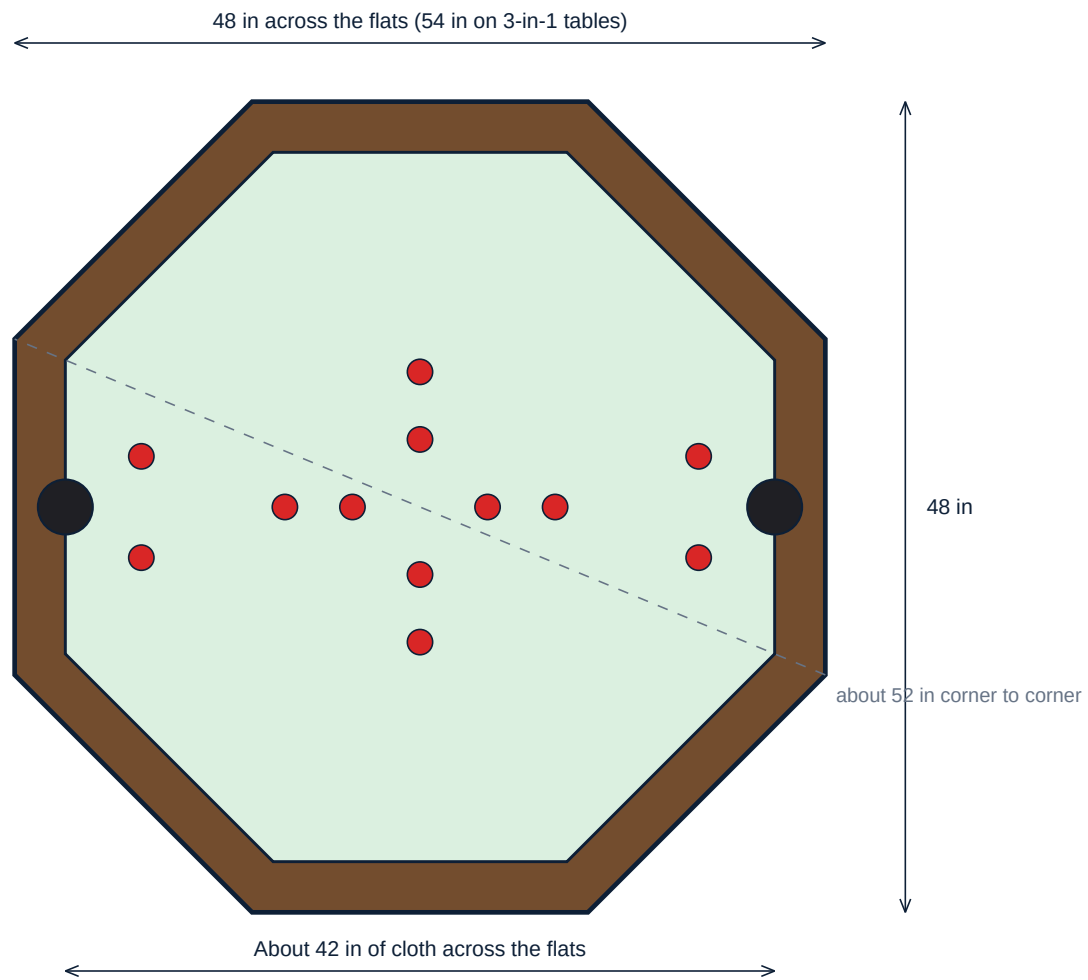


Octagon Bumper Pool Table Dimensions

48 in across the flats -- pockets and posts, typical layout



Octagon bumper pool

Across the flats	48 in (54 in on poker / dining 3-in-1 tables)
Cloth across the flats	About 42 in (46 in on a 54-in table)
Corner to corner	About 52 in (58 in)
Height	30-32 in
Pockets	Two, in the middle of opposite flats
Posts	Cross of 8 at the centre + 2 guards per pocket; some tables 16
Balls	5 red + 5 white, 2 1/8 in, one of each marked
Cues	48 in (42 in in a tight room)
Room	About 11 1/2 ft square with 48-in cues; 10 1/2 ft with 42-in

Octagon vs rectangle: the octagon is shorter pocket to pocket and the angled flats give more bank angles, so it plays faster and is the shape that fits a dining or poker top.

The rectangle is the original coin-op layout and has more straight cushion to bank along; both use the same rules. Post positions are typical -- measure your own table before building anything to fit it.