1. The Basic Game

The game is played on a table which looks like a Blackjack table, except that each spot has three circles in front of it, marked ‘$’, ‘2’ and ‘3’.

To play, you place three equal bets in the circles, and are dealt three cards. You now have the option of taking back the first bet. The dealer deals a community card (part of all hands), and you can have the option of taking the second bet back. Then, the dealer deals another community card, and any payouts are made.

You also have the option of putting up $1 in a “Jackpot” before each hand, which pays off fixed amounts on two pair or better.

The house percentage is approximately 3.5%, but you can wait a long time between winning hands.

2. Pay-offs

(a) Pair of Tens to Aces pays 1 to 1
(b) Two Pair pays 2 to 1
(c) Three of a Kind pays 3 to 1
(d) Straight pays 5 to 1
(e) Flush pays 8 to 1
(f) Full House pays 11 to 1
(g) Four of a Kind pays 50 to 1
(h) Straight Flush pays 200 to 1
(i) Royal Flush pays 1000 to 1
These payouts are subject to a maximum table payout per hand.

3. **Strategy**

   Let the first bet ride :
   
   (a) Three of a Kind
   (b) Pair of Tens or better
   (c) Three cards to a Royal Flush
   (d) 345, 456, ..., 9TJ suited
   (e) 78T, 79T, 89J, 8TJ, 9TQ, 9JQ suited
   (f) 7TJ, 8TQ, 8JQ, 9TK, 9JK, 9QK suited

   Let the second bet ride :
   
   (a) Four of a Kind
   (b) Three of a Kind
   (c) Two Pair
   (d) Pair of Tens or better
   (e) Four suited cards
   (f) 2345, 3456, ..., TJQK unsuited
   (g) TJQA, TQKA, TJKA, JQKA unsuited