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IV. THREE CARD POKER

The Minimum wager for Three Card Poker is \$1.00 and the maximum wager is \$4.00. Three Card Poker involves two independent bets: *Pair Plus* and *Ante and Play*. A player may make a wager on either one or both of these bets before the deal commences. Cards are dealt from a standard 52 card deck and hands are ranked from highest to lowest: Straight Flush, Three of a Kind, Straight, Flush, Pair, Nothing.. Both the player and dealer are dealt three cards to their hand.

Pair Plus

The result of the Pair Plus bet is determined only by the hand rank of the player's hand, the dealer's hand being irrelevant. The player wins the bet with a pair or better and loses with Nothing. A typical pay table is as follows.

Hand	Payout
Straight Flush	40 to 1
Three of a Kind	30 to 1
Straight	6 to 1
Flush	3 to 1
Pair	1 to 1

Ante and Play

Before cards are dealt the player makes an *Ante* wager. After being dealt a hand of three cards the player may either:

1. *Fold* and lose the ante bet.
2. *Play* and make a further wager equal to the ante bet.

If the player decides to make the *Play* bet the dealer's hand is revealed and a showdown occurs. If the dealer has a Queen high or better the hand is said to qualify. The result of the hand is determined as follows with the rank of hands compared if the dealer qualifies:

Result	Ante bet Pays	Play Bet Pays
Dealer does not qualify	Win Even Money	Push
Dealer qualifies, player's hand wins	Win Even Money	Win Even Money
Dealer qualifies, player's hand ties	Push	Push
Dealer qualifies, player's hand loses	Lose	Lose

If the player hand consists of a straight or better a bonus is paid on the Ante bet not depending on the dealer's hand or whether the player wins or loses. The bonus pay outs are reflected below:

Hand	Bonus Payout
Straight Flush	5 to 1
Three of a Kind	4 to 1
Straight	1 to 1

Payout Summary as followed:

Inside Bets

Straight-up Bet (any individual number): *35 to 1*

Split Bet (two individual numbers that surround each other): *17 to 1*

Street Bet (3 individual numbers that are in the same row) *11 to 1*

Square Bet or Corner Net (4 individual numbers that share the same border) *8 to 1*

Outside Bets

1 to 18: *pays 1 to 1*

19 to 36: *pays 1 to 1*

Even Bets: *pays 1 to 1*

Odd Bets: *pays 1 to 1*

Red Bets: *pays 1 to 1*

Black Bets: *pays 1 to 1*

1st 12 Bets: *2 to 1*

2nd 12 Bets: *2 to 1*

3rd 12 Bets: *2 to 1*
