



Jacoby 2 NT (Sayc/2/1)

The Jacoby 2 NT is a convention that can be used by the Responder on the opening of 1 in a major ..

This response which is very precise promises:

- A long fit 4 cards in Opener's major (not 3)
- Game force Values (13HCP or more

This 2 NT is conventional; it asks the opener to describe his hand further so that slam prospects can be investigated properly.



Problem E27472 Jacoby 2 NT is a Game forcing bid (and invite ro investigate a possible slam) that promises a 4 cards fit and at least 13 HCP





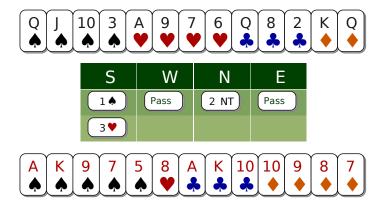
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Openers rebids after a Jacoby 2NT

Different systems exist. Kit recommends the following one:

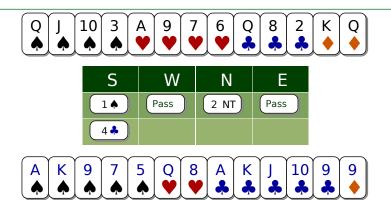
Bid:

- a singleton at the 3 level (3♣ for ♣ shortness, 3♦ for ♦ ...)
- a three level trump rebid shows 17+HCP and slam interest. It asks responder to describe his hand further
- Bidding a new suit at the 4 level shows a two suiter at least 5-5
- Bidding 3NT shows a balanced hand and 13 to 15 HCPs
- Rebidding the opening major at the 4 level is a sign-off, showing a minimum hand!



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After a Jacoby 2NT, the opener will show a shortness by bidding a new suit at the 3 level



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With a 5-5 two suiter, the opener will bid his 2nd suit at the 4 level





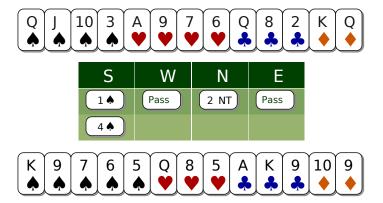
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Responder's rebids

Responders rebids will primarily aim to explore potential slam opportunities :

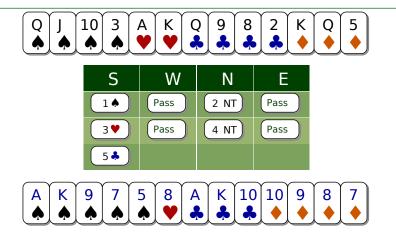
Potential rebids are:

- After any 3 level rebid by the opener, the responder can bid any suit to show a first round control (ie Ace or void)
- After any rebid by opener, 4NT is RKC Blackwood



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With a minimum hand the opener tries to tamper the ambitions of the responder



Problème 20525

On our way to a slam