

# No-Limit Hold'em Starting Hand Chart

The following chart is a Beginners guide for standard full ring no-limit hold'em games with 9 or 10 players.

Pairs	Action	Early	Mid	Late	SB	BB	
AA, KK, QQ	Folded to you						
	Caller(s) before you	Raise					
	Raised before you						
JJ, TT	Folded to you	Raise					
	Caller(s) before you	Raise					
	Raised before you	Call*					
99-22	Folded to you	Fold		Raise			
	Caller(s) before you	Call				Check	
	Raised before you	Call*					

Ace-X Hands	Action	Early	Mid	Late	SB	BB
AKs, AKo	Folded to you					
	Caller(s) before you	Raise				
	Raised before you					
AQs, AQo, AJs	Folded to you	Fold	Raise			
	Caller(s) before you	Fold	Raise			
	Raised before you	Fold				
AJo, ATs, ATo	Folded to you	Fold	Raise			
	Caller(s) before you	Fold	Raise			
	Raised before you	Fold				Check
A9s - A2s	Folded to you	Fold		Raise		
	Caller(s) before you	Fold		Call		Check
	Raised before you	Fold				

Ace-X Hands	Action	Early	Mid	Late	SB	BB	
KQs, KQo, KJs KJo, QJs	Folded to you	Fold	Raise				
	Caller(s) before you	Fold	Call			Check	
	Raised before you	Fold					
KTs, KTo, QJo, QTs, Q9s JTs, J9s, J8s, T9s, T8s 98s, 87s, 76s, 65s, 54s	Folded to you	Fold		Raise			
	Caller(s) before you	Fold		Call		Check	
	Raised before you	Fold					

Call\* = only call if the stacks are deep, else fold

**NOTES:**

"Raised before you" means one raiser. If there is more than one raise then only play the premium hands.

This chart is a general guide for beginners and game conditions must always be taken into account.

Please refer to <http://www.poker.md/lessons/starting-hand-selection/> for further guidance on starting hand selection in no-limit hold'em.