

DOUBLE-SIX DOMINOES FOR 2 TO 4 PLAYERS

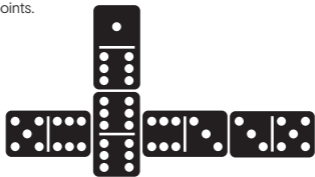
Many games may be played with a set of dominoes. This is one variation.

Before play begins, all dominoes are turned facedown and mixed. Each player draws five dominoes and stands them on the edge before them so that their opponents cannot see their domino faces, the remaining dominoes, become the draw pile, play moves to the left.

Each domino is divided into two parts, or ends each containing a set of spots. A double domino contains matching ends (6 - 6 . 5 - 5, etc), and the player who draws the highest double domino places it in the centre of the table to begin the game. If no double was drawn, all dominoes are returned to the draw pile, reshuffled, and redrawn.

The second player then turned to match one of their dominoes to one end or side of the double. For example, the first domino played is a double four, the second player may add any one of their dominoes containing four spots on one end. The next player may play to the double four, or they may try to match the end of the second domino played. Blanks match other blanks. Only one domino may be played at each turn; dominoes are placed length-wise rather than at right angles, except in the case of a double, as shown, at any open end of a row. They must draw from the extra dominoes until they are able to do so. Should they draw the last domino and still not be able to play, they pass and then tries again on their next turn. A player must play a domino if they are able to do so. Doubles are always placed crosswise to the end they match, thereby giving two new directions in which to place dominoes.

Play continues until one player has used all of their dominoes or until no one can play. If no further plays can be made, and all dominoes have been drawn, the player with no dominoes, or with the least number of points (spots) on their remaining dominoes, wins the round. Subtract the total points from the total of each of the opponents points and score the balance of points from each. Rounds continue until one player scores 100 points. The game is won by the first person to score 100 or more points.



size : 54x147mm