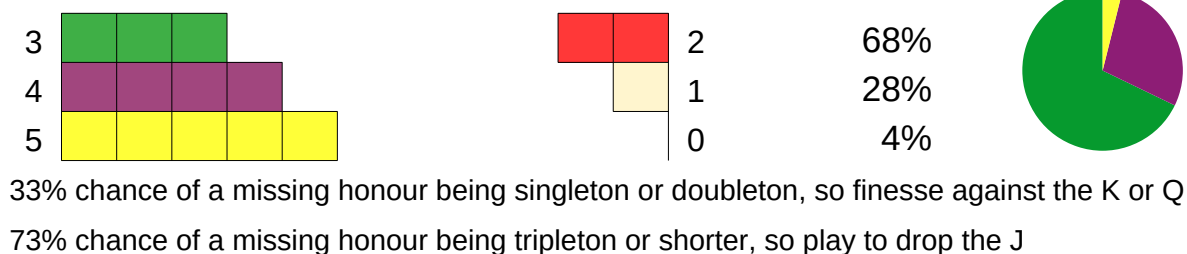# How the Cards Break

We have a fit …

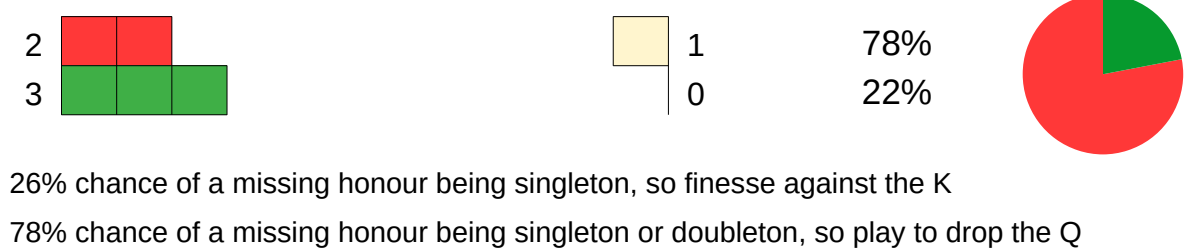### We have 8, they have 5:
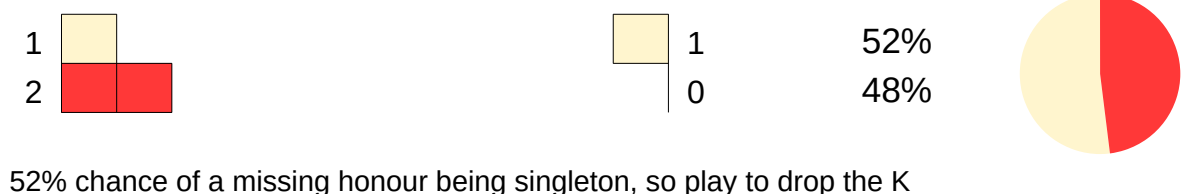
2	68%
1	28%
0	4%

33% chance of a missing honour being singleton or doubleton, so finesse against the K or Q

73% chance of a missing honour being tripleton or shorter, so play to drop the J

We have 9, they have 4:

2	41%
1	50%
0	10%

12% chance of a missing honour being singleton, so finesse against the K *

53% chance of a missing honour being singleton or doubleton, so play to drop the Q

We have 10, they have 3:

1	78%
0	22%

26% chance of a missing honour being singleton, so finesse against the K

78% chance of a missing honour being singleton or doubleton, so play to drop the Q

We have 11, they have 2:

1	52%
0	48%

52% chance of a missing honour being singleton, so play to drop the K

We don't have a fit …

We have 7, they have 6:

3	36%
2	48%
1	15%
0	1%

19% chance of a missing honour being singleton or doubleton, so finesse against the K or Q

54% chance of a missing honour being tripleton or shorter, so play to drop the J

We have 6, they have 7:

3	62%
2	31%
1	7%
0	1%

22% chance of a missing honour being tripleton or shorter, so finesse against the K, Q or J
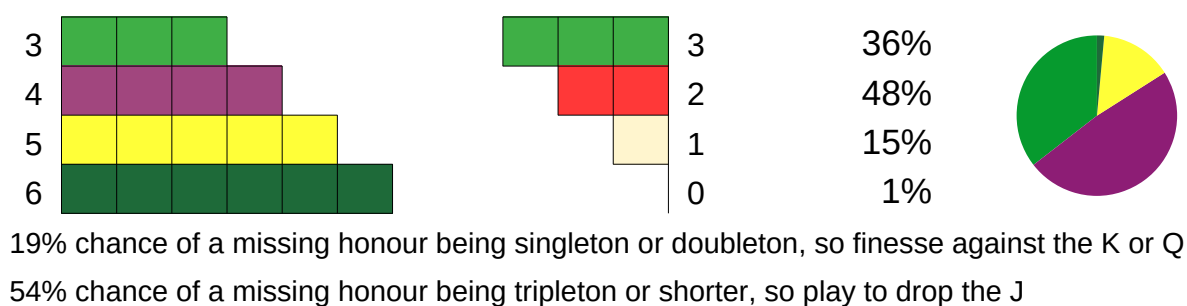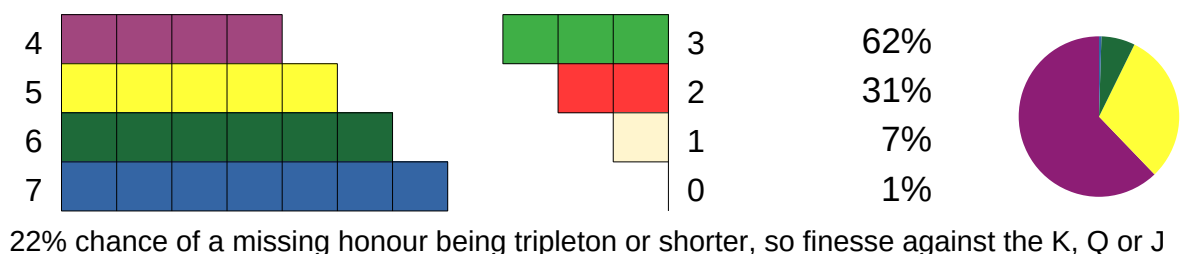
We have 5, they have 8:

4	33%
3	47%
2	17%
1	3%
0	0%
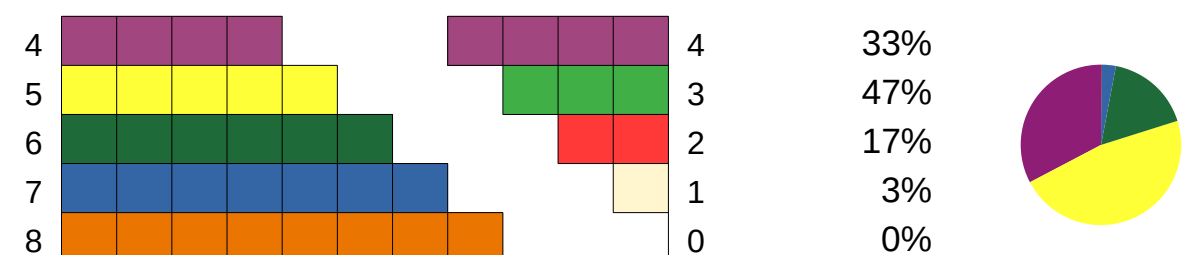
* Finesse or drop recommendations are in the context of no other information about the placemenmt of the cards.