



## Ranking of Poker Hands

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Cards are ranked with the Ace the highest card, followed by the King, Queen, Jack, Ten, Nine, Eight and so on down to the Two, known as a Deuce. A Poker hand is always based on only five cards.

All poker hands consist only of the best five cards available.

The permissible poker hands at the game of Hold'Em Poker from highest to lowest rank are:

1. Royal Flush: The ace-high straight high flush is the highest ranking hand possible consisting of an Ace, King, Queen, Jack and ten of the same suit.
2. Straight Flush: A hand consisting of five cards of the same suit in sequence.
3. Four of a Kind: Four cards of the same rank.
4. Full House: Three cards of the same rank and two cards of the same rank.
5. Flush: A hand consisting of five cards of the same suit.
6. Straight: A hand consisting of five cards in sequence.
7. Three of a Kind: Three cards of the same rank.
8. Two Pairs: Two cards of the same rank and two other cards of the same rank.
9. One Pair: Two cards of the same rank.
10. High Card: The highest-ranking in the hand.