

Forget Venice: Player Sheet For Player __





The most experienced player should be Player 1 (and so Distributor in the first round of the first half). Newer players might find the Cheat Sheet useful.

First Half

The allocation table (below) shows, for each player, the matching of suit pairs and scoring criteria.

Scoring Criterion	Player 1 Suit Pair	Player 2 Suit Pair	Player 3 Suit Pair
I. Lower of the two tallies			
II. Difference between the two tallies			
III. Longest run			
First half scores			










You can track your holdings in each suit pair by updating the middle column of the progress table (below). Scores for criteria I and II depend only on tallies. Your tally for a suit is the number of cards of that suit you hold.

The score for criterion III depend on ranks. The rank of a card is 1 (for Aces), 2,..., 9, or 10 (for s). Three-suited cards ( and ) have no rank in FV. A run comprises cards of consecutive rank from the two suits (e.g., for Player 2, the 4 and 5 of Suns, and the 5, 6, and  of Leaves would score 3).

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I. Lower of the two tallies		
II. Difference between the two tallies		
III. Longest run		

Second Half

The player with the highest first half score should be Distributor for the first round of the second half. Once again, there is an allocation table, common to all players, and a progress table with which you can track your holdings.

Scoring Criterion	Player 1 Suit Pair	Player 2 Suit Pair	Player 3 Suit Pair
I. Lower of the two tallies			
II. Difference between the two tallies			
III. Longest run			
Second half scores			
Final scores			

Two tiebreakers: second half scores; then criterion III second half scores.

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