

Dealing procedure for Imperial Pai Gow Draw Poker

1. Imperial Pai Gow Draw Poker is played with a 53-card deck, consisting of a standard deck of playing cards plus one joker.
2. Game play is started by each player placing a wager on the main betting spot (hereafter referred to as the “Main Bet”), as well as an optional side bet (hereafter referred to as the “Side Bet”).
3. Dice are shaken to determine the starting position. The dealer is spots 1, 7 and 13.
4. Each player and the dealer gets 7 cards face down.
5. Each player select one of their seven cards and discards it, placing it face down next to their bet, or choose to stand pat.
6. The dealer then collects discards and deals each player a draw card, face down starting with the spot on the far left, after each player receives a their cards the dealer deals themselves an eighth card.
7. Each player then sets their seven cards into a two-card low hand and a five-card high hand, as in standard Pai Gow Poker.
8. The dealer then reveals his eight cards and sets his cards according to the “House Way”, using only seven cards..
9. The dealer compares his two hands with each player’s pair of hands to settle the Main Bet:
 - a. If the player’s two-card hand beats or ties the dealer’s two-card hand and the player’s five-card hand beats or ties the dealer’s five-card hand, the player wins his Main Bet and is paid at the rate of 21-20.
 - b. If the dealer’s two-card hand beats the player’s two-card hand and the dealer’s five-card hand beats the player’s five-card hand, that player loses his Main Bet.
 - c. Otherwise, the Main Bet is a push.
10. Finally, for each player who made the Side Bet, the dealer compares the player’s seven cards to the payable, and either pays the Side Bet or takes it as appropriate.
 - a. If any player achieves at minimum a certain payout on the Side Bet, each other player who bet \$5 or more on the Side Bet will receive an additional flat-rate payout referred to as an envy.

BONUS PAYOUT A

straight	0.5:1		
flush	1:1		
trips	2:1		
full house	3:1		
quads	10:1	(envy	\$5)
strt. flsh	25:1	(envy	\$10)
royal flsh	50:1	(envy	\$25)
five aces	150:1	(envy	\$100)
7 card strt flush(wild)	500:1	(envy	\$250)
7 card strt flsh(natural)	5000:1	(envy	\$2000)

BONUS PAYOUT B

straight	PUSH		
flush	1:1		
trips	3:1		
full house	3:1		
quads	10:1	(envy	\$5)
strt. flsh	25:1	(envy	\$10)
royal flsh	50:1	(envy	\$25)
five aces	150:1	(envy	\$100)
7 card strt flush(wild)	500:1	(envy	\$250)
7 card strt flsh(natural)	5000:1	(envy	\$2000)

BONUS PAYOUT C

straight	1:1		
flush	1:1		
trips	1:1		
full house	3:1		
quads	10:1	(envy	\$5)
strt. flsh	25:1	(envy	\$10)
royal flsh	50:1	(envy	\$25)
five aces	150:1	(envy	\$100)
7 card strt flush(wild)	500:1	(envy	\$250)
7 card strt flsh(natural)	5000:1	(envy	\$2000)
