

A, A typical game of sungka visualized as the number of shells in the board at each turn. Pepe's turns are plotted in orange, and Pilar's in blue. The players accumulate shells at their own heads, which are wells 8 and 16, respectively. Pepe wins this particular game, because he accumulates more shells than Pilar. B, the number games won by Pepe and Pilar in 1,000 games. Some games end in a tie. C, distribution of winning margins in 1,000 games. Almost half of games are won by margins less than 10. D, distribution of number of turns to finish a game.