

QUICK GUIDE: SAMBA

NEEDED: Three 52 card decks
Six Jokers
2-6 Players

DEAL: 15 cards/player

Card Values:

Jokers = 50 points

Aces/2s = 20 points

Kings to 8s = 10 points

7s to 4s = 5 points

Black 3s = 5 points

<u>Score</u>	<u>First Melds</u>
0-1495	50 points
1500-2995	90 points
3000-6995	120 points
7000+	150 points
Neg points	15 points

BASICS: 7 card group for a Canasta
7 card sequence for a Samba
Cannot draw 3s or wildcards
Jokers/2s are wildcards

WIN: First to 10,000 points

Scorecard:

Meld Points (card values)

Hand Points (negative card values)

Red 3s (+/-100 each or 1000 all)

Samba (1500)

Pure Canasta (500)

Mixed Canasta (300)

Going Out (200)