


| DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING | | LEADS AND SIGNALS | | | | <div></div> <div>Category: NATURAL Country: ITALY Event: SENIOR Teams / Pairs OSTENDA Players: COMELLA Amedeo – SABBATINI Stefamo</div> |
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| OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; 1/2 level; Reopening) | | OPENING LEADS STYLE | | | | |
| Natural traditional | | Lead | | In Partner's Suit | | |
| | Suit | hither to 2 cards , attitude | | Traditional count | | |
| | NT | same | | | | |
| | Subseq | Traditional count | | | | |
| Other: | | | | | | |
| 1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening) | | LEADS | | | | |
| 15/17 balanced | LEAD | VS. COLORE | | VS. NT | | |
| | Ace | AKx; AKJx; AKJ10;Ax(+) AK | | AK; AKx(+); AKJx; | | |
| | King | AK(+); KQ; KQx(x); KQJx | | AKJ10x; KQJ10(x); KQ109x | | |
| | Queen | QJ(x); QJ10(x); AQJ(x) Qx | | KQx; KQJx; KQ10x; QJ(x) Qx | | |
| | Jack | KJ10x; J10(x) Jx | | J109+; J10(x) Jx | | |
| | 10 | K109x; Q109x; 10x; 109x | | H109x; HJ109x; 10x; 109x | | |
| | 9 | 9x; H98x(+) 98+ | | H98x(+) 9x 98+ | | |
| JUMP OVERCALL (Style; Responses; Unusual NT) | | Hi -x | Sx; xSxx xSx | | Sx; xSxx; xSx; xSxxx | |
| weak 5/10 hp (ex after partner PASS not vuln) | Lo-x | Hxx+S | | Hx(+)S; HHx(+)S; | | |
| | SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY | | | | | |
| | | Partner's Lead | Declarer's Lead | Discarding | | |
| | Suit 2 | 1 H – L ODD | | | | |
| | 3 | | | | | |
| VS. NT (vs.Strong/Weak; Reopening; PH) | | NT 2 | 1 H – L ODD | | | |
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| Style LANDY | | Signals (including Trump) | | | | |
| 2♣ majors ; 2♦ multicolored ; 2♥/♠ 5-6 cards with majors ; 2 NT minor | | Lavinthal : YES | | | | |
| VS PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids) | | DOUBLES | | | | |
| Natural traditional | TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening) | | | | | |
| | Style: | traditional | | | | |
| | Responses: | traditional | | | | |
| | Reopening: | traditional | | | | |
| VS ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS | | SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE DOUBLES/REDOUBLES | | | | |
| 1♣ != clubs 2♣ = majors | traditional | | | | | |
| OVER OPPONENTS' TAKE-OUT DOUBLE | | | | | | |
| Redouble 8+ , or transfer ♣ | | | | | | |
| IMPORTANT: Use symbols ♣ ♦ ♥ ♠ when needed | | IMPORTANT: All text must be typewritten or block letters | | | | |
| SYSTEM SUMMARY | | | | | | |
| GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE | | | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">5+ cards MAJORStrong N.T.1♣ 2 cards o more1♦ 4 cards2♣ game forcing | | | | | | |
| SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE | | | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">2♦ multicolored (18/19 bal – 0/9 weak 6♥ or ♠)GHESTEM cue bid: es. 1♥–2♥=5♠ – 5+♣Transfer after overcall : es. 1NT- 2♠ –2NT =transfer♣ F1 | | | | | | |
| SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES | | | | | | |
| In slam situations | | | | | | |
| IMPORTANT NOTES THAT DON'T FIT IN ELSEWHERE | | | | | | |
| Psychics : very rare | | | | | | |

| OPENING | TICK IF ARTIFICIAL | MIN. No. OF CARDS | NEG. DBL THRU | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT AUCTION | PASSED HAND BIDDING |
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| | | | | | | | |
| 1♣ | ★ | 2 | 4♠ | Natural or 12/14 bal even with 5 cards in ♦ | 1♦ nat or weak with clubs 2♣ forcing 2♦ multicolored | Natural standard | |
| 1♦ | ★ | 4 | 4♠ | Natural 4cards + not bal | 2♦ multicolored 2♥ = ♥/♠ | | |
| 1♥ | | 5 | 4♠ | Natural 9 + not bal | 2 NT = FORCING fit 4+ 3♣ fit 4+ , NF 3♦ minors strong | | |
| 1♠ | | 5 | 4♥ | Natural 9 + not bal | 2 NT = FORCING fit 4+ 3♣ fit 4+ , NF 3♦ minors strong | | |
| 1NT | | | 4♥ | 15/17 any 5 cards | 2♣ not forcing Styman 2♦ = transfer ♥ or ♣ 2♥ = transfer ♠ or ♦ | | |
| 2♣ | | 0 | 4♠ | 22/+ balanced or any Forcing Game | 2♦ relais; 2♥ = transfer ♠; 2♠ = transfer to 2 NT any suite ♣♦♥; 2nt = 4/5 or 5/5 ♥/♠; 3♣ = 5♥/5♣ or ♦; 3♦ = any AKQxxx; 3♥ = 4♠/6♣; 3♠ = 4♥/6♣; 3NT = 4♥/6♦; 4♣ = 4♠/6♦ | | |
| 2♦ | | 0 | 4♠ | multicolored | 2♥ = relais NF; 2♠ = transfer to 2 NT; 2 NT = 5+♠ F1; 3♣/♦/♥/♠ = natural FG | | |
| 2♥ | | 6 | no | 6 cards , 9/12 , possible other suite | | | |
| 2♠ | | 6 | no | 6 cards , 9/12 , possible other suite | | | |
| 2NT | ★ | | | 20/21 balanced | Puppet | | |
| 3♣ | | 6 | no | preempt; | | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING 4NT = RKCB; Cue style: 1 st and 2 nd round control Josephine; Lightner DBLS; Splinter Double/redouble in slam situations | |
| 3♦ | | 6 | no | preempt; | | | |
| 3♥ | | 7 | no | preempt; | | | |
| 3♠ | | 7 | no | preempt; | | | |
| 3NT | ★ | | | both minor | | | |
| 4♣/♦ | ★ | 8 | | 8 tricks in ♥ or ♠ | | | |
| 4♥/♠ | | 7 | | | | | |