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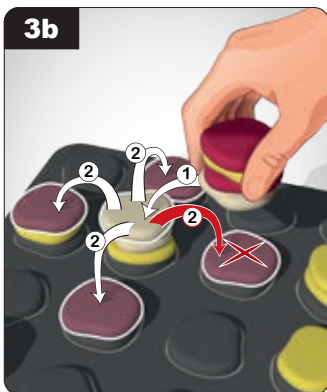


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1 game board, 8 light-colored pebbles, 8 dark-colored pebbles, 8 tan-colored pebbles, rules.

AIM OF THE GAME

To make a line of 4 pebbles of your color: Either horizontally, vertically or diagonally.

SETUP

Place the game board in the middle of the table and stack 2 tan-colored pebbles in each corner. Each player takes 8 counters of one color (*Fig. 1*).

HOW TO PLAY

Decide the first player at random.

On their turn, the player chooses a stack of pebbles and places a pebble of their color on top. **You cannot place a pebble in an empty space** (*Fig. 2*).

Note: A single pebble in a space is considered to be a stack.

The active player then takes that stack of pebbles and plays them, starting in an adjacent space. The player places down the pebbles one at a time, starting with the pebble at the bottom of the stack. Each pebble must be placed orthogonally adjacent to the previous one (*Fig. 3a*).

Note: You cannot go back over a space that you have just passed through (*Fig. 3b*). However, you can return to a particular space by circling back to it.

END OF THE GAME

The first player to make a visible line of 4 pebble of their color in a row, column or diagonal wins the game (*Fig. 4*).

Note: A counter is considered to be visible if it is the top or only pebble in a stack.

If both players have played all of their pebbles and no one has made a line, the game ends in a draw.

Note: A stack of 4 pebbles of the same color is not considered to be a line (*Fig. 5*).