



Yoté

2 joueurs

10 min

Stratégie

Indeterminate period

West Africa

This strategy game is very popular in Africa. Played on the floor with pebbles and pieces of wood, the games are very fast to play and arouse many bets.

Material

1 game board, including 6x5 boxes, 12 pawns of one color, 12 pawns of another.

Game's goal

Capture all the pieces of his opponent.

Progress

- **In the beginning**

Each player has 12 pawns and places them in front of him, off the board of the game.

- **Pawns' placements and moves**

In turn, it is possible to do one of the following three actions:

- place one of his pieces on any free box of the game,
- move one of its pawns already in play. The pieces move to an adjacent empty space, horizontally or vertically,
- to capture an opponent's pawn.

- **Pawns' catch**

The catch is made by jumping over an opposing piece, horizontally or vertically only (the diagonals are forbidden!). The arrival square must be free.

It is forbidden to take several shots with the same pawn.

As soon as a player captures a pawn, he has the right to take a second one anywhere on the board without jumping over it. Provided there is another on the board...

- **End of the game**

The player who captured all the pieces of his opponent wins the game.