

The Carpet

See how quickly you can unweave the carpet of cards!

How to play

Remove the four Aces from the pack and play them to the centre as foundations. Below them, deal 20 cards face up in four rows of five cards each (see illustration).

The object of the game is to build ascending suit sequences to the Kings on the Aces.

All of the cards in the layout (the carpet) may be built on the foundations, and the resulting vacancies are filled from the waste heap or from the stock if there is no waste heap. Cards cannot be

packed on the layout. The stock is turned one card at a time and any card that cannot be built on a foundation is played to the waste heap, the top card of which is always available to be played.

In the illustration below, the ♣2 is built on the ♣A, the ♣3 on the ♣2 and the ♣4 on the ♣3. The ♦2 is built on the ♦A and the ♦3 on the ♦2. The five vacancies are filled from the stock and play continues.

The game ends when the stock has been dealt once.

