

Ways a Game Can Be Drawn

Chess

All six routes to a draw, including the ones you must claim.

Automatic draws end the game; claimable ones require a claim.

Draw	Automatic?
Stalemate	Yes
Insufficient material	Yes
Agreement	By offer and acceptance
Threefold repetition	Claim
Fifty-move rule	Claim
Fivefold repetition	Yes
Seventy-five-move rule	Yes

Insufficient material: king vs king, king and bishop, king and knight, or king and bishop vs king and same-coloured bishop.