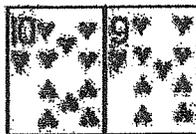


Double Flop Holdem - rules & game structure

Double Flop Holdem is a fairly unique variation of standard Texas Hold'em although the structure is very similar (sounds like a contradiction in terms but bear with me - it will make sense). The name of this game gives it all away in that there are two simultaneous boards (see board cards) in play in any one game. Each player is dealt two hole cards and then the flop is dealt followed by the turn and the river at the same time on each board (no change to the sequence). Each board will still have five cards and you will always have two hole cards in your hand just like in the standard game. So there really isn't anything too different other than the two boards in play.

To help you get your head around it we have set out a typical game example below.

Your Hand (hole cards)



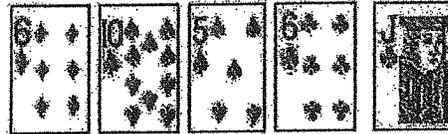
Board 1



The Flop

The Turn
The River

Board 2



The Flop

The Turn
The River

It is worth noting that you should not indicate which board you are playing until the river card is dealt and players turn over their cards. In the example above, you have a flush on board 1 using the two hearts in your hand with three hearts on the board. You also have two pair, tens and sixes on board 2.

The winner of the High hand and the winner of the lowest hand split the pot (half to the high and half to the low) it is possible for one player to have both the highest and lowest hand.

Remember you cannot mix and match, meaning you cannot use a combination of board cards from Board 1 and 2 to make your hand. The aim of the game is for players to make the best hand on each independent board.

Due to the fact that you are playing two boards, your premium starting hands become even stronger as you have two opportunities to make a big hand once the cards are out (although keep in mind you have two opportunities to make nothing playing rag cards!). At the same time, you will have a lot more information as it is still only one deck that is used and you will have sight of an additional five cards, which will help you with your calculations.

Wagering would be limited to a maximum individual wager of \$4 in each round. Up to 4 raises in each round would be permitted.