

10 euro free bet

Hi all,

I apologize if this is the wrong spot, I'd appreciate any guidance

and where I should post poker theory questions tied to this book spec

ifically?

I'm looking at the two alpha examples on pages 82 and 83:

9 handed 12.5% ante; Action folds to hero in the SB with 72o

and an overly tight player in BB. What's the alpha if we raise 2.

5bb from the SB?

They proceed to show alpha as $2/(2+2.625)=0.43$.

I assume that's implying we raise to 2.5bb total, so the

BB has to call an additional 2 bb? However, if we raise to 2.5bb, so the bet =

2 in the formula, shouldn't our pot variable equal 3.125 to account

for the extra 1/2bb we have to put in to enter the pot?

I would think this should be $2/(2+3.125) = 0.39$, but not certain and trying

to better understand this. Unfortunately I didn't get much clarity moving to the next example as it left me more confused.

6 handed, no antes; Action folds to hero on the BN. How often

do each one of the players in the blinds fold to a 2.5bb raise for H

ero to have a profitable open with any two cards?

Ignoring the multiplayer square root component of the calculation,

they calculate the alpha as: