

Supplementary sheet

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#1

Useful Space Principle = USP

USP is used by fourth hand after second hands overcall provided that:

- The opening is 1. Level
- The overcall is without jump
- Third hand bids Pass, 1NT or DBL negative

A bid by fourth hand shows the next suit (transfer) except if it is the only way for a natural bid.

Example: 1♥ 2♦ PASS 2♥ = ♠ suit

2♠ = ♣ suit

3♣ = ♦ Support - good hand

3♦ = ♦ Support - less than the 3♣ bid.

Exception: After (1♦) 2♣ overcall, 2♦ asks for Major 4-card suit

USP is also used by a passed hand

#2

1♥ Opening VUL

1♥-1NT (6-11)

2♣=6♥ or 16+

Responses 2♦ = 8-11, 2♥=weak 2-3♥

2♦=11-15 NAT

2♥=11-15 5♥-4+♣

2♠=16+ 5♥+4♠

2NT=16+ 5♥+5♣

3♣=16+ 5♥+5♦

3♦=GF with 6+♥

3♥=Invit 6+♥

3♠=6♥+5♠

3NT=to play

#3

1♠ opening VUL

1♠-1NT (6-11)

2♣=6+♠ or 16+

Responses 2♦=8+, 2♠ weak 2-3♠

2♦/♥=11-15 NAT

2♠=11-15 5♠-4♣

2NT=16+ 5♠-5♣

3♣=16+ 5♠-5♦

3♦=16+ 5♠-5♥

3♥=GF with 6+♠

3♠=INV 6+♠

3NT=to play

#4

1♣ Opening NON VUL

In 1.2. hand it shows 14+ any hand. If balanced 18+. In 3.4. hand it shows 16+ any hand. If balanced 18+.

Responses:

1♣	1♦	6+HP BAL/UNBAL
	1♥	0-5HP BAL/UNBAL. All hands which cannot bid 1♠ or 1NT
	1♠	0-5HP 4+♥, 4-5HP if exactly 4♥
	1NT	0-5HP 4+4+ ♠/♥
	2mi	6-9 HP as 2mi opening. 5+mi no 4-cards MA
	2♥+	GF (3.4. hand 8-11) (1.2. hand) 10-13 HP.

If 2. hand overcall: DBL = 0-5 up to 3♦

#5

1♦ Opening NON VUL.

Basically, this is a bal./semi bal. hand. With 2-6♦. There might be a singleton in MA. 11-14 HP except in 1.2.hand NON VUL against VUL then it is 14-17 HP

Responses:

1♦	1♥	Relay asks for strength
	1♠	4-5♠ NF
	1U	4-5♥ NF
	2♣	To play
	2♦	GF Opener has to bid 2NT and to be declarer.
	2♥/♠	5-6-cards NF
	2U	GF semi-NAT. Responder has to be declarer.
	4X	Transfer (South Africa)