

# “SUPER BRUTO'S”

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## OPENINGS

Passo	0/13	(11/13 = BAL in I° and II° pos.)
1♣	14+	BAL / 4441 (10+ in 3° and 4° pos.) 5+m
1♦	14+ 11/13	5+S 4+S - 4+H
1♥	14+	5+H
1♠	8/13	4/5S (5S = 11/13 only if BAL) (8/10 = no BAL)
1NT	8/13	4/5S (5H = 11/13 only if BAL) (8/10 = no BAL)
2m	8/13	5+m (no 4M and 5332)
2♥	8/13	5+H (5H = 11/13 no BAL) (no 4S)
2♠	8/13	5+S (5S = 11/13 no BAL) (no 4H)
2NT	21/22	BAL (with 5M)
3x	BAR	6+x
3NT	9+	AKQxxxx+ in C/D (no outside stopper)

## OPENING 1♣ in 1° and 2°

NORD	SUD
1♣	?

1♦	0/9 4+H
1♥	0/9 4+S
1♠	0/9 no 4M
1NT	BAL (4441) or 5+C, FM
2♣	5+D, FM
2♦	5+H - no 5332, FM
2♥	5+S - no 5332, FM
2♠	5S - 5m, IM
2NT	5332 con 5M, FM
3m	5m - 5H, IM
3♥	5M - 5S, IM

NORD	SUD
1♣	1♦(♥)

1♥ = 18+ (no FIT♥ except BAL)	1NT = relay 2x = 5+x, NF	2m = 18/20 5+m 2♥ = 18/20 BAL - FIT♥ 2♠ = 21+ 5+m (2NT = relay) 2NT = 23+ BAL 3♥ = 23+ BAL - FIT♥
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1♠	14+ 5+m - 4S
2m	14/17 5+m

1NT	14/17 BAL
2NT	18/20 BAL

2♥	14/17 FIT♥
3m	18+ 5+m - FIT♥

NORD	SUD
1 ♣	1 ♠

1NT	15/17 BAL
2m	14/17 5+m
2♥	18+ 5+m - 4H or 21+ any (2♠ = relay)
2♠	18+ 5+m - 4S (2NT = relay)
2NT	18/20 BIL
3♣	18/20 6+m

NORD	SUD
1 ♣	1NT

2m	5+m
2M	BAL with 4M
2NT	BAL

NORD	SUD
1 ♣	2♦(♥)

2♥	<b>FIT♥</b> 2♠ = (I° step) no MIN - RKCB 2NT = no SGL, MIN (3♠ on 2♥) 3x = SGL x, MIN
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2♠	4S (2NT = relay)
2NT	2H
3m	5+m - 0/1H

NORD	SUD
1 ♣	2NT

3♣	relay 3♦ = 5H 3♥ = 5S
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**OPENING 1♣ in 3° and 4°**

NORD	SUD
1♣	?

1♦	0/10	4+H
1♥	0/10	4+S
1♠	0/7 or 12/13	BAL - no 4M
1NT	8/11	BAL - no 4M
2m	0/7	6+x

NORD	SUD
1♣	1♦(♥)

1♥	10/13	BAL or 18+
1♠	14+	5+m - 4S
1NT	14/17	BAL
2m	14/17	5+m
2♥	14/17	FIT♥
2NT	18/20	BAL

NORD	SUD
1♣	1♠

1NT	10/17	BAL (2m = 12/13 5m; 2NT = 12/13)
2m	14/17	5+m
2♥	18+	5+m
2NT	18/20	BAL

## OPENING 1♦

NORD	SUD
1♦	?

1♥	relay
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NORD	SUD
1♦	1♥

1♠	14+ 5+S (the development is similar opening 1♥)
1NT	11/13 4-4M
2♣	11/13 5H - 4+S (2♦ = relay)
2♦	11/13 5S - 4H
2♥	11/13 6H - 4S
2♠	11/13 6S - 4H

## OPENING 1♥

NORD	SUD
1♥	?

1♠	4+S, F1
1NT	0/9, F1 (may be 8/9 BAL with 3H)
2♣	5+C or BAL or FIT♥, FM
2♦	5+D, FM
2♥	4/7 BAL - FIT♥
2♠	FIT♥ 4°, IM or splinter, FM
2NT	5+S with FIT♥ (3°) - no 5322, IM
3m	5+m with FIT♥ (3°) - no 5322, IM
3♥	FIT♥ (4°), BAR
4x	FIT♥ with CHI x

NORD	SUD
1♥	1♠

1NT	18+ 5+H	2♣ = relay	2♦ = 18+ 5H 2♥ = 18+ 6+H 2♠ = 21+ FIT♠ 2NT = 18/20 5332 3m = 5H - 5m, FM 3♥ = 7+H, FM
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2m	14/17 5H - 3+m
2♥	14/17 6+H

2♠	14/17 FIT♠
3♠	18/20 FIT♠ (3NT/4x = turbo)

2NT	6H - 4+m, F1 (3♣ = relay)
3m	5H - 5+m, IM
3♥	7+H, IM

<b>NORD</b>	<b>SUD</b>
<b>1♥</b>	<b>1NT</b>

<b>2♣</b>	<b>14/17 3+C or 18+ (2♦ = IM)</b>
<b>2♦</b>	<b>14/17 3+D, NF</b>
<b>2♥</b>	<b>14/17 6+H NF</b>
<b>2NT</b>	<b>6H - 4+m, F1 (3♣ = relay)</b>
<b>3m</b>	<b>5H - 5+m, IM</b>
<b>3♥</b>	<b>7+H, IM</b>

<b>NORD</b>	<b>SUD</b>
<b>1♥</b>	<b>2♣</b>

<b>2♦</b>	<b>relay</b>
	<b>2♥ = FIT</b> <b>2♠ = (I° step) no MIN - RKCB</b> <b>2NT = no SGL - MIN</b> <b>3x = 0/1x - MIN</b>

<b>2NT = 2H</b>
<b>3♣ = 4+C with 0/1H</b>

<b>NORD</b>	<b>SUD</b>
<b>1♥</b>	<b>2♥</b>

<b>2♠ /3m</b>	<b>trial bid</b>
<b>2NT</b>	<b>IM (no forcing)</b>
<b>3♥</b>	<b>IM</b>

<b>NORD</b>	<b>SUD</b>
<b>1♥</b>	<b>2♠</b>

<b>2NT</b>	<b>Relay</b>
	<b>3m = 1/2m, IM</b> <b>3♥ = 1/2S, IM</b> <b>3♠/4m = SGL x, FM</b>

<b>3♥</b>	<b>SO</b>
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## OPENING 1♠

NORD	SUD
1♠	?

1NT	NF
2♣	P/C (pass with min)
2♦	relay
2♥	5+H, NF
2/3♠	FIT♠, NF
2NT	FIT♠, IM+
3x	6+x, IM

NORD	SUD
1♠	2♦

2♥	5S - 4+H, min
2♠	4/5S no BAL, min (2NT = relay)
2NT	BAL, IM
3m	4S - 5+m, max
3♥	BAL with 3H, max (3♠ = bid 4S with 5S)
3♠	5S - BAL with 2H, max
3NT	SO

## OPENING 1NT

NORD	SUD
1NT	?

2♣	P/C (pass with min)
2♦	relay
2/3♥	FIT♥, NF
2♠	5+S, NF
2NT	FIT♥, IM+
3x	6+x, IM

NORD	SUD
1NT	2♦

2♥	4/5H - no BAL, min
2♠	5H - 4S, min
2NT	BAL, IM
3m	4H - 5+m, max
3♥	5H - BAL, max
3♠	BAL with 3S, max
3NT	SO

## OPENING 2♣

NORD	SUD
2♣	?

2♦	5+H
2♥	5+S
2♠	relay
2NT	FIT♣, IM+
3♣	FIT♣, NF
3x	6+x, IM

NORD	SUD
2♣	2♦

2♥	min (2♠ = relay)
2NT	5+C - 4D, max
3♣	6+C, max
3♥	FIT♥, max

NORD	SUD
2♣	2♥

2♠	min (2NT = relay)
2NT	5+C - 4D, max
3♣	6+C, max
3♠	FIT♠, max

NORD	SUD
2♣	2♠

2NT	5+C - 4D, min
3♣	6+C, min
3♦	5+C - 4D, max
3M	6+C - 3M, max
3NT	2236 / 2227, max

## OPENING 2♦

NORD	SUD
2♦	?

2♥	5+S
2♠	relay
2NT	5+H
3x	6+x, IM
3♦	FIT♦, NF

NORD	SUD
2♦	2♥

2♠	min (2NT = relay)
3♣	5+D - 4+C, max
3♦	6+D, max
3♠	FIT♠, max

NORD	SUD
2♦	2♠

2NT	5+D, max
3♣	5+D - 4+C, min
3♦	6+D, min

NORD	SUD
2♦	2NT

3♣	5+D - 4+C, min
3♦	6+D, min
3♥	FIT♥, min
3♠	5+D - 0/1H, max
3NT	5+D - 2H, max
altro	11/13 FIT♥, max - cue bid

## OPENING 2♥

NORD	SUD
2♥	?

2♠	relay
2NT	5+S, F1
3m/♠	6+ m/♠, IM
3♥	FIT, NF
4m	FIT♥, FM - cue bid

NORD	SUD
2♥	2♠

2NT	6+H, max
3m	5H - 4+m, max
3♥	6+H, min

NORD	SUD
2♥	2NT

3♣	5H, max
3♦	6+H, max
3♥	6+H, min
3♠	6+H - FIT♠, min
altro	FIT♠, max - cue bid

**OPENING 2♠**

NORD	SUD
2♠	?

2NT	relay
3♣	5+H, IM+
3♦/♥	6+D/H, IM
3♠	FIT, NF
4x	FIT♠, FM - cue bid

NORD	SUD
2♠	2NT

3m	5S - 4+m, max
3♥	6+S, max
3♠	6+S, min

NORD	SUD
2♠	3♣

3♦	5S, max
3♥	6+S - FIT♥, min
3♠	6+S, min
3NT	6+S, max
altro	FIT♥, max - cue bid

## OPENING 2NT

NORD	SUD
2NT	?

3♣	puppet stayman
3♦	TSF x ♥
3♥	TSF x ♠
3♠	stayman x minors

NORD	SUD
2NT	3♣

3♦	4M
	3♥ = 4S 3♠ = 4H 4♣ = 4-4M

3♥	no 4M (3♠ = 5S - 4H)
3♠	5S
3NT	5H (4♦ = TSF x 4♥)

NORD	SUD
2NT	3♦(♥)

3♥	2H
3♠/4m	4H - cue bid
3NT	3H

NORD	SUD
2NT	3♠

3NT	no 4+m
4♣	4+C - no 4D
4♦	4+D - no 4C
4♥/♠	4/4m - 3H / S

## OPENING 3♣

NORD	SUD
3♣	?

3♦	ask if 3 cards in one M or SlamTry D
3M	6+M, FM
4♣	PRE
4♦	RCKB

NORD	SUD
3♣	3♦

3♥	3S
3♠	3H
3NT	no 3M, max
4♣	no 3M, min
4♦	3H and 3S

## OPENING 3♦

NORD	SUD
3♦	?

3♥	ask if 3M or 5+H, FM
3♠	6+M, FM
4♣	RCKB
4♦	PRE

NORD	SUD
3♦	3♥

3♠	3H
3NT	no 3M, max
4♣	no 3M, min
4♦	3H and 3S

## OPENING of 3NT

NORD	SUD
3NT	?

<b>4/5/6♣</b>	<b>PASS or BID ♦</b>
<b>4♦</b>	<b>ask shortness</b>
	<b>4M = SGL M</b> <b>4NT = SGL in other minor</b> <b>5♣ = pass or bid ♦</b> <b>5m = 7222</b> <b>5M = 8311 - SGL M and in other minor</b> <b>5NT = 8311 - SGL in both majors</b>

<b>4M</b>	<b>SO</b>
<b>4NT</b>	<b>ask number of cards</b>