



# Pot 'o' Gold Slot Machine Simulation

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## Slot Simulation Overview



Slot Simulation is a game of chance. Start with \$50.00 in Casino silver dollars. Your wagering money is placed in a bucket for your convenience. Click on the bucket to place a dollar in the slot machine. You may play up to \$5.00 at a time.

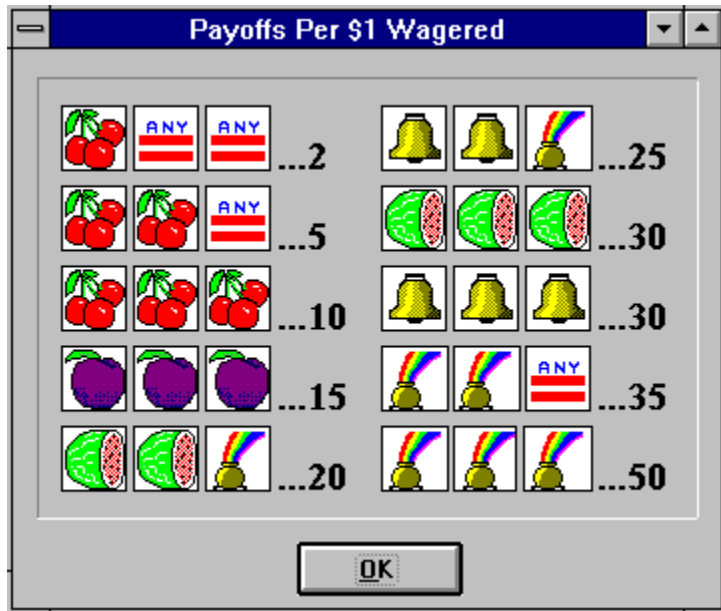
Pot 'o' Gold will provide hours of entertainment, especially if you have a Windows compatible sound card installed. The digital sounds provide a realistic backdrop to the total simulation.

After placing your wager you pull the handle on our one armed bandit. You do this by clicking on the handle. You will see the handle come down and the reels will begin to spin. The reels will stop on random pictures and if you get a winning combination you will see and hear the payoff.

If you lose all your money the Casino Manager may be convinced to provide additional credit. The better your reason for needing credit, the more credit you will receive.

Enjoy the simulation and Good Luck!

## The Payout Screen



The Payout Screen shows the payout amounts per \$1.00 bet. As you can see by looking at the example, not all three of a kind matches are paid off. Only selected matches are paid at the rates shown in the Payoff Screen.

Like the Las Vegas slot machines of the 1950's, Pot 'o' Gold pays matches on a random basis. There are no pre-defined payouts. Only your luck and random chance determine if you leave the Casino a winner or a loser.

Unlike Las Vegas, the odds are on your side. You are playing with "house" money, so pull the handle as many times as you like and enjoy!

## **Hardware Requirements**

1. Microsoft Windows 3.1 or higher.

A Windows compatible sound card recommended.

A 256 color video card and external speakers are also recommended.

## **Contents**

The table of Contents screen is the opening screen when the help system is started.

## **Help On Help**

Launches the Windows Help file and displays general help information to assist you in using a Windows Help system.

## **About Slot Simulation**

The About box displays information about Pot 'o' Gold and the author.

## Trouble Shooting

Q. I can't hear the sounds.

A. You must have a Windows compatible sound card installed and configured to work with Microsoft Windows.

B. If you have a Windows compatible sound card and still hear no sounds, check that the \*.wav sound files have not been deleted from the Pot 'o' Gold directory.

You should have the following sound files:

1. Welcome.wav
2. Coinsin.wav
3. Coinsout.wav
4. Click.wav
5. Right.wav
6. Goodbye.wav

If any of these files is missing you must re-install Pot 'o' Gold.



## Shareware Agreement

Pot 'o' Gold is distributed as shareware. You are entitled to try Pot 'o' Gold for a single 30 day period before registering the product. If after the initial 30 day trial period you decide to keep Pot 'o' Gold you must follow the directions and register the program.

The Shareware concept allows you to "try before you buy". Shareware is not FREE. The only way the shareware concept can work is for people to register the software after the initial trial period. The programs are distributed as shareware for your convenience on the honor system. This keeps the price of the software down by allowing the developer a means of distribution without expensive advertising and distribution costs. These costs are passed directly to you, the consumer.

Paying the registration fee insures that this and other software products will continue to evolve and that end users can try a product before making a purchasing decision.

Thank you for your support.

Gary R. Hawkins, President  
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## **Registering Pot 'o' Gold**

To register Pot 'o' Gold by mail please send personal check or money order for \$24.95 (U.S. funds) to:

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You may also order by using your VISA, Master, or Discover Card by calling our TOLL FREE number - (800) 396-0185 between 8 A.M and 9 P.M. (CST). This number is for U.S. orders only please.

When your registration has been processed you will receive the latest version of Pot 'o' Gold without the shareware "nag" screen, a FREE program that extracts icons from Windows programs and dynamic link libraries (\*.EXE and \*.DLL's) and converts them to bitmap images to make Windows Wallpaper or to use as you wish, information about other NightHawk Software, and our sincere Thank You.

