

How many points does this hand have: Spades: A752, Hearts: A4 Diamonds: AJ86 Clubs: Q43

The hand you provided has a total of 13 high-card points (HCP). Here's the breakdown of the point count for each suit:

Spades: A (4 points) + 7 (0 points) + 5 (0 points) + 2 (0 points) = 4 HCP

Hearts: A (4 points) + 4 (0 points) = 4 HCP

Diamonds: A (4 points) + J (1 point) + 8 (0 points) + 6 (0 points) = 5 HCP

Clubs: Q (3 points) + 4 (0 points) + 3 (0 points) = 3 HCP

Adding up the points from each suit, we get a total of 4 HCP + 4 HCP + 5 HCP + 3 HCP = 16 HCP.

It's worth noting that some bidding systems assign extra points for long suits, such as distribution points or length points, which could impact the overall evaluation of the hand. However, based on the standard high-card point count system, the provided hand has 13 HCP.