



AUSTRALIAN  
SERIES OF  
**BEER  
PONG**

# *The Simple Rules of Beer Pong*

## *Start of Game*

- 10 Cups per side are arranged in a triangle
- Initial Possession is determined by a coin flip

## *Shooting*

- Each player on a team shoots once
- If a ball goes in a cup, that cup is removed
- If team makes both shots in a row, they will get both balls back & shoot again
- If a shot is bounced off the table and goes in 2 cups are removed

## *Re-Racks*

- There are 2 re-racks in a game when you get to 6 & 3 cups



## *Defence & Distractions*

- As soon as a ball hits the table you can; black, grab swat or do nothing
- Get inside their head and dominate – see over page ->

## *End of Game*

- As soon as one team eliminates all their opponents cups, they win
- The losing team can rebuttal as follows – each player can shoot till they miss with 1 ball
- If the losing team makes all their cups, the game goes into overtime. If not the game is over

## *Overtime*

- 3 cups are used in overtime and winning team gets balls first
- Normal rules apply

## Beer Pong, Anyone?

A 'sport' enjoyed by college students across the country is gaining popularity and becoming a source of revenue for savvy entrepreneurs. Here's how it's played:



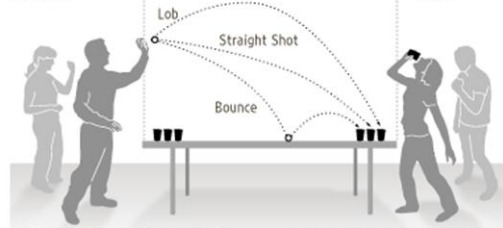
### Equipment

16 oz. plastic cups  
Ping-pong balls  
Table (any will do)  
Beer of choice

Cups are arranged in groups of 6 or 10 at either end of the table and filled to the desired level with beer.



A 'wash cup' is filled with water to clean the ball between shots.



The object of the game is to throw the ping-pong ball in your opponents' beer cups. If the ball lands in the cup, one player from the team must drink the contents.

Empty cups are removed from the table. The teams take turns until one team has been forced to drink all of its cups and loses the match.

## Want to Dominate?

1. **Don't** get over-intoxicated while playing (you will be the fool that we have to ask to leave).
2. **Practice** shots in your free time (not all of us are like the founders of ASOBP and are god like, most of us have to practice like Tiger Woods)
3. **Use the bounce shot carefully!** If you're good (and we are sure you are), when your opponents look the other way, sneak a bounce in.
4. **Talk a little smack** (or a lot), especially if the other team is under a lot of pressure to make the last cup. GET IN THEIR HEAD!
5. **Show off some body parts** as distraction (chicks only please – and nothing illegal sadly ☹)
6. **Take your time shooting.** Of course this is obvious but often overlooked, like a golf shot: sometimes taking your time can win a game or three.
7. **Block bounce shots!!!!** These are killer, especially if the opposite team hits the same cup. You will lose very very quickly if you don't swat those suckers.
8. **Get a good teammate.** Confidence boosting, congratulatory pats on the back, same-cup sinker shots and opponent intimidation are some benefits...
9. **Don't get too cocky** (unless you are like the founders). Yeah you may be good, but girls are pretty good beer pong players too and will usually beat you, even more so if you have a big head.