



Draft Rules Ver.1.0

■ About drafts

A draft is a game system in which players draw cards from unopened packs, and build decks only from the cards they have selected.

■ Players, necessary packs (recommended)

Players: 4

Necessary packs: 6 per player

The same number of cards must be available to all participating players.

*6 packs per player are recommended, but the game can be played with between 3 and 5 packs.

*Use of the Special Pack Sets (3 packs and prearranged cards) is recommended.

■ Deck construction rules

Decks are constructed from 50 or more cards.

*If made with 5 packs, decks may be constructed with as few as 40 cards, and if with 4 packs, they may be constructed with as few as 30 cards.

When made with 3 packs, decks may be constructed with as few as 25 cards.

Identical cards are not restricted to 4 per deck.

Cards not used in the deck may be kept as a sideboard.

■ Competition format (recommended)

Matches are held where games continue until a player has won twice.

Directly before the 2nd or later games, players may switch cards in their deck and sideboard to alter their deck construction. When doing so, as long as the deck remains the appropriate number of cards, there is no limit to the number of cards that may be changed.

*Single-game matches may also be played.

■ Draft rules

- ① Each player prepares the appropriate number of booster packs and sits in a circle.
- ② Players open the specified booster pack at the same time and count their cards, while keeping them face-down.
- ③ Players choose one card from the booster pack they hold, and then pass the pack face-down to the player on their left.
- ④ Step 3 continues until all cards in the pack have been drafted.
- ⑤ Return to step 1, and repeat until all packs have been drafted. For even-numbered packs, cards are passed to the player on the right instead of the left.
- ⑥ When the draft is completed, each player uses the cards they selected (as well as the prearranged cards if Special Pack Sets are being used) to build a 50-card deck.
- ⑦ Players conduct matches with the decks they have constructed.
(Playing round-robin is recommended.)

■ Card distribution

Before beginning the draft, players should decide how to distribute the cards.

We recommend either of the following methods:

A: Simple draft

Players simply take home the cards that they drafted.

B: Rare draft (by ranking)

When the matches are complete, all the rares are gathered in one location and revealed to the players. Then, beginning with the 1st-place player and in descending order, the players select one by one the cards they wish to take home. Common and uncommon cards may be retained by the players who originally selected them.

■ Notes

- When players remove a card from the pack and place it on the stack of face-down cards in front of them, they are considered to have selected the card, and may not return it to the pack.
- Players may not show selected cards, cards remaining in the pack, or already drafted cards to other participants in the draft, and thus must hold their cards in a way that they are not seen inadvertently.
- Players may not signal to other participants in the draft about cards they have selected, or cards they wish other players to select.