## 1 THE UNCONTESTED AUCTION

### 1.1 1*

1.1.1 1*-1a

1- 1 a
$2 \mathrm{~m} \quad$ Nat +4
2v All hands w/ 4a
2. Min or medium strength w/ 34(51/60)

2NT Max strength w/ 34(51/60)
1.1.2 1*-2*

1* 2
2• (R)
24 SPL:
2NT SPL
3\%+ SPL in a major

### 1.2 2v NV $1^{\mathrm{ST}}-3^{\mathrm{RD}}$ HAND

a) 7 -10 weak 2 in $\vee \mathrm{w} / 6^{*}$ suit
b) 0-7 $5^{*} \uparrow$ or $0-46+\uparrow$

2^ P/C. If RE follows up w/3a it's $G / T$ w/ $6+\uparrow$
2NT+Shows SPL w/ 6+

2NT(R) G/T+ vs. both hand-types
3* $\quad 5^{*}$ a
3. FG

3v 3+
3^ $3+\star$ and $0-2^{*} \downarrow$
3NT $4^{*}$ * and 0-2* $\downarrow$
4m 55
3v G/T w/ $5+\checkmark$ and flexible hand (normally $2^{*} \uparrow$ )
3^ G/T
3. $6+\boldsymbol{*}, \mathrm{FG}$

3v Asks for SPL
3. Nat FG

4 m SHO w/ -support
3• Min w/ $6^{*} \vee(3 \wedge$ asks for SPL)
3^ $\quad 6^{*} \uparrow$ (and thus min), $4 \approx$ asks for SPL

3m F1 vs. v and NF vs.
3v Either a PRE hand w/ support for both M's or G/T hand w/ 6+v
$P \quad$ The normal bid (even if you have $\uparrow$ !)
3^ Max and nat (and some $\downarrow$-fit, else pass)
Any bid shows $6+v$
3. $\quad$ P/C

4* Transfer into your M
4. Bid your M

4M A suit of your own

## 2. THE CONTESTED AUCTION

### 2.1 1C - intervention

Over D/1D we basically play SYS ON. But unbalanced hands switch strength, i.e. we zoom out distribution directly w/ 5-6zz. Pass $=3-4 z z$ (semipositive) while 1D over a D and D of a 1D overcall shows $0-2 z z$. RD of a $D$ depends on the meaning of the $D$, if it shows $C$ the RD is a $T / O$ of clubs, else it is a G/T+ penalty RD, i.e. showing same hand type as doubler.

Over 1 H we play SYS ON w/ D as a 1 H response.
Over 1S D is either a G/T T/O D or FG without convenient bid. New suit is nat $F G$ and $1 N T$ is nat $F G$.
Over higher interventions D is FG indicating a balanced hand while suit/NT are nat FG.

### 2.2 1D - intervention

Over D 2 m is nat NF (8-12).
Over 1 H D is the equivalent of a nat 1 S response while 1 S is a $\mathrm{T} / \mathrm{O}$ of $\mathrm{H} \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{max} 3 \mathrm{~S} .2 \mathrm{~m}$ is nat NF (812).

Over 1 S D is $\mathrm{T} / \mathrm{O}$ and $2 \mathrm{C}-2 \mathrm{H}$ is nat $\mathrm{NF}(8-12)$.
Generally 2 of a suit is nat NF while 3 of a suit is nat FG.

### 2.3 1M - intervention

Generally 2 of a suit is nat NF while 3 of a suit is nat FG.
Cue is splinter/splimit.
After $1 \mathrm{H}-(\mathrm{D}), 1 \mathrm{NT}-2 \mathrm{D}$ by RE is TRF. After $1 \mathrm{~S}-(\mathrm{D}), 1 \mathrm{NT}-2 \mathrm{H}$ is TRF.

### 2.4 2H BROWN STICKER OPENING - intervention

| $2 \vee \mathrm{D}$ | RD Else | Penalty <br> As uncontested |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 24. | Regardless of what $2 \wedge$ means |  |
|  | D | T/O |
|  |  | P The normal bid w/ |
|  |  | 2NT Lebensohl Weak w/ either $\downarrow$ or a bad 5* $\uparrow$ suit w/ a side suit |
|  |  | 3 m Lebensohl, max w/ a bad 5* ${ }^{*}$ suit and a nat side suit |
|  |  | 3v Lebensohl, max w/ $\downarrow$ |
|  | Else | As uncontested |
| 2NT | D | PD |
|  | 3 m | Nat NF |
|  | 3M | P/C |
|  | 4 x | As uncontested |
| 3 m | D | T/O |
|  | om | Nat NF |
|  | 3M | P/C |
|  | Cue | S/T in both majors |
|  | 4* over 3* | As uncontested |
|  | 4M | As uncontested |
| 3M | D | T/O |
|  | Cue | $\mathrm{S} / \mathrm{T}$ in OM |
|  | OM | P/C |
|  | 4m | Nat NF |
| 3NT+ | D | PD |
|  | 4 m | Nat NF |
|  | 4M | P/C |

## 3. OTHER

## 4. LEADS \& SIGNALS

4.1 VS 3NT gambling and $3 x-P-3 N T$ - all pass we lead Rusinow

