

Examples of Responses to an opening of 1♥ with distribution points

	♠ 9	♠ 97542	♠ K	♠ A2	♠ 10964	♠ A
	♥ Q76	♥ KQ95	♥ 10742	♥ 643	♥ A105	♥ 108653
	♦ K8543	♦ -	♦ K64	♦ KQ964	♦ KQ64	♦ Q64
	♣ QJ74	♣ KJ86	♣ QJ107	♣ K962	♣ QJ	♣ KJ107
HCP	8	9	9	12	12	10
DP	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>0*</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-1**</u>	<u>5***</u>
TP	11	14	9	13	11	15
Bid	3 ♥	4 ♥	2 ♥	4 ♥	3 ♥	4 ♥

* no distribution points as singleton K

** doubleton QJ is worthless unless partner bids clubs, therefore -2 HCP + 1 SP

*** a singleton Ace is worth 4 HCP and equals a void when played therefore + 5 SP

Examples of Responses to an opening of 1♠ with distribution points

	♠ Q9742	♠ 954	♠ K85
	♥ Q76	♥ KQ95	♥ 107
	♦ Q8543	♦ KQ	♦ K6
	♣ 7	♣ KJ86	♣ KQ10743
HCP	6	14	11
DP	<u>3</u>	<u>-2*</u>	<u>2</u>
TP	9	11	13
Bid	2 ♠	3 ♠	4 ♠

* doubleton KQ is worth only 2HCP for the Q♦ and 1 SP for the shortage = 3 (not 5 + 1)

Examples of Opener's Rebid after partner has raised opener's suit

	1♥ 2♥	1♥ 2♥	1♥ 2♥	1♥ 3♥	1♥ 3♥	1♥ 2♥
	♠ 9	♠ 9754	♠ K83	♠ A2	♠ 64	♠ A
	♥ AK765	♥ KQJ95	♥ KQ742	♥ 643	♥ AQ1053	♥ A8653
	♦ K53	♦ -	♦ AQ6	♦ KQ964	♦ AQ6	♦ QJ4
	♣ Q974	♣ AK86	♣ Q7	♣ K962	♣ 876	♣ KJ107
HCP	12	13	16	12	12	15
DP	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5*</u>
TP	15	18	17	13	12	20
Bid	Pass	4 ♥	3 ♥	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♥

* a singleton Ace is worth 4 HCP and equals a void when played therefore + 5 SP