

Quatri

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Origin: Traditional, original author unknown

2 players, 15 minutes

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Equipment Needed: Any four tiles, 4 red coins, 4 green coins

Background

Quatri is a 2-player game. One player is Red and the other is Green. Arrange the four tiles into a 2x2 configuration, grid-side-up, to form a 4-space by 4-space board. Across the bottom of the playing field place four coins: red-green-red-green on the four squares. Across the top of the playing field place the remaining four coins on those four squares, also alternating red-green, but ordered such that the red coins on the bottom rank are facing green coins on the top and vice versa.

Object of the Game

The first player to arrange three of their coins in a row, either orthogonally or diagonally, wins the game.

Movement Rules

Red goes first and players alternate turns thereafter, moving one of their own coins each turn. Movement is always one space orthogonally onto an empty square.