance for partners suit.	Other: Vs NT K asks CT/UB, A/Q ATT ;			GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
	Vs suit lead K from AKx(+) Vs 4} and up; signal count.			
1NT OVERCALL (2ND/4TH Live; Responses; Reopening)	LEADS			Natural, 5-card M, 1{ =3+, 1} =3+.
2nd POS: 15-17(18-)HCP; Can be semi-balanced;	Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	1NT opening. 15-17 .
Resp: System on;	Ace	AKx+ to 3[,Ax+,AK 4} up	Ax, AKx(+)	2{ = WK2 in either MAJ ;
Reopen 1NT=11-14; Reopen 2NT=18+-20;	King	AK to 3[,AKx+ 4} up,KQ+	AKJT(+), KQ109(+)	2]/[= 5+]/[, 5(4)+m
	Queen	QJ, QJx(+), AKQ+ (poss.)	QJT/9+, AQJx+, KQ(+)	Light responses NV;
	Jack	J10, J10x(+),KJT+	HJT+ ,J10,J109(8)+	Disciplined PREempts;
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)	10	10x, H109x(+), 109(+)	as Vs. Suit	1NT Openings: 15-17 ;5 MAJ possible
1-Suit: WEAK	9	9x, H98x(+), 98(+)	as Vs. Suit	2 OVER 1 ResponsesFG ; 1M-1NT F1
2-Suit: 2NT for lowest unbid suits.	Hi-x	Sx, xSx, xSxx, xSxxx	Sx(+) or xSx(+)	SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE
	Lo-x	HxS, HxxS	as Vs. Suit	2{ - WK 2 in either Major.
Reopen: Jump Overcall=Intermediate.	SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
DIRECT and JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Responses; Reopen)		Partners Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
MICHAELS CUE:(1m)-2m:] + [(55+);(1M)-2M:OM+} (55+);	Suit:1st	O=ENC,E=DIS/SP	O = O (REO)	O=ENC,E=DIS/SP
flexible HCP ranges.	2nd	REO Count	S/P	REO Count
VS. NT (vs. Strong / Weak; Reopening; PH)	3rd			
MULTI-LANDY:	NT: 1st	O=ENC,E=DIS/SP	S/P (SMITH)	O=ENC,E=DIS/SP
2} is Both Maj; then 2{ ASK	2nd	REO Count	REO Count	REO Count
2{ :either M; then 2M=P/C;2NT=ASK	3rd	S/P		
2] :] +m;then 3} =P/C; 2NT INV	Signals (including Trumps): Trumps:Hi-lo shows interest			COMPETITIVE CUE often is FIT, limit+
2[:[+m;then 3} =P/C; 2NT INV	in ruff or S/P; REMAINDER COUNT=REO;			SCRAMBLING 2NT (after opps raise to 2M).
Double by PH = 5+m & 4M	"SMITH SIGNAL" Vs NT; ODD/EVEN SIGNAL & DISCAR			Note#20
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids)	DOUBLES			
LEB after (WK2x)-DBL-(P-); 2NT(15-18): system on;	TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			Note#20
CUE=STOP ASK; Over WK 2M:4} =OM+} ,4{ =OM+{ ;	Opening Values; CUE-BID=F to S/A; RESP DBL after m:2+ 4			Note#20
4NT over 3M or 4} =minors ; 4NT over 4[=any 2 suiter;	-card suits; 1m-(DBL)-1M-(2M)=NAT; Over RDBL:Jump is			SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS	PRE, Pass is NEU			Pass=F when: we bid game constructively.
Aggressive, but decent suits if VUL.				Note#1698966388
1{ = {+} ; 1] =] + [; 1[= [+ ; 2} = } + { ; X= } + ; 1NT = {+ [SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES			
	NEG DBL THRU 4] ; 1m-(1[)-DBL suggests 4+] , 8+ HCP;			Note#20
	NEG DBL of PRE O/C=USEFUL VALUES;			IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT ELSEWHERE
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKE OUT DOUBLE	NEG DBL, then new suit=NF;			
New suit=F 1-level; JUMPS=PRE; Bergen Raises.	RESP DBL thru 4{ ;			Most low-level doubles are T/O.
	SUPP DBL up to 2 of pd's suit;			Many PRE jumps in competition.
RDBL=usually no SUPP, 9+;	RDBL of NEG DBL = TOP H.			Psychics: Rare;

OPENING BID DESCRIPTIONS							
Opening	Artificial	Min.	Neg Dble thr	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1}		3	4]	11-21 HCP;1} with any 33minors.			
1}					jump shift = weak; 2} =INVERTED;	4sF usually to game	Note#20
1}					Usually respond up the line.	. 2 way NMF over 1NT rebid.	Note#20
1{		3	4]	11-21 HCP 3 with 4432 only.	as above; 3} =9-11, 6} INV		
1]		5	4{	11-21 HCP;	3} =4c 6-9; 3{ =4c limit raise;		
1]					3] =PRE ; 2NT=FIT FG; 1NT=F1		
1[5	4]	11-21 HCP;	as above ; 3] = 6] INV		
1NT			3[15-17	NF stayman ; 3} =pup stay; 4txf ; Smolen		
1NT				5M/6m possible.	4} ,{ = Texas		
2}	X			GF	2{ = 3+ ; 2] =0-3 ; 2NT =]		
2{	X	6 (5)		WK2 in either MAJ 5-11 ,	2NT = ASking , usually strong.		Might be 5 card suit in 3rd.
2]		5		5+ , 5(4)+ Mm , 5-11	2NT INV , 3} P/C		
2[5		5+ , 5(4)+ Mm , 5-11	2NT INV , 3} P/C		Might be 5-4 in 3rd.
2NT				20-22HCP;BAL/SemiBal	3} =Puppet stay ; 3{ ,] =TXF; 3[= minors.		
3}		7(6)		PRE			
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3NT	X	7		Broken }/{ PRE	4} = P/C ;		
4}	X	7]		Good 4]			
4{	X	7[Good 4[
4NT	X	7		Good 5m opening			
HIGH LEVEL BIDDING							
CUE=usually 1st before 2nd ;							
FREQ SPLINTER BIDS; DIRECT SPLINTER over 1M=VOID; AUTOSPLINTER;							
1430 RKCB, 1st step asks for Q of trumps and K's, next step for specific K's;							
RKCB-DOPI,ROPI; "GERBER" over NT openings; 5NT: GSF with step RESP;							
Raise to 5M : if a suit was bid by OPPT or 1 suit unbid CTRL ASK,							
otherwise trump ASK or SHOW.							
LIGHTNER DBL;							