



#### Introduction – Welcome to LearnWPT!

- Thank you for downloading Continuation Betting: A Field Manual for Aggressive Flop Play
- You've made a good decision to work on your poker game. Poker is a learnable skill, and we can teach you to improve.
- This guide is focused on how to make profitable continuation bets, and how to avoid making unprofitable continuation bets.
- This guide does not cover how to react to your opponent's continuation bets.
  - We have many detailed lessons on Postflop Play for members of <u>LearnWPT.com</u>
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# What is Continuation Betting?

- ▶ Continuation betting is betting on the flop after being the last aggressor preflop
- ▶ You can often continuation bet (c-bet) bet regardless of your actual hand
- See LearnWPT Strategy
  <u>Episode 11: Basic Continuation</u>
  <u>Betting</u> for more info





#### **How to Size Your Continuation Bet?**

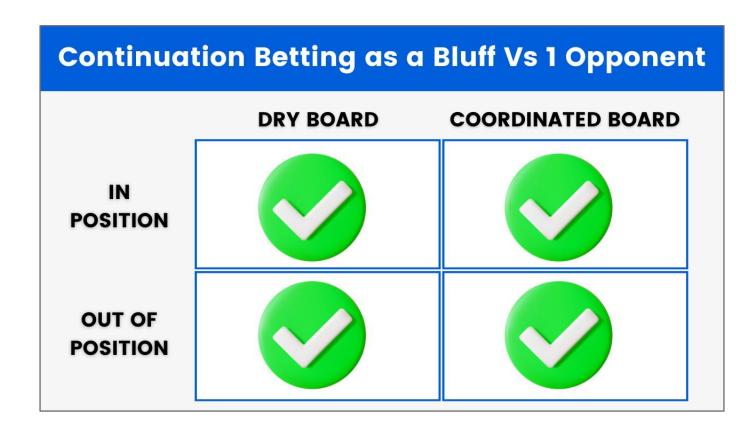
- ▶ You should generally size your bet between 40% and 70% of the pot
- ▶ Two-thirds pot (66%) is a good default bet sizing
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#### When to Continuation Bet?

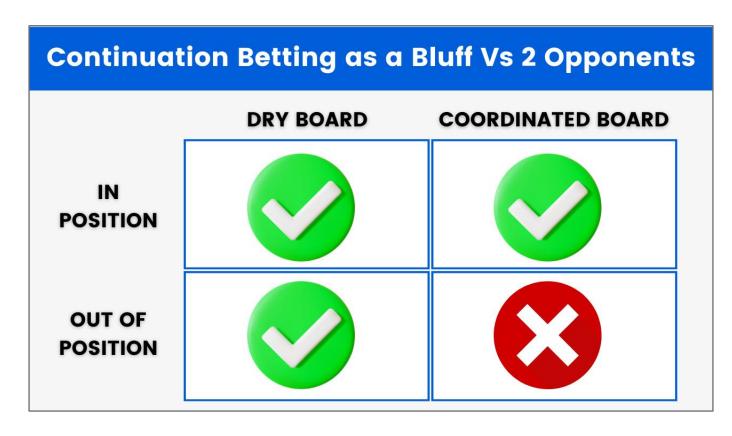
- Against I opponent, you can c-bet nearly always
- ▶ A single opponent misses the flop the majority of the time, so they will **often fold to a c-bet**





### When to Continuation Bet?

- ▶ Against 2 opponents, c-bet regularly as a bluff
- ▶ Do not bluff into 2 opponents on a coordinated flop
  - Opponents hit coordinated flops more often than dry flops
  - You can still c-bet as a bluff when in position & checked to

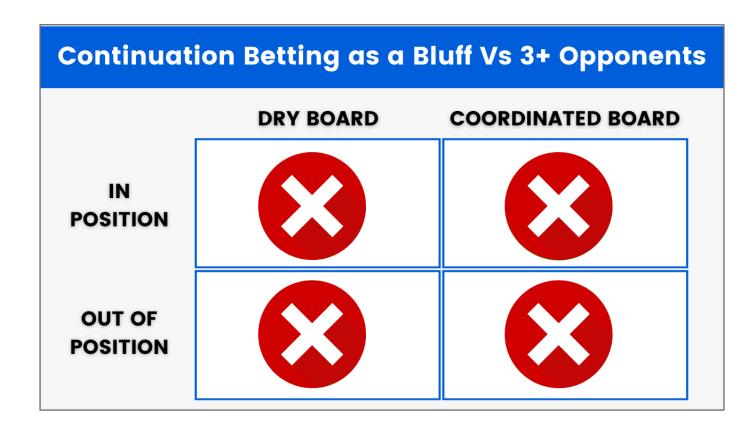


For more info on Coordinated Flops, please see our Strategy Episode on **Board Texture**, which covers this subject in depth



#### When to Continuation Bet?

- ▶ Do not c-bet as a bluff against 3 or more opponents
- ▶ As more opponents see the flop, the less likely it becomes that all opponents will fold





## Next Steps for Your Poker Game

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