## THREE SQUARE

A strategy game for two players, ages 7 and up.
Playing Time: The game can take up to 30 minutes.

## Contents of the game:

- 1 Wooden game board (in this game there is no meaning to the red dots)
- 20 light balls
- 20 dark balls


## Object:

To be the player who has made the most threes in a row, in the same way you do in "tick-tack-toe", only that here you are playing on nine boards at the same time.

## Preparation:

Place the empty game board between the two players.
Each player gets 20 balls of the same colour.

## Playing the game:

This game has two phases.
In the first phase you place the balls on the board. In the second phase you move the balls that are already on the board.
Sometimes the game can end before you reach the second phase of the game.

## Phase 1 -

Each player in his turn places one of the balls on the board, wherever he chooses while trying to get three in a row (straight or diagonal) in one of the nine squares.
Once a player has made a three in a row in that square, the square is his.

## Phase 2 -

After both players have placed all of their balls on the board and no one has won yet, the placer start moving the balls from one square to the other in order to try and capture the remaining squares. You may move any ball you choose, to wherever you choose on the board, but it must be to a different square.
Make sure you do not brake a captured square, because you can the loose that square.
Once every square is captured the player who has captured more squares is the winner!

## Good Luck!



