

# Defence to 1♥ Overcall

## 1♣ - (1♥) - X = 4-5♠

- 1♠ = 3♠, 11-14HCP (Support DBL's apply)
  - 2♠ = 4♠, 11-14HCP
  - 1♣ = 0-3♣, t/o DBL without ♠ (partner may re-bid 1nt without a ♥ stopper)
  - 1nt = 9-11, good stopper, semi INV
  - 2♣ = 5+♣, F1
  - 2♦ = 5+♦, F1
  - 2♥ = 6+♠, good 7+HCP
    - 2♠ = 2+♠, 11-14HCP
    - 2nt = 0-1♠, good 15+
    - 3m = 0-1♠, bad 15 or less
    - 3♥ = 2+♠, GF
    - 3♠ = 2+♠, 15-17HCP
    - 4♠ = good 17-19 BAL
  - 2♠ = 6+♠, 0-7HCP
  - 2nt = weak ♣ raise NV, mixed raise VUL (with good bal INV, bid 1♠)
  - 3♣ = 6+♣, INV
  - 3♦ = Splinter
  - 3♥ = Splinter
  - 3♠ = Splinter
  - 3nt = to play
  - 4♣ = preemptive
  - 4♦ = Exclusion Blackwood (1430)
  - 4M = Exclusion Blackwood (1430)
  - 4nt = RCKB (1430)
  - 5♣ = preemptive
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## 1♦ - (1♥) - X = 4-5♠

- 1♠ = 0-3♠, t/o DBL without ♠ (partner may re-bid 1nt without a ♥ stopper)
- 1nt = 9-11, good stopper, semi INV
- 2♣ = 5+♣, F1
- 2♦ = simple raise
- 2♥ = 6+♠, good 7+HCP
- 2♠ = 6+♠, 0-7HCP
- 2nt = weak ♦ raise NV, mixed raise VUL (with good bal INV, bid 1♠)
- 3♣ = 4+♦, GF
- 3♦ = 4+♦, INV
- 3♥ = Splinter
- 3♠ = Splinter
- 3nt = to play
- 4♣ = FSJS, INV+, forcing to 4d
- 4♦ = preemptive
- 4M = Exclusion Blackwood (1430)
- 4nt = RCKB (1430)
- 5♣ = Exclusion Blackwood (1430)
- 5♦ = preemptive