

3-Card Poker

GAMING GUIDE

How to play 3-card poker

3-Card Poker game uses standard poker rules in a 3-card setting with two exceptions. In 3-Card Poker, a 3 of a Kind ranks higher than a Straight and a Straight ranks higher than a Flush. The game offers Players additional payouts for high-value hands.

Rules of play

Before the cards are dealt, each Player places a wager on the Ante to play against the Dealer. Players have an option to bet Ante or Ante and the Pair Plus. Each Player receives three cards. Then based on his/her hand Player may:

1. Fold his/her hand and forfeit the Ante wager, and if applicable, the Pair Plus wager; or
2. Continue playing by placing the Play bet, which must be exactly the same amount as the Ante.

The Dealer qualifies with Queen high or better.

If the Dealer does not qualify, the Ante wins 1 to 1 and the Play wager is returned to the Player. If the Dealer qualifies and if the Player's hand beats the Dealer's hand, Play wins 1 to 1 and the Ante wins 1 to 1. A tie is a push.

Ranking of hands (from highest to lowest) are: Straight Flush, 3 of a Kind, Straight, Flush and Pair. If none of these hands exist, then the hand that contains the highest ranking card(s) wins. Ace is high, except in A-2-3 sequence. When wagering against the Dealer, bonuses will be paid:

Ante bonus payouts straight

Flush	5 to 1
3 of a Kind	4 to 1
Straight	1 to 1

The Player wins the ANTE BONUS payout even if the Dealer's hand beats the Player's hand.

Pair Plus is a wager that allows Players to bet on the value of the hands they are dealt and does not play against the Dealer's cards. (see Pairs Plus Payouts)

*If a Player has placed an Ante wager and a Pair Plus wager, but does not make a Play wager, the Player will forfeit both the Ante wager and the Pair Plus wager.

Pair plus payouts (optional)

Mini Royal	50 to 1
Straight Flush	40 to 1
3 of a Kind	30 to 1
Straight	6 to 1
Flush	3 to 1
Pair	1 to 1

6-Card Bonus wager is an optional side bet Players may make in addition to their standard 3-Card Poker wagers (do not have to bet the Pair Plus). The Player's 3 cards and the Dealer's three cards are combined to make the best 5-card hand. If the Player has three of a Kind or better, his/her 6-Card Bonus bet wins.

6-Card Bonus payouts (optional)

5-Card Royal Flush	1,000 to 1
5-Card Straight Flush	200 to 1
4 of a Kind	100 to 1
Full House	20 to 1
5-Card Flush	15 to 1
5-Card Straight	10 to 1
3 of a Kind	7 to 1

Player must bet the ANTE to bet the \$1 Progressive wager. The Progressive wager is based on the Player's hand (three cards) and the Progressive Community Cards (two cards) combined to make the best 5-card hand.

If the Player has a qualifying hand (3 of a Kind or better), his/her Progressive bet wins. An Envy Bonus may be paid out to a Player who has placed a \$1 Progressive wager when another Player at the table has a Straight Flush or better.

Progressive wager payouts (optional)

Hand	Pay table	Envy bonus
Royal Flush	100% of mega	\$1,000
Straight Flush	100% of major	\$300
4 of a Kind	100% of minor	--
Full House	\$50	--
Flush	\$40	--
Straight	\$30	--
3 of a Kind	\$9	--

Players folding his/her hand will forfeit any Progressive wager. The Player with the winning hand will be paid the amount associated with the hand but does not qualify for the Envy Bonus.