

The 24 games of Pelote Basque are played :

In 5 different « Frontons » (ball alleys)

- 1) Place libre (1 wall, 70 / 100 m court) 2) Jaï-alaï (3 walls, 54 / 60 m) 3) Mur à gauche 36 m (3 walls, 36m)
4) Mur à gauche 30 m (3 walls, 30 m) 5) Trinquet (4 walls 28 / 30 m)

With 10 playing tools, besides the cherished « main nue » (bare hand)

- 1) Grand chistera , (curved wicker basket) 6) Grosse pala (900 / 950 g wooden bat)
2) Joko garbi (smaller / / /) 7) Pala corta (750 / 800 g /)
3) Remonte (curved rattan basket) 8) Paleta (500 / 600 g /)
4) Xare like a snow shoe. 9) Pala ancha (400 / 500 g /)
5) Raquette frontenis like a tennis racket. 10) Gant pasaka like a very hard baseball glove.

24 games		Player s	Ball's total weight	Rubber's weight	Scores	Tools
5 <u>Main nue</u> (bare hand)	Single in Trinquet	2	94 / 96 g	24 / 25 g	40	None
	Single in Mur à gauche 36 m		101 / 105 g	38 g	22	
	Double in Trinquet	4	94 / 96 g	24 / 25 g	40	
	Double in Place libre		94 / 96 g	20 g	30	
	Double in Mur à gauche 36 m		101 / 105 g	38 g	22	
2 <u>Joko Garbi</u> or <u>Petit gant</u>	Place libre	6	115 / 120 g	40 g	45	Joko garbi
	Mur à gauche 36 m	4	120 / 122 g	30 / 35 g	40	
1 <u>Rebot</u>	Place libre	10	130 g	30 g	13 sets	3 joko garbi 2 hard gloves bare hand Hard glove
1 <u>Pasaka</u>	Trinquet	4	235 / 245 g	None		
1 <u>Grand chistera</u>	Place libre	6	128 g	60 g	45	
1 <u>Cesta punta</u>	Jaï-alaï	4	125 / 128 g	100 / 110 g	35	Grand chistera
1 <u>Remonte</u>	Jaï-alaï	4	115 / 119 g	90 g	45	Rattan Chistera
1 <u>Xare</u>	Trinquet	4	78 / 80 g	26 g	40	Xare
2 <u>Pala</u>	Place libre	4	98 / 100 g	32 g	40	Grosse pala
	Jaï-alaï	4	100 / 110 g	50 / 60 g	40	
1 <u>Pala corta</u>	Mur à gauche 36 m	4	85 / 90 g	28 g	40	Pala corta
3 <u>Paleta</u> (leather ball)	Trinquet	4	52 g	17 g	40	Paleta
	Mur à gauche 36 m		52 g	18 g	35	
	Place libre		54 g	15 g	40	
4 <u>Pala ancha</u> (rubber ball)	Trinquet	4	Hollowed ball	40 g	30	Pala ancha
	Mur à gauche 36 m			40 g	30	
	Trinquet	4	Solid ball	55 g	40	
	Place libre			55 g	35	
1 <u>Frontenis</u>	Mur à gauche 30 m	4	Hollowed ball	45 g	30	Racket

TOTAL BALLS : 19 in official competitions, actually, twice as many for unofficial games and training, according to categories (chicks, benjamins, teens, cadets, juniors, seniors and professionals).

Degree of bounce on solid rubber balls is shown with white, yellow, green and red dots.

The recent ancestor of today's rebot, LAXOA, is seldom played.

All 24 games descend from the over 1000 year old « **JEU DE PAUME** » (Real Tennis), very appreciated and played by Kings and Nobility up to the 1789 French Revolution ; so do today's tennis, badminton, squash, cricket and U.S. baseball.

Tennis even counts points (**15, 30, 40, set**) like the ancient « **JEU DE PAUME** » and today's PASAKA and REBOT.