

New feature from “Hidden Hope” Limit Break

An explanation regarding “Limit Break”, a new feature that will bring exciting changes to “FFTCG”.



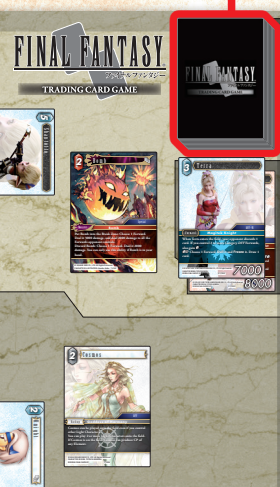
Cards with Limit Break have an LB icon on the top right of the card. The card decoration and part of the frame are also different from regular cards.

Preparing an LB deck

Cards with Limit Break (“LB cards”) are added to an “LB deck” that is separate from the deck of 50 cards (main deck) for use in Constructed Formats. LB cards **cannot be included in the main deck**.

When preparing for a game, the LB deck is placed face down, in a position where it is clear that it is the LB deck (our recommendation is below the Damage Zone). The LB deck does not need to be shuffled.

Main deck



LB deck



Regular cards



LB cards



Rules for building an LB deck:

- Must be built with LB cards only;
- Maximum deck size is 8 cards;
- Up to 3 of the same card may be included.

How to use LB cards

You can cast a **face-down card** from the LB deck at any time you are able to cast a regular card (so long as it is legal to cast a card of that type). Face-up cards in the LB deck cannot be cast. In addition to the specified basic CP cost, you must pay the “LB cost” to cast it. The LB cost denoted by the number in the card text “Limit Break — X” is paid by turning the same number of face-down cards in the LB deck **face-up**. Cards that are already face-up cannot be used to pay the LB cost.

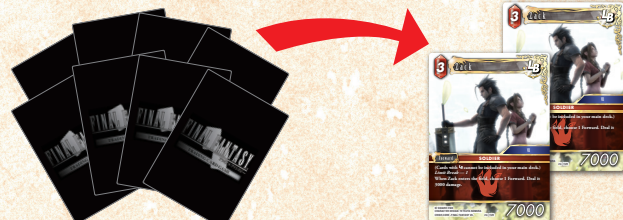


Basic costs

LB costs (Limit Break — X)

If Limit Break — 2

LB deck



Turn 2 cards face-up

LB card rules

LB cards that have been cast and entered the field are treated in the same way as regular Character cards.

When an LB card Character leaves the field by effects such as “Break”, “return to owner’s hand”, and “remove from the game” (in the case of an LB card Summon, when it is moved from the stack to the Break Zone), after it moves to the designated zone, **it is immediately placed face-up on the LB deck** by the game rules. Since it moves to the designated zone first, effects triggered by moving (e.g. “when put from the field into the Break Zone”) are triggered.



Limit Break FAQs

Q. Do I need to prepare an LB deck?

A: No. You can play the game without an LB deck. Also, you can prepare 7 or less cards.

Q. Can I use the same sleeves for my main deck and my LB deck?

A: No. If you are using sleeves for your LB deck, they must be of a different design/colour than the main deck. Additionally, the whole LB deck must be sleeved in a uniform design/colour. *For official tournaments, please adhere to the floor rules at the time of the event. There may also be additional or different rules regarding sleeves depending on the tournament. *According to the floor rules as of 22 March 2024, sleeves must be used for the main deck, and sleeves are optional for the LB deck.

Q. Can I check the cards in my LB deck during the game?

A: Yes. You can check the cards in your LB deck at any time. The face-up cards can also be checked by your opponent. You can also check the number of face-down cards in your opponent’s LB deck.

Q. When casting a character card from my LB deck, do the same name rules and Light/Dark Element rules apply?

A: Yes. The rules for regular casting also apply.

Q. Do effects that reduce casting costs and let me spend CP of any element also apply when I cast LB cards?

A: Yes. If there are no restrictions such as “cast from your hand”, they also affect LB card costs. Please note that only CP is reduced, and LB costs are not reduced.

LB decks in Limited Formats

LB decks can also be used in Limited Formats (Sealed, Booster Draft etc.). Unlike Constructed Formats, you can also include regular cards in the LB deck. However, **regular cards cannot be cast** from the LB deck. They are treated as cards that can be used to pay LB costs.

LB deck



Main deck



LB deck building rules in Limited Formats:

- Any card can be used;
⇒ **Regular cards cannot be cast;**
- Maximum deck size is 8 cards.